



# **STAR 360°**

**Milam Elementary**

**August 31, 2015**

# STAR 360°

Star 360° is a Computer Adaptive Universal Screener in which the assessment continuously adjusts based on student answers, which means every test will be individualized and unique.

Teacher will receive quick and accurate results to student assessments.



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## Video

- Assessment Course Suite
- Essentials of How STAR Works
- How Does STAR Measure Student Achievement

# STAR 360°: Which Students Take the STAR Tests



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  - Which Students Take the STAR Tests

# STAR 360° Assessments

Assessment	Grade Level	
 <b>STAR</b> <sup>™</sup> Early Literacy	<b>Kindergarten</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b>	

# STAR 360°: Early Literacy Assessment



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## Video

- Assessment Course Suite
- Essentials of How STAR Works
- View a Sample STAR Early Literacy Test

# STAR 360°: Early Literacy Assessment

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3JiwgRB6Ac0>

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# STAR 360° Assessments

Assessment	Grade Level
 <b>STAR</b> <sup>™</sup> Early Literacy	<b>Kindergarten</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b>
 <b>STAR</b> <sup>™</sup> Reading	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>

# STAR 360°: Reading Assessment



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## Video

- Assessment Course Suite
- Essentials of How STAR Works
- View a Sample STAR Reading Test

# STAR 360° Assessments

Assessment	Grade Level	
 <b>STAR</b> <sup>™</sup> Early Literacy	<b>Kindergarten</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b>	
 <b>STAR</b> <sup>™</sup> Reading	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	
 <b>STAR</b> <sup>™</sup> Math	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>

# STAR 360°: Math Assessment



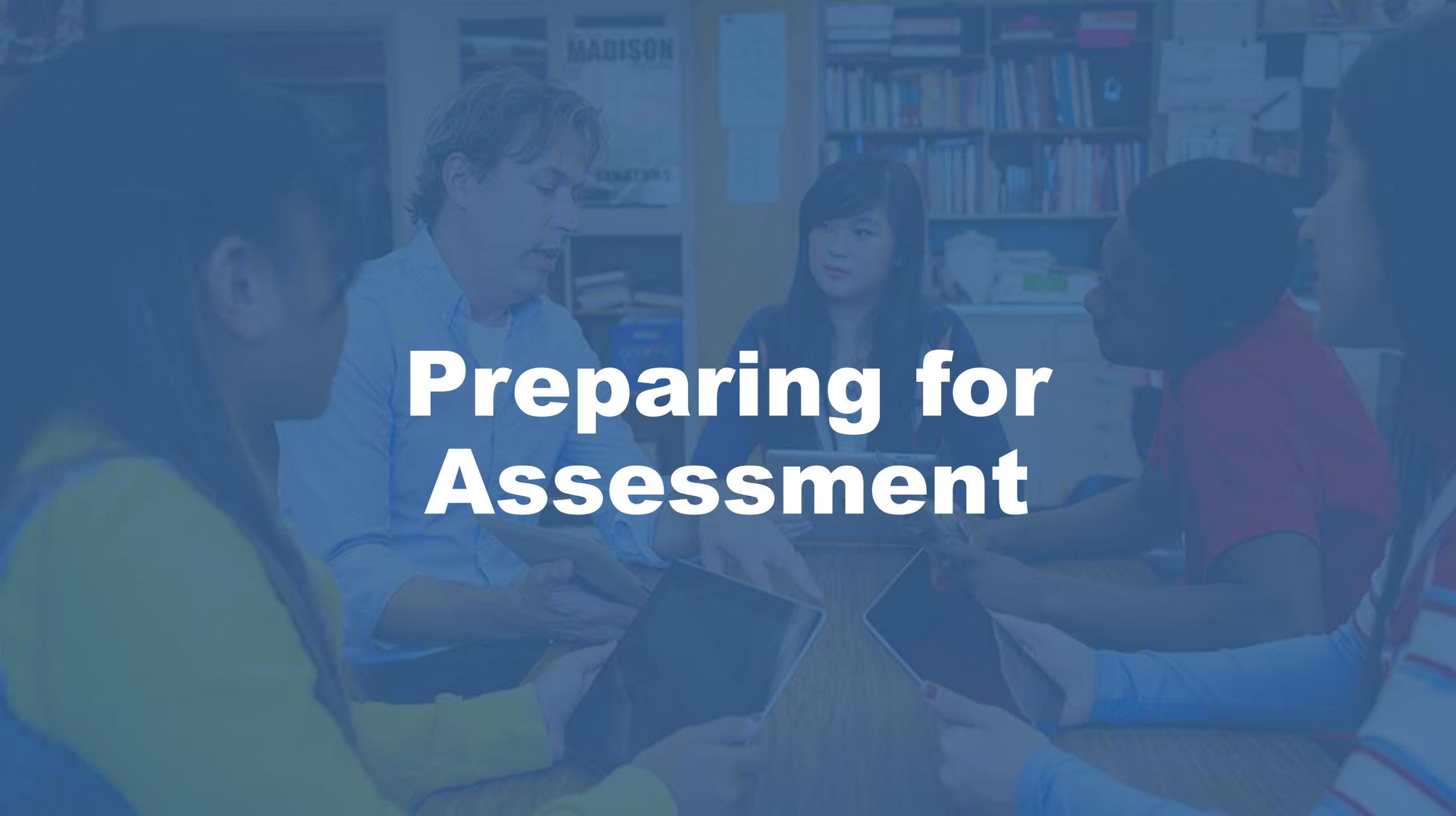
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## Video

