

Florida Voluntary Prekindergarten Assessment (FVPKA)

Grade/Students

All new students in prekindergarten

Date

The assessment is administered during three assessment periods in September, January and April/May.

Description

The Florida Voluntary Prekindergarten Assessment (FVPKA) is made up of four measures: Print Knowledge, Phonological Awareness, Mathematics, and Oral Language/Vocabulary. The purpose of the FVPKA is to provide teachers with valid and reliable feedback regarding students' progress in attaining the skills in the *Florida Development and Early Learning Standards for Four-Year-Olds*. Teachers use this information to guide instructional decisions in the VPK classroom.

The FVPKA is administered during three Administration Periods. Assessment Period 1 is from September 3 – 30, 2013. Assessment Period 2 is from January 7 – February 4, 2014. Assessment Period 3 is from April 22 – May 16, 2014.

Results

The VPK Assessment Online Reporting System will provide teachers with a user friendly tool to track children's progress on the Standards for Four-Year-Olds. Students' results are immediately available online.

Basis of Test

State mandate

Website

<https://www.brightbeginningsfl.org>

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