



Building Purposeful Leaders Where Everyone Shines Through Achievement

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Florida Assessment of Student Thinking (FAST) is a progress monitoring system that is administered three times per year to track your student's progress in learning the Benchmarks of Excellent Student Thinking (B.E.S.T.) Standards throughout this school year. The purpose of this letter is to inform you that your student will take the K-2 Renaissance Star Early Literacy, Star Reading, and/or Star Math assessment(s) on the following dates:

GRADE	ASSESSMENT	DATE
KINDERGARTEN	STAR EARLY LITERACY	AUGUST 27 TH
KINDERGARTEN	STAR MATH	AUGUST 28 TH
1 ST GRADE	STAR EARLY LITERACY	AUGUST 25 TH
1 ST GRADE	STAR MATH	AUGUST 26 TH
2 ND GRADE	STAR READING	AUGUST 19 TH
2 ND GRADE	STAR MATH	AUGUST 20 TH

Your student's results from PM1 are for informational purposes only, and you will be able to access the results on the family portal at <https://flfamilyportal.cambiumast.com/>. The access code can be found on HAC.

FAST assessments are computer-adaptive tests taken on a computer. The questions get easier or more difficult depending on how the student responds, and each student will see different questions. If you or your student would like to review sample items at home, sample test items are available at <https://flfast.org/families.html>.

The Star Early Literacy assessment typically takes less than 15 minutes to complete. The Star Reading assessment is usually completed in less than 20 minutes, and the Star Math assessment typically takes less than 30 minutes to complete.

If you have any questions related to this test administration, you may contact Audra Wilson at audra.wilson@stjohns.k12.fl.us or 904-547-4223.

For more information about the Florida Statewide Assessments program, please visit the portal at <https://flfast.org/fsa.html>.

Thank you for supporting your student and encouraging him or her to do his or her best during this test administration.

Sincerely,

Zachary Strom

Principal