- Assessment Course Suite
- Essentials of How STAR Works
- View a Sample STAR Math Test

# STAR 360° Assessments

Assessment	Grade Level	
 <p><b>STAR™</b> Early Literacy</p>	<p><b>Kindergarten</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b></p>	
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**Preparing for  
Assessment**

# STAR 360°: How to Administer the Test with Fidelity



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## Video

- Assessment Course Suite
- Administering the Test
- How to Administer the Test with Fidelity

# STAR 360° Assessments: Pretest Directions

Checklist  
Teacher Script  
Assessment Screen Shots\*

\*(to help prepare students for how assessment will look)

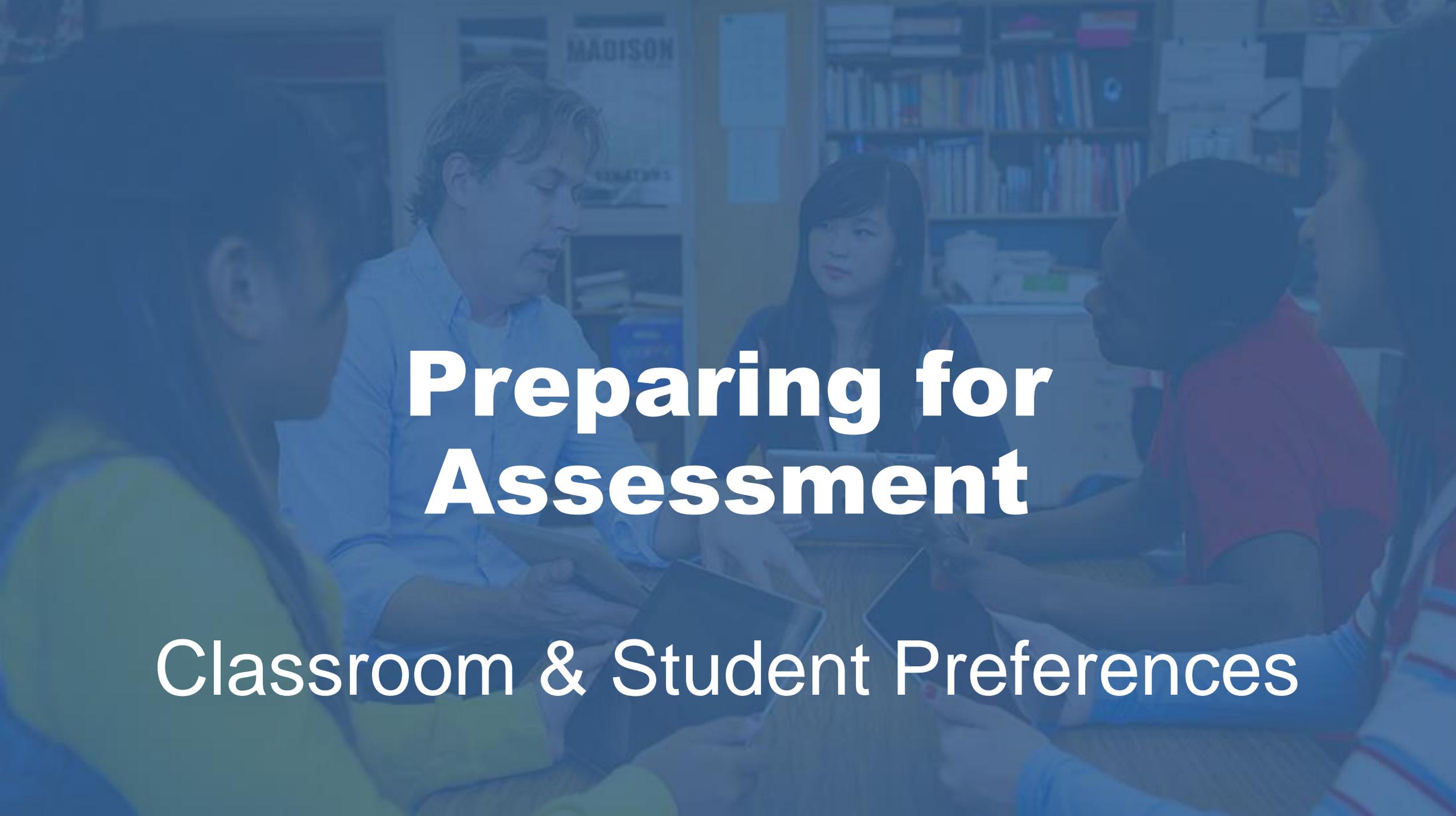
Use the pretest instructions to help introduce students to STAR. Review them with students prior to testing.

# STAR 360° Assessments: Pretest Directions

Assessment	Grade Level		Pretest Directions
 <b>STAR™</b> Early Literacy	<b>Kindergarten</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b>		 <a href="http://w.p.me/a5/3GYP-3c">http://w.p.me/a5/3GYP-3c</a>
 <b>STAR™</b> Reading	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>		 <a href="http://w.p.me/a5/3GYP-3d">http://w.p.me/a5/3GYP-3d</a>
 <b>STAR™</b> Math	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	 <a href="http://w.p.me/a5/3GYP-3e">http://w.p.me/a5/3GYP-3e</a>
 <b>STAR™</b> Reading Spanish	<b>Kinder &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Dual Language Students</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Spanish Dominate Students</b>		 <a href="http://w.p.me/a5/3GYP-3j">http://w.p.me/a5/3GYP-3j</a>

# **STAR 360°: Location**

A schedule will be created to rotate classes through both computer labs. Both computer labs will be closed during the assessment windows. iPads (using web browser) may be used to assess Kinder and 1<sup>st</sup> Grade students. The classroom teacher will administer/proctor/monitor the assessment, along with at least 1 additional monitor present to assist. Classes will be scheduled for 45 minute blocks.

A photograph of a teacher and four students sitting around a table in a classroom, looking at tablets. The image is overlaid with a semi-transparent blue filter. The teacher is a man with light hair, and the students are diverse in age and ethnicity. In the background, there are bookshelves and a poster that says "MADISON".

# **Preparing for Assessment**

**Classroom & Student Preferences**

# **STAR 360°: Student Log-in Information**

**Username: student email address**

**Password: student 8 digit birthdate**

Please have log-in cards ready prior to scheduled assessment time, or have student write log-in information in a safe place.

A roster with this information can be printed by the campus PIEMS clerk.

