

## Updated 2017-2018 FAST™ Benchmarks

The FAST early literacy benchmarks (a.k.a. cutpoints) for the 2017-2018 year are unchanged. Benchmark numbers represent the lowest score that "passes" the screening. Any score lower than this score is interpreted as having "Some Risk" for successful learning outcomes. The administration, scoring, and interpretation of the measures remain the same.

<b>FAST K-1 earlyReading Subtests and Composite</b>						
Measure	<b>Kindergarten</b>			<b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b>		
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall	Winter	Spring
Concepts of Print	8					
Onset Sounds	12	16				
Letter Names	20					
Letter Sounds	5	29	41			
Word Segmenting		26	30	27	31	32
Nonsense Words		8	12	9	16	21
Sight Words-50			20			
Sight Words-150				17	50	67
Sentence Reading				14		
CBMreading					43	71
<b>earlyReading Composite</b>	34	52	65	34	55	68

<b>FAST CBMreading</b>			
Grade	Fall	Winter	Spring
Kdg			
1 <sup>st</sup>		43	71
2 <sup>nd</sup>	58	87	106
3 <sup>rd</sup>	90	116	131
4 <sup>th</sup>	116	136	150
5 <sup>th</sup>	133	151	163
6 <sup>th</sup>	142	159	172

<b>FAST aReading</b>			
Grade	Fall	Winter	Spring
Kdg		417	435
1 <sup>st</sup>	435	454	471
2 <sup>nd</sup>	469	481	489
3 <sup>rd</sup>	487	497	503
4 <sup>th</sup>	500	507	513
5 <sup>th</sup>	509	517	522
6 <sup>th</sup>	516	523	527

## 2017-2018 IGDIs Benchmarks

The preschool early literacy IGDIs benchmarks (a.k.a. cutpoints) for the 2017-2018 year are unchanged. Recall that these provided numbers were established to identify those preschool students who are, and are not, on track for reading success.

The subtest benchmark score represents the lowest score that "passes" the screening. Any score lower than those listed is interpreted as at-risk. Note that the administration, scoring, and interpretation of the measures remain the same.

Individual subtest cut points are listed below. To meet the Full Set target a student must be above benchmark in at least three of four literacy domains. Each domain has one test, *except* for phonological analysis which has two tests during the winter and spring window. If a student is below benchmark on either of these tests they are considered below benchmark in that domain.

IGDIs – 4-year-old			
Measure	Fall	Winter	Spring
Picture Naming	9	9	9
Rhyming	10	9	11
Sound Identification	10	9	13
Which One Doesn't Belong	9	9	9
First Sounds/Alliteration		9	9
<b>Full Set Score</b>	Note: IGDIs Full Set score will need to be computed as it is the full set score that is used to determine the risk-status of the student.		