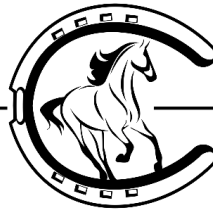


# Colts Neck Township Schools

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

In the spring of 2023, students in grades 3-8 participated in the New Jersey Student Learning Assessment (NJSLA) for mathematics and English language arts to measure individual student academic progress with the New Jersey Student Learning Standards. Students in grades 5 and 8 also took the NJSLA science assessment.

These results provide information to parents, educators, school districts and the New Jersey Department of Education about how students are performing on the New Jersey Student Learning Standards. Evaluating the results from NJSLA testing is a helpful tool in measuring your child's annual progress in school and is just one of the many ways your child's teachers and administrators can determine whether he or she is on track to being college and career ready.

**If your child is currently in grades four through eight, Individual Student Reports (ISRs) for your child are now available in the Genesis Parent Portal under "Documents."** These reports provide parents/guardians and educators an indication of your child's academic progress in the New Jersey Student Learning Standards for English language arts and mathematics. A report is also available in the Portal for parents/guardians of grade 6 students for the NJSLA science assessment taken in the spring when these students were in grade 5.

These reports also indicate how your child's performance compares to other children in his/her school, the district, the state, and other states.

More information about the NJSLA can be found on the [NJSLA Parent Resources](#).

Should you have any additional questions, please contact Dr. Erica Reynolds, Director of Curriculum and Instruction.

Sincerely,

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