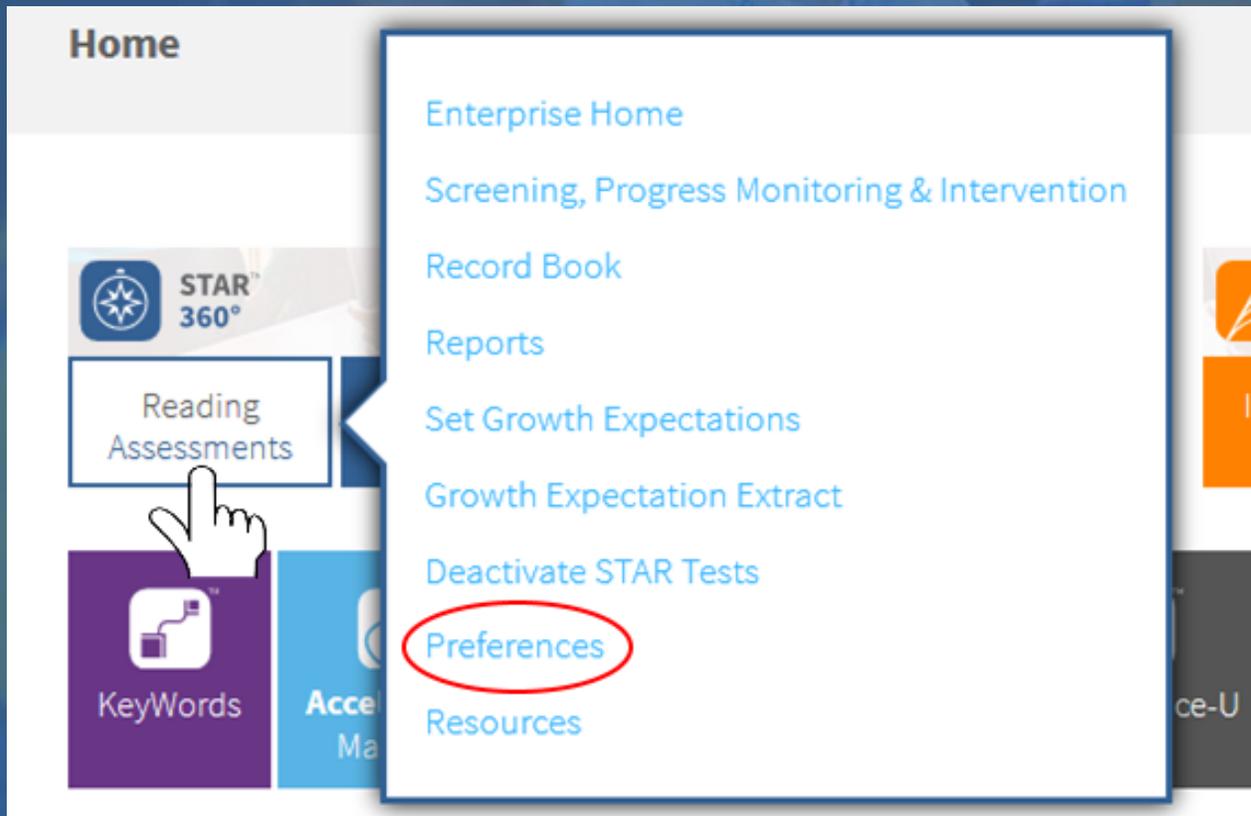
# STAR 360° Assessments: Materials

Assessment	Grade Level		Materials
 <b>STAR™</b> Early Literacy	<b>Kindergarten</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b>		<b>Headphones</b>
 <b>STAR™</b> Reading	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>		
 <b>STAR™</b> Math	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	<b>Paper (Math Notebooks)</b> <b>Pencil</b> <b>(Headphones for students with audio option)</b>
 <b>STAR™</b> Reading Spanish	<b>Kinder &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Dual Language Students</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Spanish Dominate Students</b>		

# STAR 360°: Turning Off Monitor Password

<http://wp.me/a53GYP-3f>

Default setting: The Monitor password is “ADMIN” and required for all classes and all assessments.



