

CRESSKILL PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Mr. Michael Burke
Superintendent

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Dear Parents/Guardians:

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 18A: 7C-6.6, school districts are required to provide parents and guardians with information on any state assessment or commercially developed standardized assessment that will be administered to students during the school year. Attached please find a chart listing the assessments that the Cresskill School District will be administering to our students. Website links to sites with sample test items, when available, have been included as a parental resource. The 2018-2019 District Testing Schedule can also be located on our school district website.

The assessments described as “benchmark” assessments on the chart are used for purely diagnostic purposes to help your child’s teacher individualize instruction for your child. Some of the other assessments listed are required as part of the state assessment program or are commonly administered assessments to help students prepare for the college admission process. Specific schedules for each grade and school are mailed home to parents in advance of any state and/or College Board standardized test to your child that is scheduled during the school day.

Should you have any questions regarding our assessment program, please feel free to contact your child’s school principal and/or my office.

Thank you,
Mr. Michael Burke
Superintendent of Schools

The Cresskill Schools will utilize the student learning standards to promote academic excellence and foster self-esteem in a dynamic, caring environment and will prepare students to be life-long learners and contributors in an evolving and ever-changing world.