



ELIZABETH PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ANNOUNCEMENTS

May 2025



CELEBRATE TEACHER APPRECIATION WEEK MAY 5 – 9

Thank you!



NATIONAL NURSES WEEK

MAY 6-12





Scholarship and FAFSA Nights

February – May

SCHOLARSHIP & FAFSA COMPLETION NIGHTS

- NEED MONEY FOR COLLEGE?
- OUR COUNSELORS WILL BE
- AVAILABLE TO ASSIST WITH FILLING
- OUT SCHOLARSHIPS



**@ DWYER ACADEMY
5:00PM-7:00PM**

February 26th
March 6th
March 25th
April 16th
April 30th
May 14th

For Scholarships:
Please create a GOING MERRY
account prior to attending at
www.GoingMerry.com
For FAFSA:
Create FSA ID Prior to attending
Must bring Laptop & Tax Documents

**FOR MORE
INFORMATION
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PARENT DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP SERIES 2024-2025

SAVE THE DATES

*Translation will be available
in multiple languages*

**KEEPING YOUR KIDS SAFE ONLINE:
LEARN ABOUT ONLINE DANGERS
AND CYBER SAFETY HABITS**

APR 29 / 7PM

VIRTUAL

**IMPROVING SELF-ESTEEM TO
ENHANCE YOUR EDUCATIONAL
SELF-IMPROVEMENT**

MAY 20 / 7PM

VIRTUAL

**LEARNING ABOUT ARTIFICIAL
INTELLIGENCE: BASIC AI**

MAY 6 / 7PM

VIRTUAL

**GROWING CONFIDENT
KIDS: BOOSTING MOTIVATION &
SELF-ESTEEM IN YOUR CHILDREN**

MAY 27 / 7PM

VIRTUAL

**TEAMWORK FOR SUCCESS: BUILDING
EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION AND
RELATIONSHIPS WITH SCHOOLS AND
TEACHERS**