**To Turn Off Monitor Password:**

Step 1:

Click on an assessment. In the window that opens, select “Preferences”.

# STAR 360°: Turning Off Monitor Password

## Classroom Preferences

Edit

Preferences	Description	Current Setting
Testing Password	Define Password requirements for student testing	Monitor Password required <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Enterprise Tests	Choose to administer only Enterprise tests across all products and schools, or administer both Enterprise and non-Enterprise tests	Enterprise tests only <i>Set by Administrator</i>
Student Test Registration*	Choose if students must be registered before taking tests	<i>Class-level setting</i>

\* Select an individual class to enable editing of this preference

Step 2:  
Under the “Classroom Preferences” section, select “Edit”.

# STAR 360°: Turning Off Monitor Password

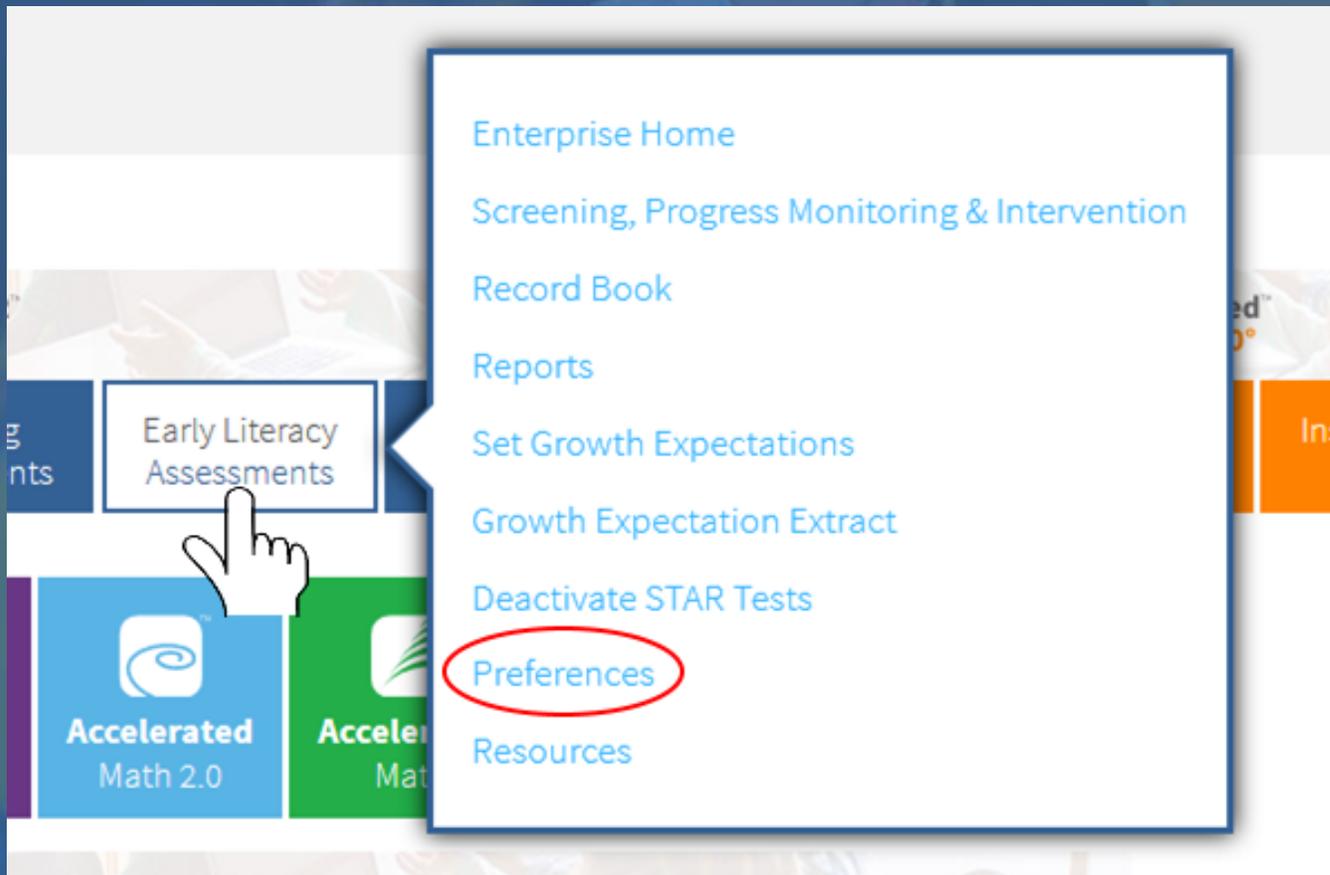
Preference Options	
Testing Password	<input type="checkbox"/> Monitor
Monitor Password: (Only required if monitor password requirement set above) <i>Passwords must be a minimum of 2 characters.</i> <b>Note: Monitor password is always required when a student stops a test.</b>	ADMIN
Administer only Enterprise tests <i>Set By Administrator</i>	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No Non-Enterprise test cannot be administered during screening windows and require RTI goals to be set for students
Require Registration before students can take tests*	<input type="radio"/> Yes Register Students (0 students registered) <input checked="" type="radio"/> No

