



LIBERTY PINES ACADEMY

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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 Renaissance Star Early Literacy, Star Reading, and/or Star Math assessments on the following administration dates:

Grade Level	Assessment	Date Administered
Kindergarten	STAR Early Literacy	Wednesday, September 9 th
1 st Grade	STAR Early Literacy	Wednesday, August 26 th
2 nd Grade	STAR Reading	Monday, August 24 th

Grade Level	Assessment	Date Administered
Kindergarten	STAR Math	Wednesday, September 16 th
1 st Grade	STAR Math	Friday, August 28 th
2 nd Grade	STAR Math	Thursday, August 27 th

Your student's results from PM1 are for informational purposes only, and you can view your student's scores in the [Florida Statewide Assessments Family Portal](#).

FAST assessments are computer-adaptive tests taken on a computer or tablet. The questions get less or more difficult depending on how your student responds, and each student will see different questions from a common item bank. You or your student can review sample items at home 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 Mandi York at Amanda.York@stjohns.k12.fl.us.

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 on the test.

Sincerely,

JP Swope