

April 2022

Dear Parent or Guardian,

During the month of April/May, our third through eighth grade students will be taking a number of Pennsylvania System of School Assessment (PSSA) exams for the Spring 2022 testing window. Our schedule for taking these assessments is listed below. Also included in this communication and on our webpage is general information about this testing - Frequently Asked Questions, Code of Conduct for Test Takers, and Guidelines for Electronic Devices. I ask that you please review this information, and if you have questions about the PSSA assessments or the rules governing them, please feel free to contact me at 610.285.6267 x 1108 or via email at [jharakal@circleofseasons.org](mailto:jharakal@circleofseasons.org).

Families wishing to opt out of the Pennsylvania System of School Assessment exams due to conflict with religious beliefs are able to come and review the assessment and provide a statement in writing indicating that the student be excluded from participation. Please contact me to schedule a time to review the assessment at the school. Times for review will be available beginning April 11th through the end of the testing window for each assessment. Parents must opt out of each assessment season. For example, a parent who opted out of this year's fall 2021 assessment and then would also have to formally opt out of the spring test in April 2022. Please contact me if you wish to have your child(ren) opt out of this Spring's PSSA assessment.

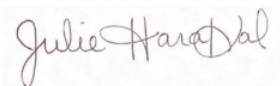
Lastly, we would like all students to perform to the best of their ability on these state assessments and we need your help. In order for them to perform well, we ask as always that they be well rested, eat a healthy breakfast, and arrive promptly to school on testing days. Thank you for supporting your child's achievement and growth!

[PSSA Frequently Asked Questions](#)

[Code of Conduct](#)

[Guidelines for Electronic  
Devices/Calculators](#)

Sincerely,  
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**CIRCLE OF SEASONS CHARTER SCHOOL**  
**2022**  
**PSSA TESTING SCHEDULE**

**PSSA ELA ASSESSMENT**

April 25th to April 27th, 2022

**--GRADES 3-8--**

**PSSA MATH ASSESSMENT**

May 2nd and May 3rd, 2022

**--GRADES 3-8--**

**PSSA SCIENCE ASSESSMENT**

May 4th, 2022

**--GRADES 4 & 8--**

**MAKE UP TESTING**

May 9th through 13th, 2022

**--ALL GRADES--**