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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 participate in the third administration (PM3) of the following assessments on the dates listed:

		Date
Grade Level	Assessment	Administered
Kindergarten	Star Early Literacy	April 17 th
Kindergarten	Star Math	April 24 th
1 st Grade	Star Reading	April 20 th
1 st Grade	Star Math	April 27 th
2 nd Grade	Star Reading	April 21 st
2 nd Grade	Star Math	April 25 th

The results from PM3 will show how well your student has mastered the grade level content standards, and you will be provided with a paper copy of the results shortly after testing is completed. You may also access results online through the Family Portal at https://fl-familyportal.cambiumast.com/. Please note, at this time it is uncertain how quickly the portal will be updated after testing. In order to log into the portal, you will need a unique 6-digit access code that can be found in HAC under the registration tab. It will be labeled as the statewide assessment access code. This code will consist of letters and numbers and is not the student ID number.

Your student's FAST assessments are computer-adaptive tests taken on a computer or tablet. The questions get less or more difficult depending on how a 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/resources/renaissance-star/renaissance-star/renaissance-star.

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

For more information about the Florida Statewide Assessments program, please visit the portal at FLFAST.org.

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

Sincerely,

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