

ACCOUNTABILITY

THE POWER OF SCHOOL GRADES



IN 1999

FLORIDA BEGAN ISSUING SCHOOL GRADES TO INFORM STUDENTS, FAMILIES AND EDUCATORS ABOUT THEIR PERFORMANCE.

THE RESULTS WILL ASTOUND YOU!

LOOK HOW FAR WE'VE COME!

STUDENTS READING ON GRADE LEVEL



PASSING (LEVEL 3) ON MATH



GRADE 5 PERFORMANCE IN SCIENCE¹



GRADUATION RATE



GRADE 4 NATIONAL COMPARISON²



SCHOOL GRADES

Schools grades have resulted in Florida being recognized as a national education leader, and we must continue using this effective strategy.



HISTORY + LAW

Florida law requires the state to issue school grades to inform all Floridians of school and district performance in a transparent manner.



VALID TEST

The Florida Standards Assessments have been validated by three independent reviews and determined to be an accurate measure of students' knowledge.

LET'S KEEP THE MOMENTUM!

CONTACT YOUR DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS AND LOCAL LEGISLATORS TO LET THEM KNOW YOU SUPPORT ACCOUNTABILITY!



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1. ADDED TO CALCULATION IN 2007 2. NAEP