



Spring 2008  
Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test®  
Sunshine State Standards Reading and Mathematics  
Student and Parent Report  
Grade 3

FCAT STUDENT 1

ID XXXXX1234X  
School 9999-SUNSHINE  
ELEMENTARY SCHOOL  
District 99-SUNSHINE DISTRICT

Dear Parent/Guardian,

The FCAT is part of Florida’s plan to improve student achievement. It measures challenging content standards, called the Sunshine State Standards (SSS). The purpose of the FCAT is to ensure that Florida’s public schools are providing your student with the best education possible, and preparing your student for future success.

This report allows you to compare your student’s score to the score expected of students in his or her grade and to follow your student’s academic progress from year to year. In addition, by looking at the content scores, you can identify skill areas that may need improvement.

Yours truly,

Dr. Eric J. Smith  
Commissioner of Education

*Estimado padre o tutor:*

*El fcát es parte del plan del estado de Florida para medir el rendimiento de los estudiantes. El examen mide ciertos estándares de contenido exigentes, llamados Sunshine State Standards (sss). El propósito del FCAT es asegurar que las escuelas públicas de Florida proporcionen a los estudiantes la mejor educación posible y los preparen para tener éxito en el futuro.*

*Este informe le permite comparar la calificación de su estudiante con la calificación esperada de los estudiantes de su grado y seguir el progreso académico de su estudiante año tras año. Además, al observar las calificaciones usted puede identificar áreas de capacitación en las que él o ella necesite mejorar su rendimiento.*

*Atentamente,*

*Dr. Eric J. Smith  
Comisionado en educación*

*Chè Paran/Responsab:*

*FCAT se yon pati nan plan Eta Florida pou evalye siksè elèv yo. Li mezire estanda difikilte ki gen nan kontni a, sa yo rele Sunshine State Standards (SSS). Objektif FCAT la se pou yo ka sèten lekòl piblik nan Florid ap bay elèv ou pi bon edikasyon ki posib la epi lap prepare elèv ou a byen pou l ka gen siksè nan lavni.*

*Rapò sa a pèmèt ou konpare nòt elèv ou ak nòt ki te prevwa pou elèv nan klas li epi pou swiv pwogrè akademik elèv ou ane apre ane. Anplis, ou ka idantifye nan ki matyè elèv la bezwen fè amelyorasyon si ou gade nòt pou kontni yo.*

*Salitasyon espesyal pou ou,*

*Dr. Eric J. Smith  
Komisè Edikasyon*

Date: 11/07/07

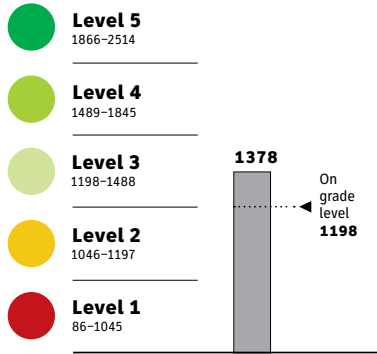


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**Your Student's 2008  
 FCAT Reading Score**



Your student's FCAT Score is **1378**, which is in achievement **Level 3** for Reading.

*La calificación del examen FCAT del estudiante es 1378, lo cual lo ubica en el nivel 3 de Lectura.*

*Nòt FCAT elèv ou a se 1378, ki nan Nivo 3 reyisit pou Lekti.*

The FCAT Score shows your student's achievement on the day he or she was tested. If your student were to take this same test again, it is likely that his or her 2008 FCAT Reading Score would be between 1278 and 1478.

**Content Areas**

Content Area	Points Possible	Points Earned	State Mean
<b>Words / Phrases:</b> uses skills to determine word meaning, including word parts and relationships between words.	7	6	4
<b>Main Idea / Purpose:</b> determines a stated or implied essential message, details author's purpose or plot.	20	14	13
<b>Comparisons:</b> knows similar and different, cause and effect, and compare and contrast.	10	8	7
<b>Reference / Research:</b> uses information from a variety of sources to reach conclusions.	14	9	10

*Palabras / Frases:* usa la habilidad para determinar el significado de las palabras, lo cual incluye partes de palabras y las relaciones entre ellas.

*Idea principal / Propósito:* determina un mensaje esencial expreso o implícito, detalles del propósito del autor o el argumento.

*Comparaciones:* conoce similar y diferente, causa y efecto y comparación y contraste.

*Información / Investigación:* usa la información de una variedad de fuentes para llegar a conclusiones.

*Mo / Fraz:* itilize aptitud pou detèmine siyifikasyon mo yo, sa vle di chak pati nan mo yo epi relasyon ki genyen ant mo yo.

*Ide Prensipal / Objektif:* detèmine yon mesaj esansyèl ki deklare oswa sijere, bay detay sou objektif oswa plan otè a.

*Konparezon:* konnen menm ak diferan, kòz ak efè epi konpare.

*Referans / Rechèch:* itilize enfòmasyon ki sot nan plizyè sous pou dedwi konklizyon.

