

## **State testing information for parents**

3-8 New York State testing in ELA will take place on the following dates:

Tuesday, March 28<sup>th</sup>, Wednesday, March 29<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, March 30<sup>th</sup>.

Testing will begin each day at 8:30 AM. While testing times may vary, generally it will take most students between 70 and 90 minutes to finish each day.

While students and teachers have been working hard all year long to prepare for these tests, we need your help to make sure that students come to school on those days having had plenty of rest the night before. A healthy breakfast also helps. Don't forget that Friendship Central School District provides a free breakfast to every student.

Our goal is for each student to try his/her best on these tests, as these assessments provide useful data to us as a school and can help us better deliver our instruction to students.

Please see the document from New York State, which provides further information on these assessments.

Don't hesitate to call the school at 585-973-3311 if you have any further questions.