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Dear Middle School Parent/Guardian:

This letter is to remind you that all Middle School students will be taking the New York State Assessments as follows:

Tuesday, April 2, 2019 Wednesday, April 3, 2019	Gr. 6, 7, 8 ELA Assessment	ALL GRADES regular morning arrival at 7:49 AM After exam, students will follow an altered schedule with regular dismissal at 2:35 PM
Wednesday, May 1, 2019 Thursday, May 2, 2019	Gr. 6, 7, 8 Math Assessment	ALL GRADES regular morning arrival at 7:49 AM *8th Gr. Algebra students ONLY WILL NOT be taking the Gr. 8 NYS Math Assessment. BOTH DAYS they will participate in a review for the upcoming NYS Regents Exams in June. ALL students will follow an altered schedule with regular dismissal at 2:35 PM

*It is important to note that New York State was granted a waiver that eliminates the double testing of grade 8 students enrolled in Algebra. Therefore, grade 8 Algebra students will **NOT** participate in the New York State Mathematics Assessment.

Monday, June 3, 2019	Gr. 8 Science Assessment & Earth Science Lab Practical	ALL GRADES regular morning arrival at 7:49 AM
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As always, attendance is very important and it is essential for your child to arrive on time. Please ensure that your child is well-rested, confident, and eats a nutritious breakfast prior to each testing day. This will help to maximize his/her performance and prevent fatigue. Additionally, all students should bring two #2 pencils AND a book to read each day.

If you have any questions concerning these assessments, please contact the school at 467-6000.

Sincerely,

Joseph C. Licato
Acting Principal

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