**Achievement Levels**

Five categories describe the success students have with the content tested on the FCAT SSS Reading. In order to be considered on grade level, students must achieve Level 3 or higher.

**Level 5** indicates success with the content on the FCAT by answering most questions correctly.

**Level 4** indicates success with the content on the FCAT by answering most questions correctly, except for the most challenging.

**Level 3** indicates partial success with the content on the FCAT.

**Level 2** indicates limited success with the content on the FCAT.

**Level 1** indicates little success with the content on the FCAT.

The score ranges for Achievement Levels are different for each grade level. Achievement Level ranges for all grades are available from school guidance counselors or refer to Understanding FCAT Reports found on [www.fldoe.org](http://www.fldoe.org).

**Your Student's Reading Scores Over Time**

Longitudinal results are not displayed for Grade 3 students. A student at this grade level must score at Level 2 or higher on the Reading portion of this test in order to be promoted.

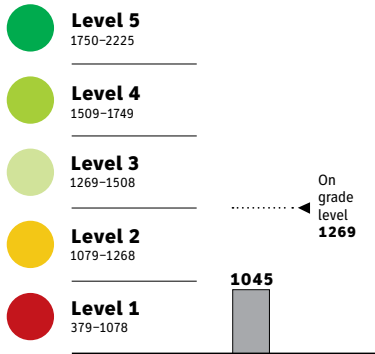


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## FCAT STUDENT1

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### Your Student's 2008 FCAT Mathematics Score



Your student's FCAT Score is **1045**, which is in achievement **Level 1** for Mathematics.

*La calificación del examen FCAT del estudiante es 1045, lo cual lo ubica en el nivel 1 de Matemáticas.*

*Nòt FCAT elèv ou a se 1045, ki nan Nivo 1 reyisit pou Matematik.*

The FCAT Score shows your student's achievement on the day he or she was tested. If your student were to take this same test again, it is likely that his or her 2008 FCAT Mathematics Score would be between 945 and 1145.

#### Content Areas

Content Area	Points Possible	Points Earned	State Mean
<b>Number Sense:</b> uses number concepts and computation skills.	10	8	7
<b>Measurement:</b> solves problems involving measurements, e.g., time, weight, length, area.	12	4	9
<b>Geometry:</b> analyzes and combines shapes to solve problems.	14	9	11
<b>Algebraic Thinking:</b> analyzes patterns and uses equations and inequalities.	9	7	8
<b>Data Analysis and Probability:</b> uses data analysis tools to display information, make predictions, and make inferences.	12	10	9

**Número Sentido:** usa conceptos numéricos y habilidades de cómputo.

**Medida:** resuelve problemas que incluyen medidas, por ejemplo: tiempo, peso, longitud y área.

**Geometría:** analiza y combina las formas geométricas para resolver problemas.

**Razonamiento algebraico:** analiza patrones y usa ecuaciones y desigualdades.

**Análisis de datos y probabilidades:** usa herramientas de análisis de datos para mostrar información, realizar predicciones e inferencias.

**Chif Sans:** itilize konsepsyon chif ak abilite pou fè kalkil.

**Mezi:** rezoud pwoblèm ki gen mezi, ladan, pa egzansp, tan, pwa, longè, sifas.

**Jewometri:** analize epi konbine figi jewometrik pou rezoud pwoblèm.

**Rezonman aljebrik:** analize modèl epi itilize ekwasyon ak inekwasyon.

**Analiz Done ak Pwobabilite:** itilize zouti pou fè analiz done pou prezante enfòmasyon, fè prediksyon ak dediksyon.

#### Achievement Levels

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#### Your Student's Mathematics Scores Over Time

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**Grades Tested**

Students in Grades 3 through 10 take FCAT SSS Reading and Mathematics.

**FCAT Score**

The FCAT Score describes results on the total test for each subject area, for example, Reading. The FCAT Score is used to determine a student's progress from grade to grade and ranges from 86-3008 across Grades 3 through 10.

**Points**

The points possible show the number of points on the test for each content area of a test. The points earned show the actual number of points the student earned. The state mean is presented for a comparison.

**Graduation Requirements**

Students graduating in the year 2003 and later must receive a passing score on both the FCAT SSS Reading and FCAT SSS Mathematics tests to meet graduation requirements.  
 Reading Passing Score: 1926.  
 Mathematics Passing Score: 1889.

**Grade 3 Passing Requirements**

Students at Grade 3 must achieve Level 2 or higher in Reading, or show good cause, to be eligible for promotion.

**Resources**

You can get additional information about the FCAT from your school, from the document *Keys to FCAT*, or at [www.fldoe.org](http://www.fldoe.org), the Florida Department of Education's website.

You can visit [www.fcatexplorer.com](http://www.fcatexplorer.com) for free standards-based mathematics and reading activities that help you prepare for the FCAT.

You can visit [www.justreadflorida.com](http://www.justreadflorida.com) for information on programs, activities, and workshops that focus on helping students become better readers.

