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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 Kindergarten Renaissance Star Early Literacy and Star Math assessments on December 4th and December 6th. Your student's results from PM2 are for informational purposes only, and your student's teacher will provide you with information about the results after testing is completed.

If you or your student would like to review Star Early Literacy or Star Math sample items at home, sample test items are available at <a href="https://flfast.org/resources/renaissance-star/rena

The Star Early Literacy assessment typically takes less than 20 minutes to complete, 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 Sherry McLellan at sherry.mclellan@stjohns.k12.fl.us.

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

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

Sincerely,

Nikki Appelquist