

Welcome Parent FSA Presentation

Presented by the 3rd and 4th Grade Teams
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Parent FSA Meeting

- The purpose of this presentation is to answer any questions or concerns you may have about the FSA.
- Please feel free to ask your child's teacher any and all questions that this presentation may not address.
- [Blow Away the FSA Attendance 1.26.22](#)
- [Blow Away the FSA Evaluation 1.26.22](#)

FSA Dates

- 2021-2022 FSA is scheduled for:
 - 3rd Grade ELA April 7th & 8th
 - 3rd Grade Math May 9th & 10th
 - 4th Grade Writing April 5th
 - 4th Grade ELA May 3rd & 4th
 - 4th Grade Math May 9th & 10th
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- Students will have a practice test for both ELA and Math.

About the Test:

- 4th Grade Writing-120 minutes-with a break
- 3rd & 4th Grade ELA & Math-80 minutes-with a break
- Students are instructed to stay seated and quiet while testing is going on. They may only have their FSA testing materials out; not even a book to read when they are finished. They are instructed to go back and check their work if they finish before time is called.

About the Test:

- It is very important that students go back and check their work. Not only that they are satisfied with their answers, but that they have checked each page for unanswered questions. Any question that is left blank will be scored as a wrong answer.
- Teachers are not allowed to answer any questions or give any feedback, so it's very important that your child uses all the strategies they have been taught.

About the Test:

- FSA is a pass fail test. The state of Florida will retain any 3rd grade student that does not score a Level 2 or higher on the ELA portion of the test.
- There are options for students that score a 1 to be able to advance to 4th grade:
 1. Summer Reading Camp here at Newberry
 2. Take the Sat 10
 3. Istation: an overall reading score of 247 in May.

What you can do at home:

- Make sure they are independently reading each night.
- Students should also be practicing on Istation as much as they can at home. Of course both reading and math are important, however 3rd grade should focus on reading skills. Third grade students will need an overall reading score of 247 for their May ISIP.
- FSA portal has practice tests they can do at home; students can log on through their student portal.

Night Before and Morning of Test:

- Make sure they go to bed early and get a good night's sleep.
- Make sure they eat breakfast at home or school.
- Make sure they are at school on time, 7:45 am. Students that arrive late will be held in a holding room until all testing is complete. They will have to make up their test at a different time.
- Encourage your student the night before and the morning of. *They are rockstars!!*

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- Teachers work very hard all year to prepare the students.
- Students work very hard all year to prepare.
- All support from home is greatly appreciated, and will only contribute to greater success for your student.
- Thank you all for your support, and for all you are doing at home. We greatly appreciate it:)

Thank you so much for joining our presentation.

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- Please complete our [Blow Away the FSA Parent Evaluation 1.26.22](#)

