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**TO:** District Superintendents  
Superintendents of Public and Nonpublic Schools  
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**SUBJECT:** 2015–16 Elementary-and Intermediate-level Testing Schedule

**2015–16 School Year (REVISED FOR NYSAA)**

Test		Administration Dates	Make-up Dates	Scoring Dates	Final Dates to Submit Answer Sheets to Scanning Centers
NYSAA	Science and Social Studies	Monday, December 7 – Friday, February 12	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Monday, February 29 – Friday, March 18	Friday, March 18
	English Language Arts and Math	Monday, March 21 – Friday, June 3	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	N/A	N/A
NYSESLAT Speaking		Tuesday, April 12 – Friday, May 13	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Speaking is scored as it is administered.	Thursday, May 26
Grades 3–8 English Language Arts		Tuesday, April 5 – Thursday, April 7	Friday, April 8 – Tuesday, April 12	Friday, April 8 – Wednesday, April 20	Wednesday, April 20
Grades 3–8 Mathematics		Wednesday, April 13 – Friday, April 15	Monday, April 18 – Wednesday, April 20	Monday, April 18 – Thursday, May 5	Thursday, May 5
NYSESLAT Listening, Reading, Writing		Monday, May 2 – Friday, May 13	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Monday, May 16 – Thursday, May 26	Thursday, May 26
Grade 4 Science Performance Test		Wednesday, May 25 – Friday, June 3	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Scoring may start immediately following administration	Thursday, June 16
Grade 8 Science Performance Test		Wednesday, May 25 – Friday, June 3	Make-ups must be given within the testing window	Scoring may start immediately following administration	Thursday, June 16
Grade 4 Science Written		Monday, June 6	Tuesday, June 7 – Wednesday June 8	Following make-up dates, but no later than Thursday, June 16	Thursday, June 16
Grade 8 Science Written		Monday, June 6	Tuesday, June 7 – Wednesday June 8	Following make-up dates, but no later than Thursday, June 16	Thursday, June 16