

# Understanding Florida Statewide Assessment Reports

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# **Understanding FSA & NGSSS Reports**

# Introduction

This document has been prepared to help you understand the score reports for the Florida Statewide Assessments. It includes explanations of the reports, information about the content assessed, and a glossary of the terms used in the reports. The explanations provided for the sample reports apply to all grade levels unless otherwise noted.

Starting in the Summer 2020 administration, reporting for the Florida Statewide Assessments will be available in **PearsonAccess Next Reporting**. These include reports for the Florida Standards Assessments (FSA) in ELA and Mathematics and the Next Generation Sunshine State Standards (NGSSS) in Science and Social Studies.

Districts will receive paper copies of individual score reports for distribution to parents/students. All reports, including student-, school-, district-, and state-level reports, can be found in PearsonAccess Next Reporting. The results posted in PearsonAccess Next Reporting are restricted because they contain confidential student information. Only authorized district and school personnel can log in to the reporting system. Please see the PearsonAccess Next Reporting System User Guide on the Testing Resources page on the Florida Statewide Assessments portal for more information.

Note: Terms that are defined in the **glossary** appear in **bold** text the first time they are used in a section.

# **Purpose of the Assessments**

All Florida schools teach the Florida Standards Assessments (FSA) in ELA and Mathematics and the Next Generation Sunshine State Standards (NGSSS) in Science and Social Studies. Student performance provides important information to parents/guardians, teachers, policy makers, and the general public regarding how well students are learning.

# Subjects/Grade Levels Tested in 2020

- Summer, Fall, and Winter EOC Assessments
  - o Algebra 1
  - o Biology 1
  - o Civics
  - o Geometry
  - $\circ$  U.S. History
- Fall ELA Retake (Writing and Reading)

Most students, including English language learner (ELL) and exceptional student education (ESE) students, enrolled in the tested grade levels or courses participate in Florida Statewide Assessment administrations. Allowable accommodations are provided to ELL and ESE students who have accommodations documented on their Individual Education Plans (IEPs) or Section 504 Plans.

# Florida Statewide Assessment Scores

Florida Statewide Assessment results are reported at the student, school, district, and state levels. <u>Table 3</u> provides a list of reports, the format in which the report is delivered, the grade levels for which each report is provided, and the page of this document on which each type of report is described.

# **Scale Scores and Performance Levels**

After the Spring 2015 baseline FSA administration, the Florida Department of Education (FDOE) conducted the **standard setting** process to establish the cut scores for the **performance levels**, also called **achievement levels**, for ELA and Mathematics. The Florida State Board of Education adopted **achievement level cut scores** in January 2016 in State Board of Education Rule 6A-1.09422, Florida Administrative Code (FAC). Information regarding standard setting is available on the FDOE <u>Standard Setting page</u>. Both **scale scores** and performance levels are reported for ELA and Mathematics assessments. The scales on which students receive scores differ by grade and subject.

After the baseline administration for each NGSSS assessment, FDOE conducted the standard setting process to establish achievement level cut scores. The Florida State Board of Education adopted achievement level cut scores in State Board of Education Rule 6A-1.09422, Florida Administrative Code, for the Statewide Science Assessment and the Biology 1 EOC Assessment on December 12, 2012; the U.S. History EOC Assessment on January 21, 2014; and the Civics EOC Assessment on January 14, 2015. Information regarding standard setting is available on the FDOE Standard Setting page.

Performance levels describe a student's success with the content assessed. Performance levels range from 1 to 5, with Level 1 as the lowest and Level 5 as the highest. For all assessments, Level 3 indicates satisfactory performance. The passing score for each assessment is the minimum scale score in Performance Level 3.

For more detailed information about how the assessments are scored, please see the <u>Statewide Assessment Program</u> <u>Information Guide</u>.



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# **Table 1. Performance Levels**

Assessment	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5
ELA Retake	284-333	334-349	350-361	362-377	378-412
Algebra 1 EOC	425-486	487-496	497-517	518-531	532-575
Biology 1 EOC	325–368	369–394	395–420	421–430	431-475
Civics EOC	325–375	376–393	394–412	413–427	428–475
Geometry EOC	425-485	486-498	499-520	521-532	533-575
U.S. History EOC	325–377	378–396	397–416	417–431	432–475

# Table 2. Florida Statewide Assessments Scale Scores for Each Performance Level

# **Passing Scores and Alternate Passing Scores**

For all grade levels and subjects, the minimum **scale score** in **performance level** 3 is identified as the **passing score**. Earning passing scores on the Grade 10 ELA and Algebra 1 EOC assessments is required for graduation with a standard high school diploma. A passing score on the Geometry EOC assessment is required for students to qualify for the Scholar Designation but is not a graduation requirement.

