New York State Next Generation English Language Arts (ELA) Learning Standards
Instruction and Assessment Implementation Timeline

**Phase I**
Raise Awareness

- **2018**
  - April 2018: Release of the NYS Next Generation ELA & Mathematics Learning Standards Implementation Roadmap

**Phase II**
Build Capacity

- **2018-2022**
  - Spring 2022: Last administration of NYS Grades 3-8 state assessments aligned to the NYS P-12 Learning Standards for English Language Arts & Literacy (2010)

**Phase III**
Full Implementation

- **2022-2023**
  - Spring 2023: First administration of NYS Grades 3-8 state assessments aligned to the NYS Next Generation English Language Arts Learning Standards

- **2023-2026**
  - September 2023 for Grade 9 (Grade 10 and Grade 11 remain aligned to NYS P-12 Learning Standards for ELA & Literacy)

- **2023-2026**
  - June 2026: First administration of ELA Regents Exam aligned to the NYS Next Generation English Language Arts Learning Standards

- **2027**
  - June 2027: Last administration of ELA Regents aligned to the NYS P-12 Learning Standards for English Language Arts & Literacy (2010)

**Ongoing Curriculum & Professional Development**

- Instruction aligned to NYS Next Generation English Language Arts (ELA) Learning Standards begins...

- September 2022 for Grades PK-8
- September 2024 for Grade 10 (Grade 11 remains aligned to NYS P-12 Learning Standards for ELA & Literacy)
- September 2025 for Grade 11

**State Level English Language Arts Assessment Development & Implementation**

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