



**Five-Year Field-Test Schedule for
New York State Elementary and Intermediate School Level Tests
MATRIX**

State Test	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09
ES Matrix					
Grade 3 ELA	ES1 & ES6	ES2	ES3	ES4	ES5
Grade 3 Math	ES2 & ES7	ES3	ES4	ES5	ES6
Grade 4 ELA	ES3 & ES8	ES4	ES5	ES6	ES7
Grade 4 Math	ES4 & ES9	ES5	ES6	ES7	ES8
Grade 5 ELA	ES5 & ES10	ES6	ES7	ES8	ES9
Grade 5 Math	ES6 & ES1	ES7	ES8	ES9	ES10
Grade 6 ELA	ES7 & ES2	ES8	ES9	ES10	ES1
Grade 6 Math	ES8 & ES3	ES9	ES10	ES1	ES2
Grade 5 Social Studies	ES9 & ES4	ES10	ES1	ES2	ES3
Grade 4 Science	ES10 & ES5	ES1	ES2	ES3	ES4
MS Matrix					
Grade 6 Math	MS1 & MS5	MS2	MS3	MS4	MS5
Grade 6 ELA	MS2 & MS6	MS3	MS4	MS5	MS6
Grade 7 ELA	MS3 & MS7	MS4	MS5	MS6	MS7
Grade 7 Math	MS4 & MS8	MS5	MS6	MS7	MS8
Grade 8 ELA	MS5 & MS1	MS6	MS7	MS8	MS1
Grade 8 Math	MS6 & MS2	MS7	MS8	MS1	MS2
Grade 8 Science	MS7 & MS3	MS8	MS1	MS2	MS3
Grade 8 Social Studies	MS8 & MS4	MS1	MS2	MS3	MS4

Note: This test schedule accommodates field-test needs for all New York State elementary and intermediate school level tests, except for NAEP and NYSESLAT. Additional field test samples are needed for these two tests. The strand assignments for all schools will remain unchanged for the duration of five years. The field test assignments will rotate from year to year.

How to Use the Matrix:

- 1) Find the strand number for your school from 2005-06 Elementary and Intermediate School Level Field Test Strand List on the OSA website at <http://www.emsc.nysed.gov/3-8/fieldtest.htm>.
- 2) Locate your strand in the above Matrix for 2005-06 school year and the corresponding field test assignment(s) for your strand in the first column.

For example, a Strand 2 elementary school (ES2) is scheduled to field test Grade 3 ELA in 2005-06 school year. In 2006-07 school year, the same school will be field-testing Grade 4 Science.