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FES December 2025 School Board Update

Kindergarten Registration Event

Planning for our next kindergarten class will begin soon. We will schedule our annual kindergarten registration night event for February or March. Families will visit classrooms, meet staff, and learn about programming and readiness expectations. This incoming kindergarten group will be the Foley High School Class of 2039, which is always an exciting milestone for families. Early planning helps ensure a smooth transition for our youngest learners and supports accurate program and staffing projections for the 2026–2027 school year. More information will be included in my January report.

Winter Screening Assessments

Our winter assessment window will run January 12–23. At FES, we screen all K–3 students three times each year to monitor progress and measure growth. These data points help teachers adjust instruction, provide targeted small-group support, and ensure we are meeting the needs of all learners.

During the winter screening window:

- All K–3 students will complete FAST aReading and aMath assessments to measure broad reading and math skills.
- Kindergarten and 1st-grade students will also participate in individually administered early literacy assessments.
- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd-grade students will complete a reading fluency assessment to help teachers track accuracy, rate, and overall reading development.

These assessments provide timely, actionable information and help us stay aligned with grade-level expectations as we move into the second half of the school year.

FES Events

12/12 & 12/13 - 3 yr old preschool Visitor Days
12/19 - 9th Grade Choir caroling at FES
12/23 - FES Holiday Sing
1/5 - Return to school from winter break
1/16 - Kindergarten Reader's Theater