Students who took the Grade 10 ELA or Algebra 1 EOC assessment in the Spring 2015 FSA **baseline administration** are eligible to use an **alternate passing score** for these assessments. The alternate passing scores are linked to the passing scores on the previous statewide assessments (the FCAT 2.0 Grade 10 Reading Assessment and the NGSSS Algebra 1). In addition, students may earn a comparative or concordant score to meet an assessment graduation requirement. Passing scores, alternate passing scores, concordant, and comparative score options and policies are explained in <u>Graduation</u> <u>Requirements for Florida's Statewide Assessments</u>.

# **Reporting Category Performance Details**

Each **reporting category** represents groups of similar skills, or **benchmarks**, that are assessed within each grade and subject. Reporting category performance is conveyed by displaying the **points earned** and the **points possible** for each category.

# **Codes for No Data Reported**

The following abbreviations may appear on some student-level reports to indicate that no data are reported. The codes below describe the reasons that a field may be left blank on EOC educator reports.

- NR (Not Reported) indicates that no data are reported for one of the following reasons:
- o NR2-Did Not Meet Attemptedness Criteria
- NR3—Marked Do Not Score
- NR5—Below-Grade Tester
- NR6—Duplicated Record
- NR7—FDOE Hold
- NR8—Caveon Invalidated

A dash (–) on the school-, district-, or state-level reports appears when data are suppressed. To provide meaningful results and to protect the privacy of individual students, no data are reported if the number of students is fewer than ten. If all students would be reported in the same **performance level**, the data are suppressed, with the exception that the percentage passing and/or the totaled percentage of Performance Levels 3–5 are reported on summary educator reports.

In addition to NR codes, the following **writing condition codes** for the ELA Retake will be available in the ELA District Student Results files, the Excel version of the School Report of Students, and the Individual Score Reports. These codes indicate why a student's writing response cannot be scored.

- A—Blank\*
- B—Insufficient
- C—Off-Topic\*\*
- D—Foreign Language
- F—Illegible/Incomprehensible
- G—Copied Text

\*Individual Score Reports for ELA tests are not provided for students whose ELA Writing received the condition code A (Blank). \*\* Responses with condition code C (off-topic) may receive up to two score points for Conventions of Standard English.

# Student, School, District, and State Reports

# **Table 3: Reports, Format of Delivery, and Grades**

	Report Type	Format of Delivery	Grade/Subject	Page of Report Description
lent orts	ELA Retake Individual Score Report	Paper	ELA Retake	<u>6</u>
Student Reports	EOC Individual Score Report	Paper/Online	All EOC Subjects	<u>10</u>
School Reports	ELA Retake School Report of Students	Online	ELA Retake	<u>13</u>
Sch Rep	EOC School Report of Students	Online	All EOC Subjects	<u>13</u>
	ELA Retake District Report of Schools	Online	ELA Retake	<u>15</u>
District Reports	EOC District Report of Schools	Online	All EOC Subjects	<u>15</u>
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	EOC District Summary	Online	All EOC Subjects	<u>16</u>
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State Reports	ELA Retake State Summary	Online	ELA Retake	<u>18</u>
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# What's New

For the Summer 2020 administration, USBs will no longer be mailed to districts. Instead, paper ISRs will be mailed and electronic versions made available in the **PearsonAccess Next Reporting** system.

# **ELA Retake Individual Score Report**

The ELA Retake Individual Score Report is a four-page color report. The report provides general information about the testing program and the student's assessment results, including the student's **scale score**, **performance level**, **previous performance**, and **reporting category scores**. The report also indicates how the student's performance compares to that of other students who took the same test in the same school, district, and the state, and provides a list of helpful resources. The information on this report is presented in English, Spanish, and Haitian Creole.

