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SUBJECT: Birthdate Ranges for Students with Disabilities Participating in the 2024-25
New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA)

Students with disabilities participating in the New York State Alternate Assessment (NYSAA) are assessed according to chronological ages aligned with grade levels. The chart below provides information on the age ranges for students with disabilities participating in the 2024-25 NYSAA. Students should be tested based on their birthdate in the content areas indicated for each grade level. Please contact the Office of State Assessment at 518-474-5902 or by email at emscassessinfo@nysed.gov if you have any questions regarding the NYSAA.

Birthdate	NYSAA Grade and Component	Reaches this Age Between September 1, 2024 and
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