\*Select an individual class to enable editing of this preference

Cancel Save

Step 3:  
In the “Testing Password” field, uncheck “Monitor”. Click “Save” to save your updated preferences.

# STAR 360°: Turning On Demonstration Video & Hands-on Exercise for Early Literacy Video



To Turn on Demonstration Video:

Step 1:  
Click on Early Literacy Assessment.  
In the window that opens, select  
“Preferences”.

# STAR 360°: Turning On Demonstration Video & Hands-on Exercise for Early Literacy Video

**Classroom Preferences**

Edit

Preferences	Description	Current Setting
Testing Password	Define Password requirements for student testing	Monitor Password required Monitor Password: ADMIN
Demonstration Video	Set options for showing demonstration video	Demonstration video is shown to students: Once
Hands-On Exercise	Set options for providing hands-on exercise	Hands-on exercise is administered: Until Passed

Done

Step 2:  
Under the “Classroom Preferences”  
section, select “Edit”.

# STAR 360°: Turning On Demonstration Video & Hands-on Exercise for Early Literacy Video

Step 3:

There are a couple of options:

“Once”=demonstration video will only be shown one time

“Always”= demonstration video &/or hands-on exercise will always be shown when students take assessment

“Until Passed”=students will be shown the hands-on exercise till they pass the exercise

Click “Save” to save your updated preferences.

Preference Options	
Testing Password	<input type="checkbox"/> Monitor
Monitor Password: (Only required if monitor password requirement set above) <i>Passwords must be a minimum of 2 characters.</i> <b>Note: Monitor password is always required when a student stops a test.</b>	<input type="text" value="ADMIN"/>
Show demonstration video	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Once <input type="radio"/> Never <input type="radio"/> Always
Provide hands-on exercise	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Until Passed <input type="radio"/> Never <input type="radio"/> Always

# **Students with IEP Accommodations & Linguistic Accommodations**

No additional materials and extended time are allowed, unless otherwise stated in a student's IEP or if a student has specific linguistic accommodations. Currently there are no students on our campus with IEP's stating that the student tests below their grade level. Therefore, the students Instructional Reading Level and Math Instructional Level need to be left at their default settings.

# STAR 360° Assessments

Assessment	Grade Level		Optional Accommodations (found in Preferences)
 <b>STAR™</b> Early Literacy	<b>Kindergarten</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b>		
 <b>STAR™</b> Reading	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Extended Question Time Limit</b></li> </ul>
 <b>STAR™</b> Math	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Extended Question Time Limit</b></li> <li>• <b>Audio</b></li> </ul>
 <b>STAR™</b> Reading Spanish	<b>Kinder &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Dual Language Students</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Spanish Dominate Students</b>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Extended Question Time Limit</b></li> </ul>

