



HUBERT O. SIBLEY K-8 ACADEMY

Diving into Academics!

WELCOME TO
STANFORD ACHIEVEMENT TEST-10
PARENT NIGHT
HUBERT O. SIBLEY K-8
ACADEMY



AGENDA

- ▶ Welcome..... Mrs. Chandrell Larkin
Principal
 - ▶ Presentation..... Ms. Ines Diaz
Assistant Principal
 - ▶ *Questions*..... Mrs. Chandrell Larkin
Principal
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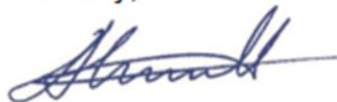
Dear Parent or Guardian:

Miami-Dade County Public Schools strives to provide an excellent educational program for all our students, whether they are attending in person or online. We recognize the unprecedented disruption to the traditional educational program due to the COVID-19 pandemic, especially as we prepare for annually administered state tests. As you may recall, the Florida Department of Education cancelled the administration of these assessments last year.

However, this year the Florida Department of Education expects all students to take the Florida Statewide Assessments. This includes the following assessments: FSA English Language Arts Writing and Reading; FSA Mathematics; Statewide Science Assessments; the End-of-Course assessments in Algebra 1, Geometry, Biology 1, Civics, U.S. History, and the Florida Standards Alternate Assessments (FSAA).

The results from these assessments are important and are used to make sure that your child is placed in appropriate classes and receives appropriate instruction and services. As such, all students physically attending school or participating in My School Online will be expected to take these assessments in person at their schools. Your student's school is taking all necessary precautions to provide a safe environment for this testing, and you will be notified of the scheduled time(s) when your student is expected to test. We encourage all students to participate in these important measures of their academic achievement.

Sincerely,



Alberto M. Carvalho
Superintendent of Schools

Spring 2021 Florida Statewide and District Testing

The Florida Department of Education (FDOE) requires that all students participate in the Spring 2021 administration of the Florida Statewide Assessments. Miami-Dade County Public Schools (M-DCPS) supports the inclusion of all students who can participate in these assessments to ensure proper placement in courses and the provision of appropriate support services. In addition, M-DCPS has provided guidance to schools on best practices for administering state assessments in the schoolhouse, which include the following:

- Maintaining social distancing at all times
- Ensuring staggered arrival and departure times
- Sanitizing rooms and student workstations and/or computer equipment every day
- Assigning the same desk to students back-to-back on subsequent administration days
- Providing sufficient pencils so that they need not be returned or disinfected after use
- Ensuring the use of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) by students and staff
- Conducting health screenings at home each day (students and staff)

The table below provides information on the scheduled administration of the Florida Statewide Assessments and District-designated assessments as well as the potential impact on students.



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What is the SAT-10

- ▶ A norm-referenced test is an assessment given on a national level which compares a student's score to the scores of other students who have already taken the same test.
- ▶ Students will be assessed via multiple choice in both Reading and Math. The SAT is not a timed test.
- ▶ The Math SAT is read orally while the portions of the Reading will be read by the student.

TEST DATES

Reading Test - April 12

Math Test - April 13

Please make every effort to have your student in school these days.

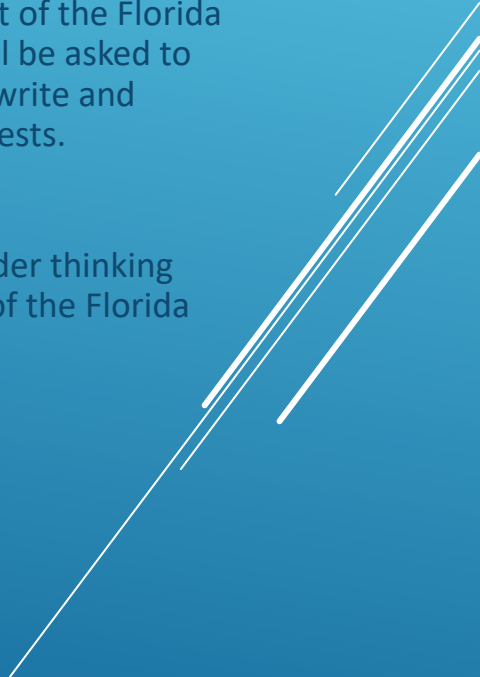
MSO and PHY students will be tested at the schoolhouse.

MSO- Procedures

Arrival time: 8:45 a.m.
Breakfast will be provided



READING SAT 10

- ▶ The Florida Standards were adopted in 2014 in English/Language Arts and Mathematics to help prepare Florida students for success in college, career, and in life by emphasizing analytical thinking skills.
 - ▶ The FSA provides a more authentic assessment of the Florida Standards than prior tests, in that students will be asked to create graphs, interact with test content, and write and respond in different ways than on traditional tests.
 - ▶ Question types will assess students' higher-order thinking skills in keeping with the higher expectations of the Florida Standards.
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How can parents help with reading?

- *READ WITH YOUR CHILD EVERY NIGHT.
- *MAKE PREDICTIONS AND DISCUSS THE EVENTS AND CHARACTERS AS YOU READ TOGETHER.
- *TAP INTO THE TYPES OF BOOKS THAT INTEREST YOUR CHILD.
- *MAKE SURE THAT YOUR CHILD IS READING FLUENTLY, WITH GOOD EXPRESSION, AND WITH UNDERSTANDING.
- *GO TO I-READY TO PRACTICE READING SKILLS!
- *JUST READ! *BE A GREAT MODEL- LET THEM SEE YOU READ!



