Florida Kindergarten Readiness Screener (FLKRS)

Grade/Students

All new students in Kindergarten.

Date

This assessment is administered within the first 30 days of each school year.

Description

The FLKRS is made up of two separate measures: The Work Sampling System (WSS) and the screening portion of the Florida Assessments for Instruction in Reading – Florida Standards (FAIR-FS).

The WSS is a developmental authentic performance assessment designed to help teachers optimize the use of daily classroom experiences and activities to document and evaluate children's skills, knowledge, and behavior. The FAIR-FS measures the growth and development of early literacy skills which include alphabetics, oral language and comprehension. All new kindergarten students are assessed for school readiness with these instruments.

Results

School Report of Student Results and School Summary Results are provided online by the contractor in December/January. The Voluntary Prekindergarten (VPK) Provider Readiness Rates are determined by FLKRS.

Basis of Test

State mandate

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