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SUBJECT: Sample template of the 2015-16 Partnership for Assessment of Readiness for College and Careers (PARCC) Individual Student Report (ISR) available online

The design of the PARCC Individual Student Reports (ISR) has been updated. School districts will receive ISRs later this summer and will then distribute to students' families. The Department encourages districts to become familiar with the redesigned ISR that parents will be receiving so they can be prepared to address questions regarding the information in the reports.

[Sample templates](#) of the new ISRs can be viewed on the NJDOE's website. This modified report is a result of the New Jersey Department of Education's (NJDOE) continued efforts to improve how parents use and view PARCC information.

We remain committed to ensuring that New Jersey educators are prepared to use assessment data as one tool to measure academic progress, inform instruction, and improve student learning. Districts can also expect to have access through the Pearson Access Next (PAN) platform to their student, school, and district-level data later this summer.

For questions or concerns, contact the Office of Assessments at assessment@doe.state.nj.us or (609) 984-6311.

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