Florida Standards Assessments
End-of-Course Assessments
Fact Sheet

NOTE: Pursuant to Florida Department of Education Emergency Order No. 2020-EO-1, spring K-12 statewide assessment test administrations for the 2019-20 school year that were scheduled after March 16, 2020, were canceled. All information in this fact sheet reflects general information about the statewide assessment program.

Florida Standards Assessments (FSA) End-of-Course (EOC) Overview
This fact sheet provides information about the Algebra 1 and Geometry EOC assessments that measure student achievement of the Florida Standards as outlined in their course descriptions. For information on FSA English Language Arts (ELA) and Mathematics assessments, see the FSA English Language Arts and Mathematics Fact Sheet.

FSA EOC Assessments—Students to Be Tested
All students enrolled in and completing one of the courses aligned to the Florida Standards listed in the table below participate in the appropriate assessment. In accordance with section 1008.22(3)(b)2., Florida Statutes, middle grades students will not be tested on both FSA Mathematics and a mathematics EOC assessment. Middle grades students enrolled in Algebra 1 or Geometry must take the corresponding EOC assessment, not the grade-level mathematics assessment.

Table 1. FSA EOC Assessment Corresponding Course List

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| Algebra 1 | Algebra 1 – 1200310  
|           | Algebra 1 Honors – 1200320  
|           | Algebra 1-B – 1200380  
|           | Pre-AP Algebra 1 – 1200386  
|           | Pre-AICE Mathematics 1 – 1209810  
|           | IB Middle Years Program/Algebra 1 Honors – 1200390 |
| Geometry | Geometry – 1206310  
|           | Geometry Honors – 1206320  
|           | IB Middle Years Program Geometry Honors – 1206810  
|           | Pre-AICE Mathematics 2 – 1209820 |

In addition, the following students are eligible to participate in FSA EOC assessments:

- Students who need to retake an assessment for graduation purposes (Algebra 1 only).
- Students who have not yet taken an assessment to be averaged as 30% of their course grades.
- Students who are in grade forgiveness programs and wish to retake an assessment to improve their course grades.
- Students who need to earn a passing score for a standard diploma with a Scholar designation (Geometry only).
- Students in a credit acceleration program (CAP) who wish to take the assessment to earn course credit.
Test Administration Information

- The FSA EOC assessments are delivered via a computer-based test (CBT) platform called the Test Delivery System.
- Paper-based versions (regular print, large print, braille, and one-item-per-page) of CBT assessments are provided for students with disabilities who cannot access assessments on the computer as specified in their Individual Educational Plans (IEP) or Section 504 Plans.
- CBT accommodations (e.g., text-to-speech) are available for students whose IEPs or Section 504 Plans indicate these accommodations.
- Each assessment is administered in two 90-minute sessions over two days.
- Any student not finished by the end of each 90-minute session may continue working for up to half the length of a typical school day.
- There are multiple test forms for each assessment, with a maximum of 68 items on each test form. The Test Design Summary and Blueprint for FSA mathematics provides a map or blueprint for how each EOC assessment is designed. The summaries show the standards assessed within each reporting category and the representation of each category, in percentages, on the test.
- Students are provided CBT Work Folders for each EOC session.
- A scientific calculator is provided as part of the CBT platform for Session 2 only of FSA EOC assessments. The calculator is available for practice on the Florida Statewide Assessments Portal. Please see the Calculator and Reference Sheet Policies for Florida Standards Assessments Mathematics Assessments for more information.

Practice Tests

- Practice test materials allow teachers, parents/guardians, and students to become familiar with the various item types that will be encountered on the FSA, as well as the system, functionality and tools on FSA computer-based tests.
- Computer-based and paper-based practice tests and answer keys for each assessment, as well as paper-based test item practice handouts, are available on the portal’s Practice Test page. For resources to better understand the Florida Standards to which the assessments are aligned, please visit CPALMS.
- Students are required to participate in a CBT practice test session at their schools prior to testing unless they are retaking an assessment.
- Districts may order paper-based large print or braille practice materials for students participating with these accommodations.

Achievement Levels and FSA Scale Scores

Student performance on Florida’s statewide assessments is categorized into five achievement levels. Table 2 provides information regarding student performance at each achievement level; this information is provided on student reports so that students, parents, and educators may interpret student results in a meaningful way.

Table 2. Achievement Levels

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<td>Inadequate: Highly likely to need substantial support for the next grade</td>
<td>Below Satisfactory: Likely to need substantial support for the next grade</td>
<td>Satisfactory: May need additional support for the next grade</td>
<td>Proficient: Likely to excel in the next grade</td>
<td>Mastery: Highly likely to excel in the next grade</td>
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Achievement Level Descriptions further specify what students should know and be able to do in each grade level and subject as indicated in the Florida Standards.

Achievement level cut scores for FSA assessments were adopted in State Board of Education Rule 6A-1.09422, Florida Administrative Code, in January 2016. The lowest score in Level 3 is the passing score for each grade level and subject. The table below shows the score ranges for each achievement level on the FSA score scale.

### Table 3. FSA EOC Scale Scores for Each Achievement Level

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<td>Algebra 1 EOC</td>
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Please visit the FDOE website and the portal for more information about the statewide assessment program.