

**BLOOMFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS  
2016-2017 CALENDAR OF ASSESSMENTS**

Assessment/Content Area	Grade Levels	Dates	Administration Info	Requirement/ Results
<b>DISTRICT TESTING</b>				
<b>PARCC 2017 TEST Computer-Based Testing/ ELA and Math</b>	Grades 3-11	April 3-April 7, 2017 <i>Spring Break Week– no testing</i> April 17- May 19, 2017 Grade level dates TBD	Regular Administration ***Paper-based PARCC administration is Mar. 27 – Apr.7., Only HI & accommodation students will take paper tests.	<b>Required by State/ Fall 2017 results</b>
<b>ACCESS FOR ELL STUDENTS Computer-Based Testing/ ESL: <i>Listening, Speaking, Reading, Writing</i></b>	Grades K-12 Bilingual/ESL students	Start Date: Feb. 20, 2017 End Date: April 14, 2017	Regular Administration	<b>Required by State for ESL Learners/ Fall 2017 results</b>
<b>STAR BENCHMARK Computer-Based Testing/ Reading</b>	Grades K-12	Fall: Sept.12-Oct. 17, 2016 Winter: Jan. 3- Feb. 3, 2017 SGO: Feb. 27 – Mar. 31, 2017 Spring: May 22 – June 16, 2017	Benchmark Testing	<b>District Testing/ Immediate results</b>
<b>ON DEMAND INFORMATION, OPINION AND NARRATIVE/ WRITING PROMPTS</b>	Grades K-8	<b><i>REFER TO THE ON DEMAND WRITING PROMPT SCHEDULE</i></b>	Writing Sample for student portfolio	<b>District Testing/ Immediate results</b>
<b>CCCS LAL BENCHMARK/ ELA</b>	Grades 7-12	Sept. 19-23, 2016 Jan. 9-1, 2017 Mar. 6-10, 2017	Benchmark Testing	<b>District Testing/ Immediate results</b>
<b>CCCS MATH BENCHMARK/ Math</b>	Grades 7-12 BHS; BMS	Oct. 24-Nov. 2, 2016 Jan. 16-26, 2017 Mar. 27-April 6, 2017 BMS Only: June 5-16, 2017	Benchmark Testing	<b>District Testing/ Immediate results</b>
<b>CCCS MATH BENCHMARK/ Math</b>	Grades K-6	Nov. 28-Dec. 9, 2016 Mar. 6-17, 2017 June 5-16, 2017	Benchmark Testing	<b>District Testing/ Immediate results</b>
<b>NAEP 2017/ Reading and Math</b>	Grades 4 & 8	Berkeley: Feb. 1, 2017 Brookdale: Feb. 2, 2017 Fairview: Feb. 7,2017 Watsessing: Feb. 8, 2017 BMS: January 31. 2017	Grade 4 and 8 at randomly selected schools for selected students	<b>Required by State/ Results used by DOE for state rankings</b>

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<b>ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS TESTING</b>				
<b>COGNITIVE ASSESSMENT (InView)</b>	Grade 3 & 6	Dec. 5 & 6, 2016	Cognitive Skills Administration	<b>District Testing/ Spring 2017</b>
<b>NJ ASK SCIENCE 4/ Science</b>	Grade 4	May 31, 2017 (June 7, 2017 Make-Ups)	Regular Paper-based Administration	<b>Required by State/ Fall 2017 results</b>
<b>MIDDLE SCHOOL TESTING</b>				
<b>NJ ASK SCIENCE 8/ Science</b>	Grade 8	May 31, 2017 (June 7, 2017 Make-Ups)	Regular Paper-based Administration	<b>Required by State/ Fall 2017 results</b>
<b>HIGH SCHOOL TESTING</b>				
<b>NJ Biology Competency Test (NJBCT)/ Biology</b>	Grades 9-12 Bio students	May 31 & June 1, 2017 (June 7 - 8, 2017 Make-Ups)	Regular Paper-based Administration	<b>Required by State/ Fall 2017 results</b>
<b>AP EXAMS/ AP class subjects only</b>	BHS	May 2,-13, 2017	Final assessment for AP students	<b>AP student exam/ June 2017 results</b>
<b>PSAT EXAMS/ English and Math</b>	BHS	Oct. 19, 2016	Option as NJDOE grad requirement	<b>College Entrance/ Results in 6 weeks</b>
<b>SAT EXAMS/ English and Math</b>	BHS	Oct. 19, 2016	Option as NJDOE grad requirement	<b>College Entrance/ Results in 6 weeks</b>
<b>ACT/ ACT and Subject</b>	BHS	April 19, 2017	Option as NJDOE grad requirement	<b>College Entrance/ Results in 6 weeks</b>
<b>ASVAB</b>	BHS	Sept. 9, 2016	Option as NJDOE grad requirement	<b>Military Entrance/ Results when verified</b>
<b>SPECIAL SERVICES ASSESSMENTS</b>				
<b>Alternate Proficiency Assessment (APA)/ Science Portfolio-Based</b>	Grade 4 & 8; and BHS	Sept. 1-Nov. 11, 2016 Collection Period 1 Dec. 5, 2016 - Feb. 10, 2017 Collection Period 2	Ongoing Alternative Administration	<b>Required by State/ Fall 2017 results</b>
<b>Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM)-Computer-Adaptive Testing/ ELA and Math</b>	Grades 3-8 & 11 Cognitive Impaired	April 3 - May 19, 2017	Regular Administration	<b>Required by State/ Fall 2017 results</b>