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	ble describes the knowledge and skills assessed in each reporting category on the assessment. The colu / the number of points possible and number of points earned by your student in each category.	imns to the	; right
REPO	RTING CATEGORIES	POINTS EARNED*	POIN
Key Ideas and Details	In this category, students are expected to read closely to understand information; cite textual evidence to support inferences/conclusions; analyze development and interaction of central ideas, themes, individuals, events, or supporting ideas; and summarize key concepts. En esta categoría, se espera que los estudiantes lean de manera atenta para entender la información, citen pruebas textuales para respaldar sus inferencias/conclusiones, analicen el desarrollo y la interacción de ideas, temas, personas y eventos centrales o ideas de respaldo y resuman los conceptos clave. Nan kategorí sa a, elèv yo sipoze kapab li byen pou konprann enfômasyon; site tèks kôm prèv pou sipôte dediksyon/konklizyon; analize devlopman ak entèraksyon ide santral; tèm, endividi, evènman,	99	9!
Craft and Structure	oswa ide sipò, epi rezime konsèp prensipal yo. In this category, students are expected to interpret connotative and figurative meanings of words/ phrases, analyze how word choice affects meaning/tone and how text structures impact the text, and determine the effects of point of view or purpose. En esta categoría, se espera que los estudiantes interpreten los significados connotativos y figurativos de palabras/oraciones, analicen de qué forma la elección de palabras afecta el significado/tono y cómo las estructuras del texto afectan el texto y determinen los efectos del punto de vista o el objetivo. Nan kategori sa a, elèv yo sipoze kapab entèprete siyifikasyon konotatif ak figiratif molfraz, analize kijan chwa mo afekte sans/ton ak fason estrikti tèks la kapab enfliyanse tèks la, epi detèmine dé	99	9!
Integration of Knowledge and Ideas	In this category, students are expected to integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media formats; evaluate arguments for claims, validity, relevance, and sufficient evidence; and analyze treatment of similar themes or topics. En esta categoría, se espera que los estudiantes integren y evalúen el contenido presentado en diversos formatos y medios, evalúen los argumentos empleados para respaldar las afirmaciones, la validez, la relevancia y la suficiencia de las pruebas y analicen el tratamiento que se hace de ideas principales o temas similares. Nan kategori sa a, elèv yo sipoze kapab entegre ak evalye kontni yo prezante nan diferan fôma; evalye agiman pou deklarasyon, validite, pétinans, ak ase prèv; epi analize tretman têm oswa sijê ki sanble.	99	9(
Language and Editing	In this category, students are expected to demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling. En esta categoría, se espera que los estudiantes demuestren dominio de las convenciones de la gramática, el uso general, el uso de mayúsculas, la puntuación y la ortografía del inglés. Nan kategori sa a, elév yo sipoze kapab demontre yo ka metrize nóm gramè, fason pou itilize, ekriti an majiskil ak miniskil, ponktyasyon, ak òtograf lang angle estanda.	99	99
Text-Based Writing	In this category, students are expected to draw relevant evidence from various texts to support a claim or controlling idea and produce clear and coherent writing with development, organization, and style appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. En esta categoria, se espera que los estudiantes extraigan pruebas relevantes de varios textos para respaldar una afirmación o idea de control y creen redacciones claras y coherentes cuyo desarrollo, organización y estilo se adapten a la tarea, el objetivo y la audiencia. Nan kategori sa a, elèv yo sipoze kapab tire prèv ki apwopriye nan diferan tèks pou sipòte yon deklarasyon oswa ide enpôtan; Ekri yon fason ki klè epi rasyonèl ak devlopman, òganizasyon, ak estil ki apwopriye pou travay, objektif, ak piblik la.	99	99

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Performance Details: A table lists the reporting categories assessed. The Points Earned column shows the actual number of points earned by the student. The Points Possible column provides the total number of points possible for each of the reporting categories.

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component of the ELA assessment. For m		ur student in each domain of the writing nd scoring samplers on the FSA Portal.
STATEMENT OF PURPOSE, FOCUS, AND ORGANIZATION	EVIDENCE AND ELABORATION	CONVENTIONS OF STANDARD ENGLISH
points. The response is adequately sustained and generally focused within the purpose, audience, and task. It has a controlling idea/claim and evident	Your student earned 3 out of 4 possible points. The response provides adequate support with cited evidence for the controlling idea/writer's claim that ncludes the use of sources, facts, and details.	Your student earned 2 out of 2 possible points. The response demonstrates an adequate command of basic conventions. The response may include some minor errors in usage, but no patterns of errors. It includes adequate use of punctuation, capitalization, sentence formation, and spelling.
posibles. La respuesta está bien fundamentada y, en términos generales, centrada en el objetivo, la audiencia y la tarea. Tiene una idea de	Su estudiante obtuvo 3 de los 4 puntos posibles. La respuesta incluye argumentos adecuados con pruebas citadas para respaldar la idea de control/afirmación del autor e incluye el uso de fuentes, hechos y detalles.	Su estudiante obtuvo 2 de los 2 puntos posibles. La respuesta demuestra un dominio adecuado de las convenciones básicas. La respuesta puede incluir errores menores en el uso, pero no presenta patrones de errores. Incluye el uso adecuado de la puntuación, el uso de mayúsculas, la formación de oraciones y la ortografía.
posib. Li te kore repons li yo ase epi jeneralman li te konsantre sou objektif, piblik, ak travay li gen pou fè a. Li te	Pitit ou ta te fê 3 pwen sou 4 pwen posib. Repons li a te bay ase sipò ak prèv site pou ide kontwöl/deklarasyon ekriven an ki te titilze sous, enfòmasyon, ak detay yo byen.	Pitit ou ta te fê 2 pwen sou 2 pwen posib. Repons la montre li pa ka metrize ase nôm debaz. Repons la ka gen kêk ti erê nan tilizasyon, men li pa gen anpil fôt. Li itilize ase ponktyasyon, lêt majiskil ak miniskil lê li sipoze, fômasyon fraz, ak ôtograf.

## JOSEPH'S PERFORMANCE COMPARED

This table shows the percentage of students in each performance level in your student's school, district, and the state.

	School	District	State
Level 5	20%	20%	20%
Level 4	20%	20%	20%
Level 3	20%	20%	20%
Level 2	20%	20%	20%
Level 1	20%	20%	20%

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Writing Performance: For ELA Retake reports, this chart indicates the number of points earned by the student and the number of points possible for each domain of the Writing assessment.

