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Dear Parent/Guardian,

The Florida Assessment of Student Thinking (FAST) is a progress monitoring test that is administered three times per year to track your student's progress in learning the Benchmarks for Excellent Student Thinking (B.E.S.T.) Standards.

Grade Level	Assessment	Date
Kindergarten	STAR Early Literacy	August 24 th
1 st Grade	STAR Early Literacy	August 28 th
2 nd Grade	STAR Reading	August 25 th

Grade Level	Assessment	Date
Kindergarten	STAR Math	September 4 th
1 st Grade	STAR Math	September 8 th
2 nd Grade	STAR Math	September 10 th

The results from PM1 are for informational purposes only. You will be provided information about how to see your student's results after testing is completed.

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>.

Estimated Assessment Times	
STAR Early Literacy	15 min
STAR Reading	20 min
STAR Math	30 min

If you have any questions related to this test administration, you may contact Caly McCullum at caly.mccullum@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.

Gratefully,

Mr. Hoessler, your proud MOA principal