2020-21 New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA) Dates to Remember: Administration of NYSAA in English Language Arts (ELA), Mathematics, and Science through Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM)

Important Dates to Remember

07/29/2020	Returning users required to reset password in
	Educator Portal
08/31/2020	Kite Student Portal
	No anticipated update to Kite Student Portal for
	2020-21.
09/14/2020	ELA, Math, & Science Instructionally Embedded
	Assessment opens
	x 09/14/2020-02/24/2021
	x 12/21/2020-01/01/2021 window closes for
	maintenance
09/18/2020	Moodle Training opens.
10/01/2020	Printed manuals sent to schools
10/12-11/20/2020	NYSAA-DLM Virtual Training
	 Virtual Training Window 10/12/2020-
	11/20/2020
	 Prior registration required
	Live Q&A sessions:
	• 10/28/2020
	• 11/18/2020
	More information to follow. Virtual Training must be
	viewed prior to participation in a live Q&A session.

10/23/2020	Recommended deadline to complete review of
10/23/2020	user information in Educator Portal. Make
	corrections, add new users and delete users no
44/40/0000	longer needing accounts.
11/13/2020	NYSAA-eligible students need to be identified in
	the state data warehouse with the program
	service code 0220 to be included in the NYSED
	enrollment pull. Districts/Schools utilizing the
	Instructionally Embedded Window must comply
	with this deadline.
11/16/2020	NYSED pull of students identified as NYSAA-
	eligible for loading of enrollment file to Educator
	Portal.
11/16/2020	NYSED loads enrollment file to Educator Portal.*
11/23/2020	Rostering of students begins for entities relying on
	NYSED load of enrollment data.
12/01/2020	Recommended deadline to complete First Contact
	Survey and Personal Needs Profile for participation in
	spring assessment to utilize the Instructionally
	Embedded Window.
01/26/2021	Parent Brochures sent to schools
02/15/2021	Final date for Braille marked in First Contact Survey.
02/15/2021	Deadline to complete PNP and FCS for participation
	in spring assessment.
02/24/2021	ELA, Math and Science Instructionally Embedded
	Window closes.
03/04/2021	Shipment of Braille forms or embossing paper to
	school.
03/08/2021	