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TO: District Superintendents
 Superintendents of Public and Nonpublic Schools
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SUBJECT: 2016–17 Elementary- and Intermediate-level Testing Schedule

2016–17 School Year

Test		Administration Dates	Make-up Dates	Scoring Dates	Final Dates to Submit Answer Sheets to Scanning Centers
NYSAA	Science and Social Studies	Monday, September 26 – Friday, December 9	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Tuesday, January 17– Friday, February 24	Monday, February 27
	English Language Arts and Math	Monday, March 20 – Friday, June 2	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	N/A	N/A
Grades 3-8 English Language Arts	Paper-based	Tuesday, March 28 – Thursday, March 30	Friday, March 31 – Wednesday, April 5	Friday, March 31 – Friday, April 21	Friday, April 21
	Computer-based	Monday, March 27 – Monday, April 3	Tuesday, April 4 – Thursday, April 6	Friday, March 31* – Friday, April 21	N/A
Grades 3-8 Mathematics	Paper-based	Tuesday, May 2 – Thursday, May 4	Friday, May 5 – Wednesday, May 10	Friday, May 5 – Wednesday, May 17	Wednesday, May 17
	Computer-based	Monday, May 1 – Monday, May 8	Tuesday, May 9 – Thursday, May 11	Friday, May 5*– Wednesday, May 17	N/A
NYSESLAT Speaking		Monday, April 10 – Friday, May 19	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Speaking is scored as it is administered	Thursday, June 1
NYSESLAT Listening, Reading, Writing		Monday, May 8 – Friday, May 19	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Monday, May 22 – Thursday, June 1	Thursday, June 1

*Teachers may not begin to train for scoring or rate student responses until the primary administration of the specific grade level test the teacher is rating has been administered in the teacher’s school.



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Test	Administration Dates	Make-up Dates	Scoring Dates	Final Dates to Submit Answer Sheets to Scanning Centers
Grade 4 Science Performance Test	Wednesday, May 24 – Friday, June 2	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Scoring may start immediately following administration	Thursday, June 15
Grade 8 Science Performance Test	Wednesday, May 24 – Friday, June 2	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Scoring may start immediately following administration	Thursday, June 15
Grade 4 Science Written	Monday, June 5	Tuesday, June 6 – Wednesday June 7	Following make-up dates, but no later than Thursday, June 15	Thursday, June 15
Grade 8 Science Written	Monday, June 5	Tuesday, June 6 – Wednesday June 7	Following make-up dates, but no later than Thursday, June 15	Thursday, June 15