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Math

*SAT MATH QUESTIONS WILL BE READ TO STUDENTS BY THE TEACHER.

* STUDENTS WILL LISTEN TO QUESTIONS READ ALOUD, AND WILL ANSWER THE QUESTIONS IN THEIR TEST BOOKLET.

*TEACHERS WILL READ QUESTIONS FROM A SCRIPT ONCE AND ONLY ONCE.



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Number Concepts

SKILLS TO REVIEW WITH YOUR CHILDREN:

- *READ NUMBERS.
- *COUNT OBJECTS.
- *COMPARE NUMBERS.
- *PUT NUMBERS IN ORDER.
- *COMPLETE NUMBER PATTERNS.

Problem Solving

SKILLS TO REVIEW AND PRACTICE WITH YOUR CHILDREN:

- *LISTENING AND READING WORD PROBLEMS CAREFULLY
- *WRITING DOWN IMPORTANT INFORMATION.
- *LISTENING AND LOOKING FOR WORDS THAT TELL WHETHER TO ADD OR SUBTRACT TO SOLVE A WORD PROBLEM.
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- *SELECTING REASONABLE SOLUTIONS.

Addition and Subtraction

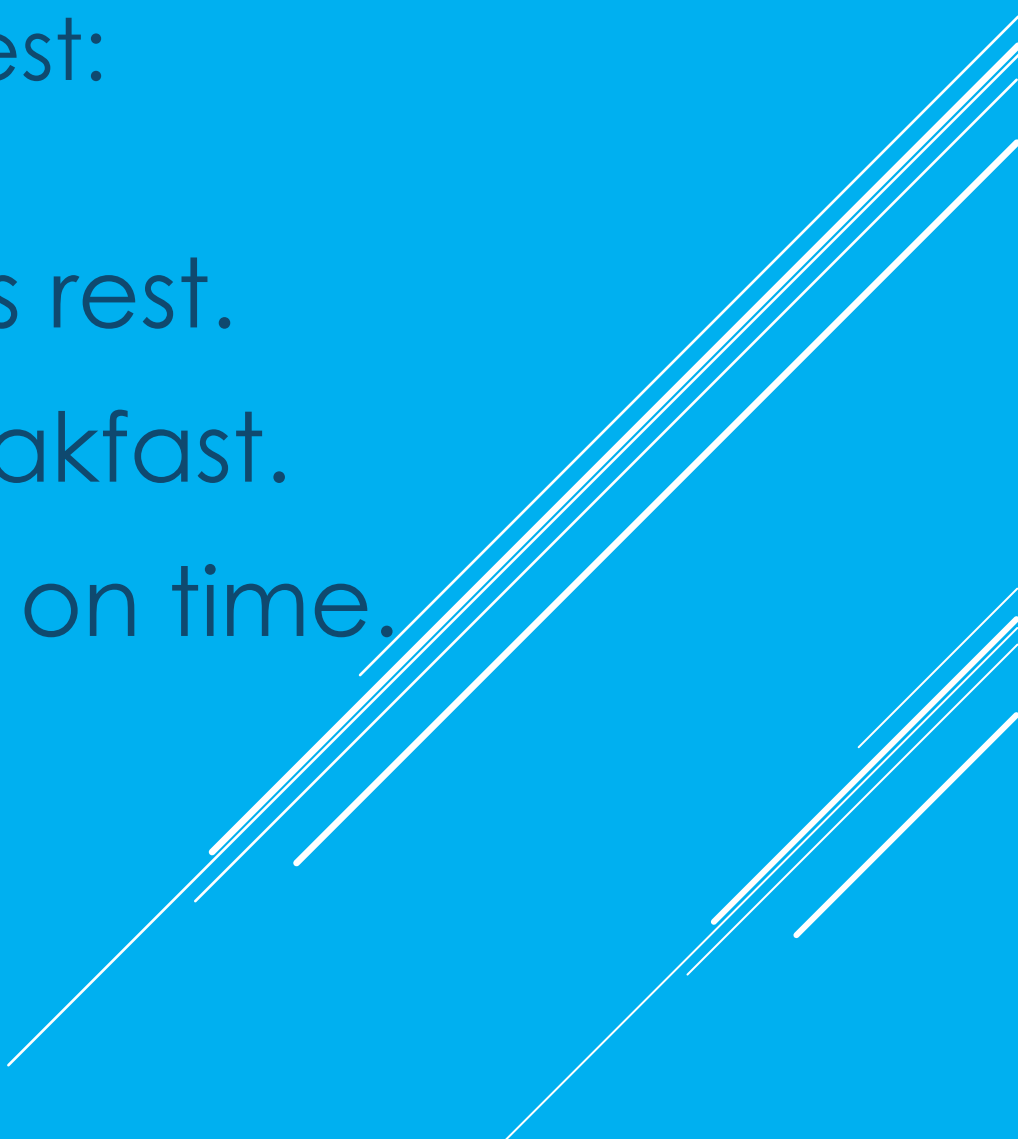
CONCEPTS TO REVIEW WITH YOUR CHILDREN:

_ *SIMPLE ADDITION AND SUBTRACTION PROBLEMS

EXAMPLE: ANN HAS THREE APPLES AND
STAN HAS TWO APPLES. HOW MANY DO
THEY HAVE ALL TOGETHER?.

Preparation for SAT-10

From now until the test:

- * Get a full night's rest.
 - * Eat a good breakfast.
 - * Arrive to school on time.
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THANK YOU PARENTS AND GUARDIANS
FOR SUPPORTING OUR COMMON GOAL.

Teachers + **Parents** = Student Academic Success

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Q & A / CONCERNS