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Performance Compared: A table lists the percentage of students in each performance level in the student's school, district, and the state. The performance level in which the student scored is highlighted.

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#### THE FLORIDA STANDARDS ASSESSMENTS ELA RETAKE SCORE REPORT

## RECOMMENDED RESOURCES

#### FSA Portal

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The FSA Portal is the gateway for FSA information and resources (<u>www.fsassessments.org</u>), including FSA practice tests for both computer-based and paper-based tests, and the Students & Families page.

The following resources can be found on the Students & Families page:

- Understanding FSA Reports this document provides additional information about this report and the scoring process.
- FSA Fact Sheet this document contains test administration and policy information for the assessment.
- Statewide Assessment Program Information Guide this guide describes the processes involved in developing, administering, and scoring the FSA.
- Graduation Requirements for Florida's Statewide Assessments this document describes assessments required for graduation by student cohort.

#### FDOE Website

You are encouraged to browse the department's website (www.fldoe.org) for many useful parent resources, including the following:

Just Read, Florida!

- Third Grade Guidance and Resources this web page provides policies and resources related to third grade promotion.
   Just Read, Families! this web page contains resources for families to promote literacy and reading engagement.
- · Middle Grades Promotion Requirements this web page provides the courses required for middle grades promotion.

#### CPALMS

FSA assessments are written to the Florida Standards, and CPALMS (<u>http://www.cpalms.orq</u>) is the portal for resources related to the Florida Standards. You may visit this site to review the standards for each grade level and subject or course to help support your student and understand the expectations for learning at each stage of your student's education.



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# **EOC Individual Score Reports**

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REPO	ORTING CATEGORIES	POINTS EARNED*	PO POS
Algebra and Modeling	In this category, students are expected to perform operations on polynomials; understand the relationship between zeros and factors of polynomials; use mathematical structure of expressions; create, solve, and reason with equations and inequalities; and choose and use appropriate mathematics to model situations. En esta categoría, se espera que los estudiantes realicen operaciones con polinomios, entiendan la relación entre ceros y factores de polinomios, usen la estructura matemática de las expresiones, creen, resuelvan y razonen ecuaciones y desigualdades, y escojan y usen las expresiones matemáticas adecuadas para modelar situaciones. Nan kategori sa a, elèv yo sipoze kapab fé operasyon sou polinomyal; konprann relasyon ant zewo ak fakté polinomyal yo; itilize estrikti ekspresyon matemátik; kreye, rezoud, ak fé rezonnman avèk ekwasyon ak inegalite; epi chwazi epi itilize matemáti apwopriye pou kreye modèl sitiyasyon.	99	ç
Functions and Modeling	In this category, students are expected to understand the concept of a function; interpret functions and key features in a context; analyze and graph functions; build a function that models a relationship; construct linear, quadratic, and exponential functions; and solve problems using functions. En esta categoría, se espera que los estudiantes entiendan el concepto de función, interpreten las funciones y las características clave dentro de un contexto, analicen y grafiquen funciones, creen una función que modele una relación, construyan funciones lineales, cuadráticas y exponenciales, y resuelvan problemas usando funciones. Nan kategori sa a, elèv yo sipoze kapab konprann konsèp yon fonksyon; entèprete fonksyon ak prensipal karakteristik nan yon kontèks; analize epi trase fonksyon; ekri yon fonksyon ki montre modèl yon relasyon; konstwi fonksyon lineyè, kadratik, ak ekponansyèl; epi rezoud pwoblèm ak fonksyon.	99	ę
Statistics and the Number System	In this category, students are expected to extend the properties of exponents to rational exponents; use properties of rational and irrational numbers; summarize, represent, and interpret data for one- and two-variable data; and interpret linear models. En esta categoría, se espera que los estudiantes extiendan las propiedades de los exponentes a los exponentes racionales, usen las propiedades de los números racionales e irracionales, resuman, representen e interpreten información para datos de una y dos variables, e interpreten modelos lineales. Nan kategori sa a, elèv yo sipoze kapab agrandi pwopriyete ekspozan sou ekspozan rasyonèl; itilize pwopriyete nonm rasyonèl ak irasyonèl, rezime, reprezante, ak entèprete done pou done youn ak de varyab; epi entèprete modèl lineyè.	99	9

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Performance Details: A table lists the EOC reporting categories assessed. The Points Earned column shows the actual number of points earned by the student. The Points Possible column provides the total number of points possible for each of the reporting categories.

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#### THE FLORIDA STANDARDS ASSESSMENTS ALGEBRA 1 SCORE REPORT

#### JOSEPH'S PERFORMANCE COMPARED

	School	District	State
Level 5	20%	20%	20%
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# **School Report of Students**

The School Report of Students for all assessments are available in the **PearsonAccess Next Reporting** system. Reports are produced for each assessment, and will contain results, listed by grade level, for all students tested within the school. In addition, a district-level School Report of Students is available for district users and contains the School Report of Students for all schools in the district.

