**Changes to Regents Social Studies Assessment and Curriculum Implementation: Global History and Geography**

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|  | **TEST ADMINISTRATION DATES** | | **TEST DESIGN** | **COURSE COVERAGE** | **CURRICULUM BASE** |
| **CURRENT** | **June 2017** | January 2017  August 2017  January 2018 | **Current Regents:**  Current Test Design | **2 Years**  9th and 10th Grades | **1998 Core Curriculum** |
| **TRANSITION** | **June 2018** | August 2018  January 2019 | **Transition Year Regents:** Current Test Design (modified for 1 year content) | **1 Year**  10th Grade | **1998 Core Curriculum** |
| **OVERLAP\*** | **June 2019**  **June 2020** | August 2019  January 2020 | **Transition Year Regents:** Current Test Design (modified for 1 year content)  **OR**  **New Global History and Geography II Regents:** New Test Design | **1 Year**  10th Grade | **1998 Core Curriculum**  **OR**  **2014 NYS Social Studies Framework** |
| **NEW** | **After June 2020** | | **New Global History and Geography II Regents:** New Test Design | **1 Year**  10th Grade | **2014 NYS Social Studies Framework** |

\*Choice of exam at discretion of local district

**Changes to Global History and Geography Regents Test Design**

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| **Current Regents** | **Transition Year Regents** | **New Global History and Geography II Regents** |
| 50 Multiple Choice Questions | 30 Multiple Choice Questions | 25-30 Stimulus Based Multiple Choice Questions |
| 1 Thematic Essay | 1 Thematic Essay | 3 Sets of Short Answer Questions |
| 1 DBQ with Scaffolding Questions and Essay | 1 DBQ with Scaffolding Questions and Essay | 1 Extended Essay |