MAY 13 / 7PM

VIRTUAL

**DOLLARS AND SENSE: BUILDING
FINANCIAL LITERACY IN YOUR YOUTH**

JUN 10 / 7PM

VIRTUAL

VIRTUAL LINK WILL BE SENT VIA TEXT & EMAIL

**FINANCIAL FOUNDATIONS: MONEY
MANAGEMENT AND FINANCIAL
LITERACY FOR PARENTS**

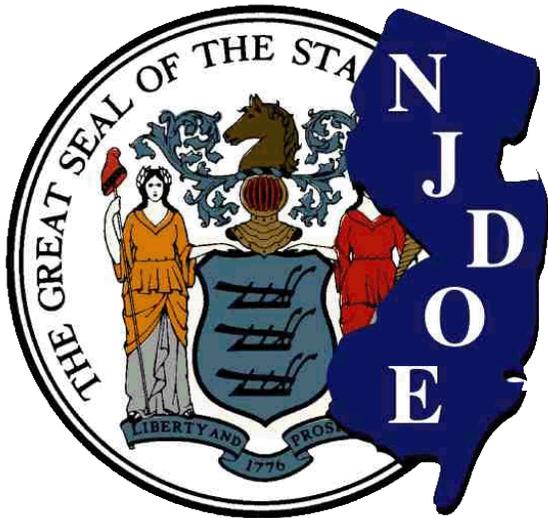
JUN 17 / 7PM

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FOR MORE INFORMATION**



Student Assessments Update



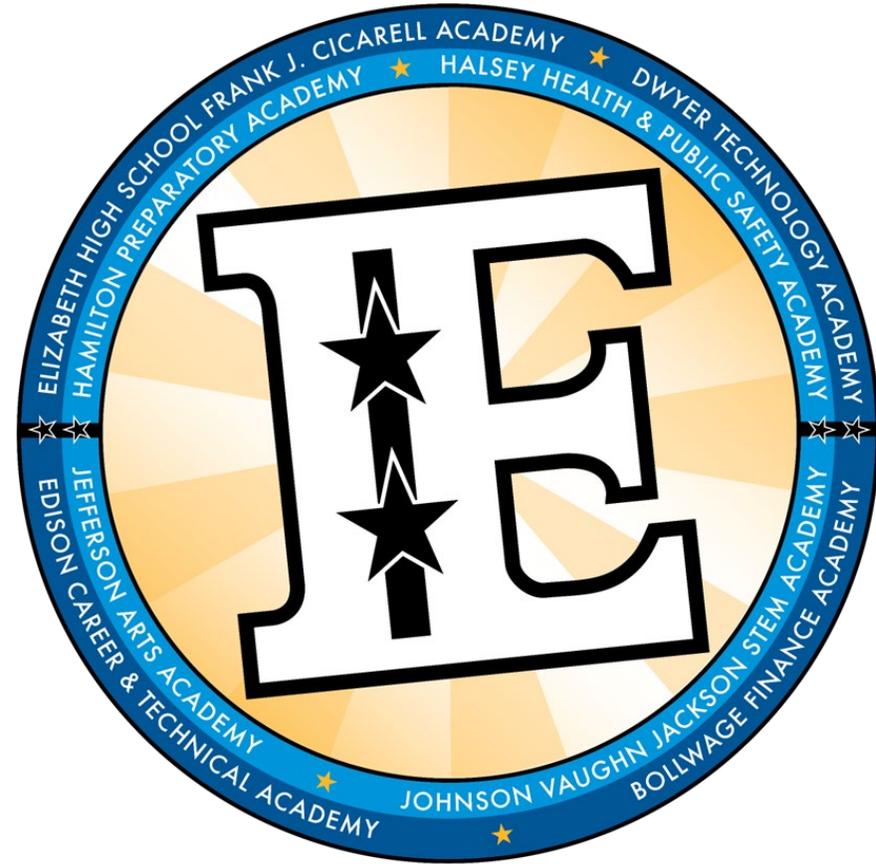
Spring 2025 Assessment Updates

Assessment	Date(s)	Participants
Dynamic Learning Maps (DLM)	April 8 – May 28	Students in grades 3-8 and 11 in place of NJSLA
Advanced Placement (AP)	May 5 – May 16	High School students enrolled in AP courses
NJ Student Learning Assessment (NJ SLA) ELA, Math, Science	May 6 – May 23	Students in grades 3-8 and high school Specific dates per grade level are on the District Website



32nd Annual Excellence Awards Dinner

May 22



TOP 100 Class of 2025



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Every Child, Achieving Excellence

8th Grade Promotion Ceremonies

June 23, 24



8th Grade Promotion Ceremonies

June 23 – 9:00 am

School
George Washington Academy School No. 1
Benjamin Franklin School No. 13
Abraham Lincoln School No. 14
Madison – Monroe School No. 16
Robert Morris School No. 18
John Marshall School No. 20
Sonia Sotomayor School No. 25
Dr. Antonia Pantoja School No.27
Dr. Albert Einstein Academy School No. 29
Chessie Dentley Roberts Academy School No. 30

All 8th Grade students are required to attend school through Tuesday, June 24, 2025. Diplomas will be issued on the last day.

8th Grade Promotion Ceremonies

June 23 – 1:00 pm

School
Nicholas S. LaCorte – Peterstown School No. 3
Joseph Battin School No. 4
Toussaint L'Ouverture – Marquis de Lafayette School No. 6
Terence C. Reilly School No. 7
iPrep Academy School No. 8
Woodrow Wilson School No. 19
Nicholas Murray Butler School No. 23
Dr. Orlando Edreira Academy School No. 26

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8th Grade Promotion Ceremonies

June 24 – 9:00 am

School
Winfield Scott School No. 2
Mabel G. Holmes School No. 5
Jerome Dunn Academy School No. 9
Elmora School No. 12
Christopher Columbus School No. 15
Victor Mravlag School No. 21
William F. Halloran School No. 22
Juan Pablo Duarte – José Julián Martí School No. 28

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High School Graduation/ Class Award Ceremonies

June 24-June 25



High School Graduation/ Class Award Ceremonies

Thomas G. Dunn Sports Center

High School	Date	Time	Arrival
Thomas Jefferson Arts Academy	June 24	8:30am	7:30am
John E. Dwyer Technology Academy	June 24	11:30am	10:30am
Katherine Johnson, Dorothy Vaughn, Mary Jackson STEM Academy	June 24	2:30pm	1:30pm
Admiral William F. Halsey, Jr. Health & Public Safety Academy	June 24	5:30pm	4:30pm
Alexander Hamilton Preparatory Academy	June 25	8:30am	7:30am
Thomas A. Edison Career and Technical Academy	June 25	11:30am	10:30am
Elizabeth High School – Frank J. Cicarell Academy	June 25	2:30pm	1:30pm
J. Christian Bollwage Finance Academy	June 25	5:30pm	4:30pm

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News From Central

Elizabeth Public Schools, Elizabeth, NJ

EPS COORDINATOR OF SCHOOL NURSES NAMED 2025 NJSSNA SCHOOL NURSE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE YEAR



Elizabeth Public Schools Coordinator of School Nurses Marie Verdon has been named School Nurse Administrator of the Year by the New Jersey State School Nurses Association (NJSSNA).

The New Jersey State School Nurses Association's School Nurse Administrator Award is presented annually to publicly recognize and honor a practicing New Jersey school nurse administrator for outstanding leadership in school nursing.

Candidates for the distinguished award must exhibit many outstanding leadership qualities, including engaging, supporting, and empowering all levels of school nurses from novice to expert, acting as a resource for providing evidence based practice and professional development to the school nurses they lead, establishing policies and procedures at the district level, collaborating with school district partners, sharing and promoting a common vision for school health and school community, promoting the professional role of school nursing, and advocating for partnerships and collaboration at the state level, among others.

2025



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in the month of

MAY

May 1

School Principals Day

May 5-9

Teacher Appreciation Week

May 6

National Teacher Day

May 6-12

National Nurses Week

May 7

National School Nurses Day

May 11

Mother's Day

May 18

Haitian Flag Day

May 20

Cuban Flag Day

May 26

Memorial Day

All Month

Better Speech and Hearing Month

All Month

Asian-Pacific Heritage Month

All Month

Haitian American Heritage Month

All Month

Portugal Heritage Month

All Month

Mental Health Awareness Month

All Month

Kindness Awareness Month

All Month

National Military Appreciation Month



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