# **ELA Retake and EOC Assessments**

Algebra 1 FSA EOC Assessment School Report of Students Summer 2020		Schoo Schoo Distri Distri	ol ID ct	SCHOOLNAME 9999 DISTRICTNAME 99			
				Performance Level		rned/Point Content A	
Student Name	FLEID	Scale Score (425-575)	Passed	Level 1 (425-486) Level 2 (487-496) Level 3 (497-517) Level 4 (518-531) Level 5 (532-575)	Algebra and Modeling	Functions and Modeling	Statistics and the
GRADE 8							
LASTNAME001ABCD, FIRSTNAME			Ν	2	99/99	99/99	99/9
LASTNAME002, FIRSTNAME	FL9999999999999	NR3					
LASTNAMEMAXNUM003, FIRSTNAMEMAX	FL99999999999999	999	Y	3	99/99	99/99	99/
LASTNAME004, FIRSTNAME	FL9999999999999	999	Ν	1	99/99	99/99	99/9
LASTNAME005, FIRSTNAME	FL99999999999999	NR2					
GRADE 9				_			
LASTNAME006, FIRSTNAME	FL99999999999999	999	Y	4	99/99	99/99	99/
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LASTNAME008, FIRSTNAME	FL9999999999999	NR8					
GRADE 10				-			
LASTNAME009, FIRSTNAME	FL9999999999999	999	Y	3	99/99	99/99	99/9
LASTNAME010, FIRSTNAME	FL9999999999999	999	Y	4	99/99	99/99	99/
GRADE 11							
LASTNAME011, FIRSTNAME	FL99999999999999		Y*	2	99/99	99/99	99/
LASTNAME012, FIRSTNAME	FL9999999999999						
LASTNAME013, FIRSTNAME	FL99999999999999	999	Y	3	99/99	99/99	99/
GRADE 12				-			
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**Top of Report:** The subject, title of the report, administration, school, and district information are listed at the top of the report.

Report Results Table: A table lists each student's name, FLEID, scale score, performance level, and the points earned/points possible by content area. The scale score ranges for each performance level are indicated in the subheading of the Performance Level column, and results are presented by grade level in ascending order.

If a student received an NR code, it will appear in the Scale Score column.

Note: A passing indicator is listed for the ELA Retake assessment.



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Bottom of Report: Footnotes on how to read certain results in the table are included at the bottom of the report, along with the page number of the report and the administration and year for which the results were released.

# **District and State Reports of Results**

This section provides information on the District Report of Schools, District Summary, State Report of Districts, and State Summary reports. These reports (shown on the following pages) are formatted similarly and include the following features:



**Report Results Table:** Identifying information for the district or school is provided in the first column. On the District Summary and State Summary, grade level information is also provided in this column. The number of students tested, **mean scale score**, and, on certain reports, the **percentage passing** appears after the identifying information. The percentage of students in each **performance level** is provided on the right side of the table along with a percentage of the passing levels (Levels 3–5).

Bottom of Report: Footnotes on how to read certain results in the table are included here, along with the page number of the report and the administration and year for which the results were released. The District Summary and State Summary reports for ELA and Mathematics also include a table of the scale score ranges for each performance level by grade.

# **District Report of Schools**

FSA ELA & Mathematics Assessments						Sta	' <mark>l</mark> tewide	ri Asses	
Algebra 1 FSA EOC Assessment District Report of Schools Summer 2020		Distri Distri		STRICTN	AME				
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	Number of Students	Mean Scale Score (425-575)	Percentage Passing	Level 1 (425-486)	Level 2 (487-496)	Level 3 (497-517)	(518-531)	Level 5 (532-575)	Levels 2. F
0003 – SCHOOL THREE									
School Totals for First-Time Testers									
Grade 7	0								
Grade 9	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
All Grades	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
School Total for Retakers									
All Grades	99	_	999	_	_	_	_	_	999
School Total									
All Grades	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
3300 - SCHOOL THREE THOUSAND 1	THREE HUN	DRED							
School Totals for First-Time Testers									
Grade 9	99	_	999	-	_	_	_	_	999
Grade 10	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 30	0								
All Grades	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
School Total for Retakers									
All Grades	9	_	_	—	—	_	_	_	_
School Total									
All Grades	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
9999 – SCHOOLNAME									
School Totals for First-Time Testers									
Grade 8	9	_	_	—	_	_	_	_	_
Grade 9	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 10	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 11	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 12	999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 30	99	_	999	—	_	_	_	_	999
All Grades	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999

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# **District Summary Report**

