

State Testing Regulations

State: Pennsylvania

Assessment: PSSA, PASA, WIDA, ACCESS

Applied for waiver: unknown

Opt out process for parents:

Parents have the right to make educational decisions for their child, including whether to participate in statewide testing. School should provide alternative educational assignment. Please check with your district for more information.

Federal restrictions to opt out: none

Consequences of opt out:

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Changes in testing requirements: n/a

PI n 2020, PSSA tests were not required

Links/resources:

[https://www.education.pa.gov/K-](https://www.education.pa.gov/K-12/Assessment%20and%20Accountability/PSSA/Pages/default.aspx)

[12/Assessment%20and%20Accountability/PSSA/Pages/default.aspx,](https://www.education.pa.gov/K-12/Assessment%20and%20Accountability/PSSA/Pages/default.aspx)

[https://why.org/articles/how-to-opt-your-child-out-of-the-](https://why.org/articles/how-to-opt-your-child-out-of-the-pssas/#:~:text=As%20a%20parent%20of%20a,in%20and%20review%20the%20tes)

[pssas/#:~:text=As%20a%20parent%20of%20a,in%20and%20review%20the%20tes](https://why.org/articles/how-to-opt-your-child-out-of-the-pssas/#:~:text=As%20a%20parent%20of%20a,in%20and%20review%20the%20tes)

[t. https://www.inquirer.com/education/pssa-keystone-pennsylvania-cancel-](https://www.inquirer.com/education/pssa-keystone-pennsylvania-cancel-exam-20201005.html)

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