

Testing Dates

Harris School

ELA: April 20-22 (Mon., Tues., Wed.)

Math: April 29-30 (Wed. & Thur.)

Science: May 4 -5 (Mon. & Tues.)

Sharon Hill School

ELA: April 21-23 (Tues., Wed., Thur.)

Math: April 29 -30 (Wed. & Thur.)

Science: May 4-5 (Mon. & Tues.)

Delcroft School

ELA: April 20-22 (Mon., Tues., Wed.)

Math: April 27 & 29 (Mon. & Wed.)

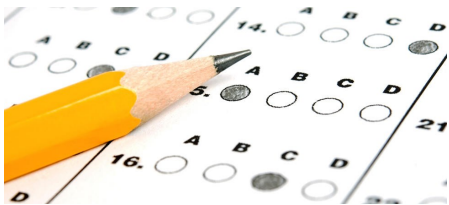
Science: May 4 -5 (Mon. & Tues.)

Darby Township School

ELA: April 21-23 (Tues.– Thur.)

Math: April 29-30 (Wed. & Thur.)

Science: May 4-5 (Mon. & Tues.)



PSSA Information for Parents & Guardians



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What is PSSA?

Pennsylvania System of School Assessment standardized testing that is aligned with the PA Core Standards for reading, writing, and mathematics. The testing is administered in grades 3 to 8.



Nutrition is a key component to each student's success. Breakfast, a snack, and lunch will be provided by the District.

NO ELECTRONICS ALLOWED!!

Phones, watches, or any other device will be collected and placed in the teacher's closet.

Tips for Students

- Relax and maintain a positive attitude.
- Take your time. There is no time limit.
- Check your answers and show your work.
- Don't worry about what other students are doing. Every test is not the same.
- Read the questions carefully, underline or highlight parts of the question to help you remember.
- Be sure to answer every question. If you don't know an answer, skip it and come back to it later.
- Make sure you are marking the correct space on the answer sheet.
- Write legibly. If the person marking the exam can't read your answer, it may be marked wrong.
- On multiple choice questions read every option carefully. Cross off any answers you know are not correct and try to find the correct answer with the remaining choices.
- Be sure to answer the question and follow the directions. If they want you to show work, show it.

Tips for Parents & Guardians

- Try to make the mornings of the test pleasant ones. Find ways to manage your child's stress.
- Make sure your child has taken any needed medication.
- Ensure that your child is present and on time for each day of testing.
- Wish your child good luck and encourage them to do their best.
- If your child is too ill to attend, please call the school office.
- Please re-schedule appointments if possible to avoid early dismissals.
- If your child is disappointed after taking the test, reassure him or her that there will be plenty of opportunities to improve and succeed. Stay positive!

