

NM-MSSA Calculator Use in Mathematics		
Grade	Session 1	Session 2
3	None	Basic
4	None	Basic
5	None	Basic
6	None	Basic
7	None	Scientific
8	None	Scientific

*Students should be thoroughly familiar with the operation of the calculator they plan to use on the assessment.*

## Paper-Based Test (PBT)

- Students in **grades 3–5** who are taking the PBT can use a school provided or personal four-function calculator with a square root key during Session 2.
- Students in **grade 6** who are taking the PBT can use their own four-function calculator with a square root key during Session 2.
- Students in **grades 7–8** who are taking the PBT can use their own scientific calculator during Session 2.
- The memory on any handheld calculator **must be cleared** before the test begins.*

## Computer-Based Test (CBT)

- A calculator is available online on the eMetric platform.
- Students in **grades 3–5** who are taking the CBT can use a school provided or personal four-function calculator with a square root key during Session 2.
- Students in **grade 6** who are taking the CBT can use a school provided or personal four-function calculator with a square root key during Session 2.
- Students in **grades 7–8** who are taking the CBT can use a school provided or personal scientific calculator during Session 2.
- The memory on any handheld calculator **must be cleared** before the test begins.* You can clear the memory on the TI-30XS by:

### **Reset the TI-30XS MultiView**

- You can ensure that everyone starts at the same point by having students reset the calculator: Press **on** and **clear** simultaneously or press **2nd** **[reset]** and then select **2** (Yes).

The images below show the calculators that are available for use on the online testing platform.



## **Calculator Accommodations**

For students with Individualized Education Programs (IEPs), follow each child's documented and required accommodations.