



DELSEA REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

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2016 PARCC Testing Refusal Form

I understand that students in the classes of 2016, 2017, 2018, and 2019 must demonstrate proficiency in English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics by either passing the PARCC assessment, meeting the 'cut score' on a substitute assessment, or by meeting the criteria of the New Jersey Department of Education (NJDOE) portfolio appeal process. Requirements for students in the classes of 2020 and beyond have not yet been determined by the state. I also understand that if my child does not demonstrate proficiency in either area by senior year they will be enrolled in an enrichment course to build their graduation portfolio. By refusing the PARCC exam I understand that I am taking away an opportunity for my child to demonstrate proficiency in ELA and/or Math. I am also acknowledging that my child could potentially not meet the requirements necessary for graduation.

After reading the above statements I have decided to refuse my child, against the recommendation of the Delsea Regional High School District, from participating in the upcoming PARCC assessment. This form is valid for the 2016 PARCC test administration only.

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____ Date: _____

School (circle one): Delsea Regional High School Delsea Regional Middle School

Student Signature: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Parent Phone Number: _____

Parent Email Address: _____

**An administrator may call/email you to verify this decision*

This form must be returned by the deadline below so that your child can be removed from the testing room. Non-testing students are still expected to be in school and will be given alternate classwork.

Middle School: Return to Mrs. Bryfogle by April 15th

High School: Return to Mr. Berardelli by April 11th