FSA ELA & Mathematics Assessments							1]@		
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	Performance Level								
	Number of Students	Mean Scale Score (425-575)	Percentage Passing	Level 1 (425-486)	Level 2 (487-496)	Level 3 (497-517)	Level 4 (518-531)	Level 5 (532-575)	Levels 2. K
District									,
District Totals for First-Time Testers									
Grade 7	0								
Grade 8	9	_	_	—	_	_	_	_	-
Grade 9	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 10	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 11	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 12	999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 30	99	_	999	—	_	_	_	_	999
All Grades	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
District Total for Retakers									
All Grades	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
District Total									
All Grades	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
State									
State Totals for First-Time Testers	0								
Grade 3	9	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Grade 4	9	_	_	-	_	_	_	—	_
Grade 5	9 99								
Grade 6 Grade 7	99	999 999	999 999	99 99	99 99	99 99	99 99	99 99	999
									999
Grade 8	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 9	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 10	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 11	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 12	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 30	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
All Grades	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999



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	Number of Students	Mean Scale Score (425-575)	Percentage Passing	Level 1 (425-486)	Level 2 (487-496)	Level 3 (497-517)	Level 4 (518-531)	Level 5 (532-575)	Levels
70 – DISTRICT 70									
District Totals for First-Time Testers									
Grade 4	9	_	_	-	-	_	-	_	_
Grade 5	9	_	_	-	_	_	_	—	_
Grade 9	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 10	999		999	99					999
Grade 11 All Grades	9,999 99,999	999 999	999 999	99	99 99	99 99	99 99	99 99	999
District Total for Retakers	99,999	333	999	99	33	99	99	99	993
All Grades	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
District Total	3,333	555	555	55	- 55	55	55	- 55	- 33.
All Grades	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
77 – DISTRICT 77									
District Totals for First-Time Testers									
Grade 3	9	_	_	-	_	_	_	_	_
Grade 6	99	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 8	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 10	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
All Grades	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
District Total for Retakers									
All Grades	9	_	_	-	_	_	-		
District Total	000.000								
All Grades	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
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# **State Summary Report**

Summer 2020		e		Percentage in Each Performance Level					
	Number of Students	Mean Scale Score (425-575)	Percentage Passing	Level 1 (425-486)	Level 2 (487-496)	Level 3 (497-517)	Level 4 (518-531)	Level 5 (532-575)	Levels
State	•								_
State Totals for First-Time Testers									
Grade 3	9	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	-
Grade 4	9	_	_	_	_	_	_	_	_
Grade 5	9	_	_	_	_	_	—	—	_
Grade 6	99	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 7	999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	99
Grade 8	9,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 9	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 10	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 11	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 12	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
Grade 30	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
All Grades	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
State Total for Retakers									
All Grades	99,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999
State Total									
All Grades	999,999	999	999	99	99	99	99	99	999



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# **Reporting Categories**

The content of each assessment is organized by **Reporting Category**. Reporting categories group the assessed student knowledge and skills into broad content areas.

As the text-based writing reporting category is also broken out into three **writing domain scores**, the cautions and information below should be taken into consideration when interpreting these sub-scores provided in the writing performance section.

Reporting categories should not be considered the sole indicators for determining the educational needs of students. Furthermore, providing instruction in a specific reporting category may not be justified and may actually be an inefficient use of instructional time.

When interpreting student results provided under the performance details for each reporting category, the following cautions and information should be considered:

- The number of **items** in a reporting category will vary by grade level (ELA and Mathematics assessments or Statewide Science Assessment) and test form (EOC assessments). Consequently, users should not compare **reporting category scores** across grade levels or test forms.
- The difficulty of the items measuring each **benchmark** will vary from one year to the next. Consequently, users should not compare reporting category scores across years.

Definitions for each reporting category for each of the assessments are provided below. The writing domains for the ELA Writing component are defined with the text-based writing reporting category. For more information about how the ELA Writing component is scored, please see the Writing Scoring Samplers and Rubrics posted within the <u>Practice Tests</u> section of the <u>Florida Statewide Assessments Portal</u>.

# **ELA Retake Reporting Categories**

ELA assessments measure student performance of the Florida Standards in English language arts. For all grade levels tested, the ELA tests assess what students know and are able to do in the broad reporting categories listed below. The difficulty of the concepts assessed on the ELA tests progresses systematically from grade to grade, as does the complexity of the text presented to the student at each grade level.

# **ELA Retake**

# • Key Ideas and Details

In this category, students are expected to read closely to understand information; cite textual evidence to support inferences/conclusions; analyze development and interaction of central ideas, themes, individuals, events, or supporting ideas; and summarize key concepts.

# Craft and Structure

In this category, students are expected to interpret connotative and figurative meanings of words/phrases, analyze how word choice affects meaning/tone and how text structures impact the text, and determine the effects of point of view or purpose.

• Integration of Knowledge and Ideas

In this category, students are expected to integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media formats; evaluate arguments for claims, validity, relevance, and sufficient evidence; and analyze treatment of similar themes or topics.

# • Language and Editing

In this category, students are expected to demonstrate command of the conventions of standard English grammar, usage, capitalization, punctuation, and spelling.

# Text-Based Writing

In this category, students are expected to draw relevant evidence from various texts to support a claim or controlling idea and produce clear and coherent writing with development, organization, and style appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

# • Purpose, Focus, and Organization

In this domain, students are expected to write a response that is fully sustained and consistently focused within the purpose, audience, and task. It should have a clearly stated controlling idea/opinion and effective organizational structure creating coherence and completeness.