**Grados examinados**

*Los estudiantes que estén entre tercer y décimo grado toman los exámenes FCAT SSS de Lectura y de Matemáticas.*

**Calificaciones del FCAT**

*Las calificaciones del FCAT describen los resultados en el examen completo para cada materia, por ejemplo, Lectura. La calificación del FCAT se utiliza para determinar el progreso de un estudiante de un grado al siguiente y oscila entre 86 y 3008 para los grados 3 al 10.*

**Niveles de rendimiento**

*El éxito que un estudiante ha logrado en el contenido examinado en el FCAT SSS de Lectura y Matemáticas se describe por medio de cinco categorías. El nivel 5 es el más alto y el nivel 1 es el más bajo. El nivel 3 y superiores se considera al nivel o por encima del nivel del grado correspondiente.*

**Puntos posibles**

*Los puntos posibles muestran el número de puntos en el examen por cada área de conocimiento de un examen. Los puntos obtenidos muestran el número de puntos conseguidos por el estudiante.*

**Requisitos para la graduación**

*Los estudiantes que se gradúan en el año 2003 o después deben obtener una calificación de aprobado tanto en el SSS de Lectura como en el SSS de Matemáticas del FCAT para reunir los requisitos de graduación.  
 Calificación de Aprobado en Lectura: 1926.  
 Calificación de Aprobado en Matemáticas: 1889.*

**Requisitos para aprobar el tercer grado**

*Los estudiantes en el tercer grado deben alcanzar por lo menos el nivel 2 de Lectura o demostrar un buen motivo para ser considerados para la promoción.*

**Recursos**

*Puede obtener información adicional sobre el FCAT en la escuela, en el documento *Claves para el FCAT (Keys to FCAT)* o en la página de internet del Departamento de Educación de Florida (Florida Department of Education) [www.fldoe.org](http://www.fldoe.org).*

*Puedes visitar [www.fcatexplorer.com](http://www.fcatexplorer.com) para encontrar, sin cargo, ejercicios de matemáticas y lectura basados en los niveles académicos, que te ayudarán a prepararte para el FCAT.*

*Puede visitar [www.justreadflorida.com](http://www.justreadflorida.com) para obtener información acerca de programas, actividades, y talleres de trabajo destinados a ayudar a los estudiantes a transformarse en mejores lectores.*

**Klas yo teste yo**

*Elèv nan 3<sup>em</sup> jiska 10<sup>em</sup> ane fè egzamen Lekti sss FCAT ak Matematik.*

**Nòt FCAT**

*Nòt FCAT yo dekri rezilta yo sou kantite egzamen total pou chak matyè, pa egzanj, Lekti. Nòt FCAT la itilize pou detèmine pwogrè yo elèv de klas an klas epi li varye ant 86 ak 3008 nan tout klas ki ant 3<sup>em</sup> jiska 10<sup>em</sup> ane.*

**Nivo Siksè**

*Gen senk kategori ki dekri siksè elèv yo pote nan kontni yo teste nan egzamen Lekti ak Matematik FCAT SSS la. Pi gwo nivo a se nivo 5 epi pi piti nivo a se 1. Yo konsidere elèv ki nan nivo 3 oswa nan nivo ki pi wo, tankou yo nan nivo klas la oswa yo depase nivo klas la.*

**Pwen ki Posib**

*Pwen ki posib yo montre kantite pwen ki gen nan egzamen an oswa kantite pwen pou chak matyè nan yon egzamen. Pwen elèv la fè a montre ki kantite pwen elèv la fè an reyalyite.*

**Egzijans pou Diplome**

*Elèv kap diplome nan ane 2003 a oswa apre dwe fè yon nòt pou pase ni egzamen Lekti FCAT SSS la ni Matematik FCAT SSS la alfw pa pou yo la ranpli kondisyon pou diplome a. Men nòt pou pase yo: Nòt Pasaj pou Lekti: 1926.  
 Nòt Pasaj pou Matematik: 1889.*

**Egzijans pou Pase Klas 3<sup>em</sup>**

*Elèv klas 3<sup>em</sup> yo dwe rive nan nivo 2 oswa pi wo nan Lekti oswa yo dwe demontre yon bon rezon ki fè yo kalifye pou pase klas la.*

**Resous**

*Ou ka jwenn enfòmasyon anplis sou FCAT la nan lekòl ou a, nan dokiman ki rele *Keys to FCAT* (Keys to FCAT) yo, oswa nan sit entènèt Depatman Edikasyon nan Florid la [www.fldoe.org](http://www.fldoe.org).*

*Ou ka vizite [www.fcatexplorer.com](http://www.fcatexplorer.com) pou jwenn aktivite estanda matematik ak lekti gratis kap ede ou pare pou FCAT.*

*Ou ka vizite [www.justreadflorida.com](http://www.justreadflorida.com) pou jwenn enfòmasyon sou pwogram, aktivite ak atelye ki baze sou ede elèv yo vin pi bon lektè.*