

2018 NYSESLAT Enhancements

Grade Band	Modality	Enhancement
All grade bands	Speaking	New sample questions better prepare students for Speaking tasks and include graphics.
All grade bands	Speaking	Follow-up statements have been added to some questions at the Transitioning, Expanding, and Commanding levels, allowing examiners to elicit more language by saying, “Tell me more,” or “Why/Why not?” when appropriate.
Grades 1–12	Speaking	Graphics have been added to most of the text-based questions.