# • Evidence and Elaboration

In this domain, students are expected to write a response that provides thorough and convincing support with cited evidence for the controlling idea/writer's claim that includes the effective use of sources, facts, and details.

# **o** Conventions of Standard English

In this domain, students are expected to write a response that demonstrates an adequate command of basic conventions. The response may include some minor errors in usage, but no patterns of errors. It should include adequate use of punctuation, capitalization, sentence formation, and spelling.

# **EOC Reporting Categories**

The content of the EOC assessments is organized by reporting categories that are used for test design, scoring, and reporting purposes. Reporting categories group the assessed student knowledge and skills into broad content areas. Definitions for each **reporting category** are provided below for each of the EOC assessments.

# Algebra 1 and Retake

# • Algebra and Modeling

In this category, students are expected to perform operations on polynomials; understand the relationship between zeros and factors of polynomials; use mathematical structure of expressions; create, solve, and reason with equations and inequalities; and choose and use appropriate mathematics to model situations.

# • Functions and Modeling

In this category, students are expected to understand the concept of a function; interpret functions and key features in a context; analyze and graph functions; build a function that models a relationship; construct linear, quadratic, and exponential functions; and solve problems using functions.

# • Statistics and the Number System

In this category, students are expected to extend the properties of exponents to rational exponents; use properties of rational and irrational numbers; summarize, represent, and interpret data for one- and two-variable data; and interpret linear models.

# Geometry

# • Congruence, Similarity, Right Triangles, and Trigonometry

In this category, students are expected to understand congruence and similarity in terms of transformations, prove and use geometric theorems, demonstrate geometric constructions, define trigonometric ratios, solve problems involving right triangles, and use congruence and similarity criteria for triangles.

# • Circles, Geometric Measurement, and Geometric Properties with Equations

In this category, students are expected to prove and apply theorems about circles, find arc lengths and areas of sectors, derive the equation of a circle, use coordinates to prove theorems and to solve problems algebraically, and explain and use volume formulas.

# • Modeling with Geometry

In this category, students are expected to apply geometric concepts in modeling situations.

# Biology 1

# • Molecular and Cellular Biology

In this category, students are expected to compare prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells, differentiate between mitosis and meiosis, relate the structure and function of the four major categories of biological macromolecules, and differentiate the processes of photosynthesis and cellular respiration.

# • Classification, Heredity, and Evolution

In this category, students are expected to identify evidence that supports the scientific theory of evolution, classify organisms into domains or kingdoms, identify scientific explanations of the origin of life, determine conditions required for natural selection, and analyze patterns of inheritance.

# • Organisms, Populations, and Ecosystems

In this category, students are expected to relate structure and function of organs and tissues in plants and animals, evaluate factors contributing to changes in population size, determine consequences of the loss of biodiversity, and evaluate the impact of biotechnology.

# Civics

# • Origins and Purposes of Law and Government

In this category, students are expected to identify the origin, course, and development of the American legal and political traditions; the inherent conflicts involved in formulating those documents which would establish the nation; and how those concepts of the rule of law, limited government, and checks and balances remained constant through the first centuries of American history.

# • Roles, Rights, and Responsibilities of Citizens

In this category, students are expected to understand and define the concepts of citizen and citizenship with their corresponding obligations, rights, and responsibilities; explain the role of the Constitution in safeguarding individual rights and limiting government power; and evaluate the impact of relevant constitutional amendments and the significance and outcomes of landmark Supreme Court decisions.

# • Government Policies and Political Processes

In this category, students are expected to identify current political parties and formulate ideas regarding government, examine the impact of interest groups, evaluate political candidates, analyze the role of media in policy issues, identify appropriate government agencies for resolving policy debates, comprehend and differentiate concepts related to U.S. domestic and foreign policy, and describe how the United States has dealt with international conflicts.

# • Organizations and Functions of Government

In this category, students are expected to compare the different forms and systems of government, understand the role of the three branches of government, recognize the division of federal and state obligations and powers, articulate the constitutional amendment process, understand the judicial process, and compare the Constitutions of the United States and Florida.

# **U.S. History**

# • Late Nineteenth and Early Twentieth Centuries (1860–1910)

In this category, students are expected to understand and articulate the impact of issues related to the Civil War, Reconstruction, the closing of the frontier, the industrialization of the nation, and changes in American society at the beginning of the twentieth century.

# Global Military, Political, and Economic Challenges (1890–1940) In this category, students are expected to understand and articulate the impact of the issues related to the rise of American military power; America's increased involvement in world affairs; and changing social, political, and economic forces affecting the 1920s and 1930s.

# • The United States and the Defense of the International Peace (1940–2010)

In this category, students are expected to understand and articulate the impact of issues related to World War II, the Cold War, the social revolutions of the late twentieth century, and the challenges of the early twenty-first century.

