



**2008-09 New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA)**  
Chart for Determining Students' Performance Levels

The chart below contains the range of raw scores for each NYSAA performance level. These scores are the result of the 2008 standard setting of NYSAA. The total raw score attainable for each subject area is 48. The total score is derived by adding the students' scores for accuracy and independence across three dates for two alternate grade level indicators (AGLIs).

| <b>GRADE 3</b>        | <b>NYSAA Level 1</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 2</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 3</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 4</b> |
|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| English Language Arts | 0-32                 | 33-39                | 40-44                | 45-48                |
| Mathematics           | 0-22                 | 23-34                | 35-45                | 46-48                |

| <b>GRADE 4</b>        | <b>NYSAA Level 1</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 2</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 3</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 4</b> |
|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| English Language Arts | 0-32                 | 33-40                | 41-45                | 46-48                |
| Mathematics           | 0-22                 | 23-38                | 39-46                | 47-48                |
| Science               | 0-28                 | 29-33                | 34-43                | 44-48                |

| <b>GRADE 5</b>        | <b>NYSAA Level 1</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 2</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 3</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 4</b> |
|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| English Language Arts | 0-29                 | 30-38                | 39-46                | 47-48                |
| Mathematics           | 0-24                 | 25-36                | 37-46                | 47-48                |
| Social Studies        | 0-33                 | 34-40                | 41-45                | 46-48                |

| <b>GRADE 6</b>        | <b>NYSAA Level 1</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 2</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 3</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 4</b> |
|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| English Language Arts | 0-27                 | 28-40                | 41-45                | 46-48                |
| Mathematics           | 0-21                 | 22-33                | 34-44                | 45-48                |

| <b>GRADE 7</b>        | <b>NYSAA Level 1</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 2</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 3</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 4</b> |
|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| English Language Arts | 0-21                 | 22-36                | 37-42                | 43-48                |
| Mathematics           | 0-31                 | 32-37                | 38-46                | 47-48                |

| <b>GRADE 8</b>        | <b>NYSAA Level 1</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 2</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 3</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 4</b> |
|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| English Language Arts | 0-21                 | 22-34                | 35-42                | 43-48                |
| Mathematics           | 0-31                 | 32-38                | 39-46                | 47-48                |
| Science               | 0-28                 | 29-38                | 39-43                | 44-48                |
| Social Studies        | 0-31                 | 32-36                | 37-45                | 46-48                |

| <b>HIGH SCHOOL</b>    | <b>NYSAA Level 1</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 2</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 3</b> | <b>NYSAA Level 4</b> |
|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| English Language Arts | 0-26                 | 27-34                | 35-42                | 43-48                |
| Mathematics           | 0-19                 | 20-34                | 35-45                | 46-48                |
| Science               | 0-23                 | 24-35                | 36-43                | 44-48                |
| Social Studies        | 0-32                 | 33-38                | 39-45                | 46-48                |