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Re: *New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJ ASK) 3-8*

Dear Parents/Guardians:

In order to better expedite the state testing process and thereby better service our students, the New Milford School District has applied for and received a waiver to reorganize the NJ ASK testing schedule so that all elementary grades (three, four and five) will be tested during the same testing block and all middle school grades (six, seven and eight) will be tested during a separate testing block.

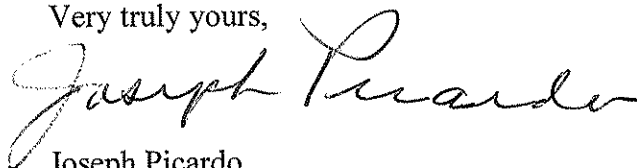
You have already received information regarding the original NJ ASK test dates. Please note that the following revised dates for our district have been approved by the State of New Jersey Department of Education:

- **Grades 6 through 8:**
Regular testing begins on April 27, 2010, and ends on April 30, 2010
Make-up testing begins on May 3, 2010, and ends on May 6, 2010
- **Grades 3 through 5:**
Regular testing begins on May 10, 2010, and ends on May 14, 2010
Make-up testing begins on May 17, 2010, and ends on May 21, 2010

If you have any questions about this revised testing schedule, please call your building principal.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,



Joseph Picardo
Director of Curriculum and Instruction

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