# Glossary

Note: Terms defined in this glossary that have been cross-referenced appear in **bold text** the first time they are referenced in a definition other than their own.

# Achievement Levels— See Performance Levels.

Achievement Level Cut Scores—The minimum scale scores for placement in each of the five performance levels. The cut scores are established through a process called standard setting and were established in <u>State Board of Education</u> <u>Rule 6A-1.09422, FAC</u>.

Alternate Passing Score—The passing score that students who participated in the baseline administration (prior to the establishment of achievement level cut scores) may use to meet the graduation requirement for passing the Grade 10 ELA/Retake and Algebra 1/Retake EOC (or to receive the scholar designation by passing the Geometry EOC assessment).

**Baseline Administration**—The first administration of new assessments aligned to statewide standards. The FSA baseline administration took place in Spring 2015. Student results from the baseline administration are used in the process of **standard setting**.

Benchmark—A specific statement that describes what students should know and be able to do.

**Computer-Based Test (CBT)**— In 2020, the U.S. History, Civics, Biology, ELA Retake, Algebra 1, Algebra 1 Retake, and Geometry assessments were given in a computer-based format, with paper-based accommodations provided for eligible students. When taking the test on the computer, students record their answer choices using the mouse or keyboard, and they may use various CBT tools, such as a highlighter or notepad, as they respond. Before exiting the assessment and submitting their responses, students are taken to a screen that identifies questions that are answered, unanswered, and marked for review.

**Florida Education Identifier (FLEID)**—A code issued by FDOE used to uniquely identify a person in Florida's education data system.

**FSA Reporting System**—The system used to access any Spring 2020 or earlier reporting results until December 2020. Only authorized users have access to this system. All historical data will be moved to **PearsonAccess Next Reporting** by the end of August 2020.

**Items**—Test questions that students are required to answer. Information about item types are included in the Test Item Specifications available on the <u>Florida Statewide Assessments Portal</u>. In addition, student practice tests (also available on the portal) include possible item types students may encounter on a test.

**Mean**—An average of the individual scores that describes the performance of a group of students. The mean is computed by finding the sum of all scores and dividing by the number of scores used in the sum.

Mean Scale Score—The calculated mean scale score of all students at the school, district, or state level.

**Multiple-Choice**—Test questions that present students with several options from which to choose the correct answer. The U.S. History, Civics, Biology 1, and Science assessments use multiple-choice **items** in which four choices are given, only one of which is correct.

**Next Generation Sunshine State Standards (NGSSS)**—The core content of the science and social studies curricula taught in Florida. For 2018–19, the NGSSS specify the core content knowledge and skills that K–12 public school

students are expected to acquire in the subject areas of science, social studies, visual and performing arts, physical education, health, and foreign languages. The NGSSS **benchmarks** identify what a student should know and be able to do at each grade level for each subject area.

**PearsonAccess Next Reporting**—This website is used for reporting scores for all assessments. Users will log into PearsonAccess Next Reporting using their TIDE username and password beginning in August 2020.

**Passing Score**—The minimum scale score in performance level 3 for each grade and subject. For the grade 10 ELA and EOC assessments, see alternate passing score.

**Performance Level**— Also referred to as **achievement levels**, five categories of performance that represent the success students demonstrate with the content assessed. The performance levels are helpful in interpreting what a student's score represents. Performance levels range from 1 to 5, with Level 1 being the lowest and Level 5 being the highest. Achieving a score in Level 3 or higher is considered satisfactory. The minimum score in Level 3 is the **passing score** for each assessment.

**Points Earned**— The number of raw score points earned by the student in a **Reporting Category**.

**Points Possible**—The number of raw score points that may be earned in a **Reporting Category**. The number of points possible in a reporting category may change slightly each year.

**Previous Performance**— The performance of a student in the selected subject, ELA or Mathematics, in past administrations.

**Reporting Category**—Broad content areas into which the assessed student knowledge and skills are grouped.

**Reporting Category Scores**—The **points earned** out of the **points possible** for each **Reporting Category**. Reporting category scores are also referred to as raw scores.

**Scale Score**—A scale score is used to report student results on the entire test on the applicable scale. An overall theta score, which is dependent on how a student answers individual **items**, is calculated and converted to the scale score in order to reflect the student's **performance level**.

**Standard Setting**—The process by which **achievement level cut scores** are established. Standard setting is based on input from educators, community and business leaders, and the public, as well as the state's education leadership.

**Writing Condition Code**—The descriptor assigned to a student ELA Writing response indicating the reason an irregular score was assigned. (For example, "C" indicates a response that is off topic but receives a conventions score of 0–2. Similarly, "G" indicates a response that is completely copied text and receives a score of 0.)

**Writing Domain Scores**— While the ELA Writing component is one category (Text-Based Writing) that contributes to the overall ELA score, there are three domain scores awarded for each response. The sum of these sub-scores is the total score for the Text-Based Writing **Reporting Category** (10 raw score points).

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