

Important: All Renaissance 360 Assessments must be completed by Aug. 31st

Dear Families,

As you may already know, our school uses Renaissance Star 360 Assessments to help teachers understand what students know and what they are ready to learn next. Typically, these assessments are given throughout the school year to monitor student progress and are administered in the school setting. Part of our normal testing plan includes a fall, beginning of the year assessment. After careful consideration, knowing the value of this data to make informed instructional decisions for your child, we will be administering the assessment remotely.

In order to support your child on this assessment, you will need to:

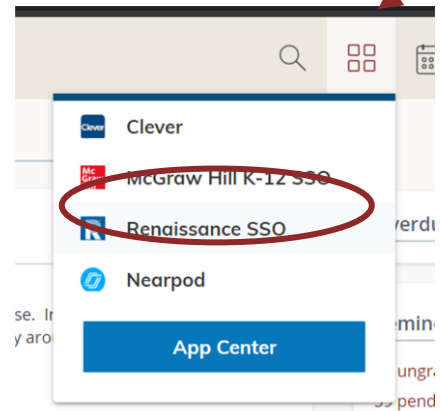
- Use the **Parent/Guardian Ren 360 Checklist** (see attached)
- Have your student follow the **Student Login Instructions** in the box to the right
- Complete the required assessments listed in the box below between **August 17th** and **August 31st**.
- If at any time the program prompts your child to enter a monitor password to continue the assessment, please enter **FBISD** in all capitals

Grade Level	Assessments Taken
Kindergarten	Early Literacy
1 st Grade	Early Literacy, Math & Reading
2 nd -10 th Grade	Math & Reading

RENAISSANCE Star Assessments

Student Login Instructions:

- Go to fortbendisd.schoolology.com
- Enter your district email and click next.
- Enter your password and click sign-in.
- Click the 2x2 grid tile located to the right of the magnifying glass.



- Click Renaissance SSO
- Select the assigned assessment: STAR Early Literacy, STAR Reading, STAR Math

Thank you for partnering with us through this assessment process. For more information about Star Assessments, visit the Renaissance [parent webpage](#).

Ren 360 Parent/Guardian Checklist

To ensure your school has timely and accurate data to better support instructional decisions for your child, please follow this checklist for Renaissance 360 At-Home Testing.

Before Testing	
	Ensure student has had a good breakfast.
	Select a quiet place in the home for students to complete the assessment.
	Determine a time of day when the student will be alert and engaged. Provide student with a break between assessments. If at all possible, have the student take the assessments on different days.
	Check technology equipment to determine all is in working order and enable "full screen" mode on browser to ensure students will see the full items without scrolling. (See next page for technology guidelines.)
	Log in to Schoology to access the Renaissance platform. (Follow Student Login Instructions)
	Ensure that student can log in and access the Star assessments.
	Ensure that students have paper and pencil to use for note taking during the assessment.
	Set the tone before starting the assessment. Explain to student that they will be taking an assessment and that you will not be able to help them with answers, but if they have trouble with technology, you may help them.
During Testing	
	Monitor the student during testing. <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stay nearby where your child is testing to ensure they remain focused but avoid hovering and distracting.• Students should complete each assessment in one sitting. They should not go to other pages on the web or use any other sources to complete the assessments.• Students may use paper and pencil on Star Math, but no calculators.• If they get stuck or ask for help, simply encourage them to choose the best answer and then move on to the next question.• Contact student's teacher if you have any questions.
	For students with the accommodation of audio support and all students taking the STAAR Early Literacy Test, make sure they are wearing headphones connected to the device for the assessment, if available.
	Star Early Literacy (Kindergarten and First Grade) - Instructions will be read aloud to students. Student must wait until they hear a chime to answer the question.
After Testing	
	Ensure that students have completed the assessment and submitted their last response.
	Close and sign out of the Renaissance platform.
	Campus will inform parents when results are available to view.