# Students with IEP Accommodations & Linguistic Accommodations

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## Video

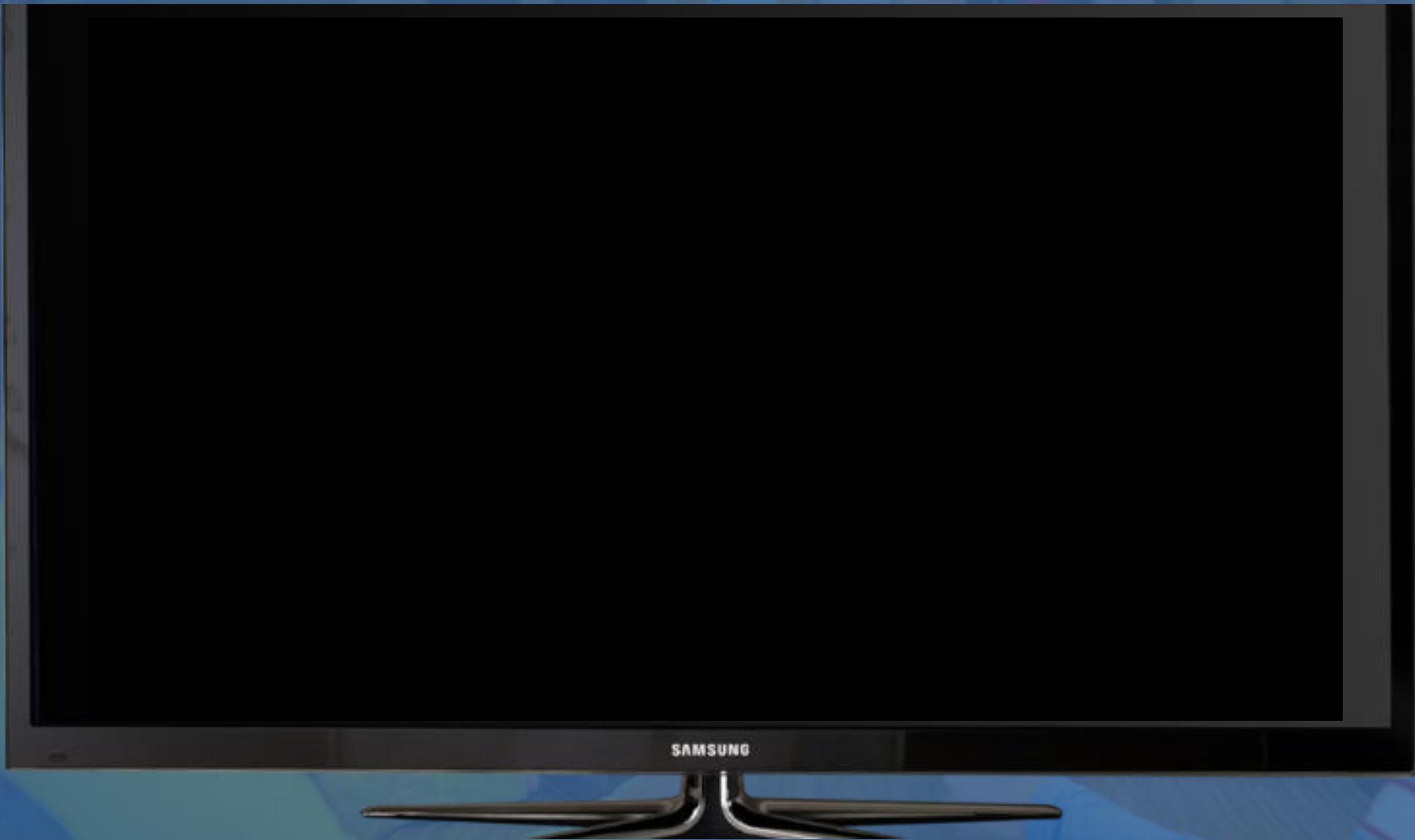
- Assessment Course Suite
- Administering the Test
- Extending Item Time Limits

# STAR 360°: Math Audio Support

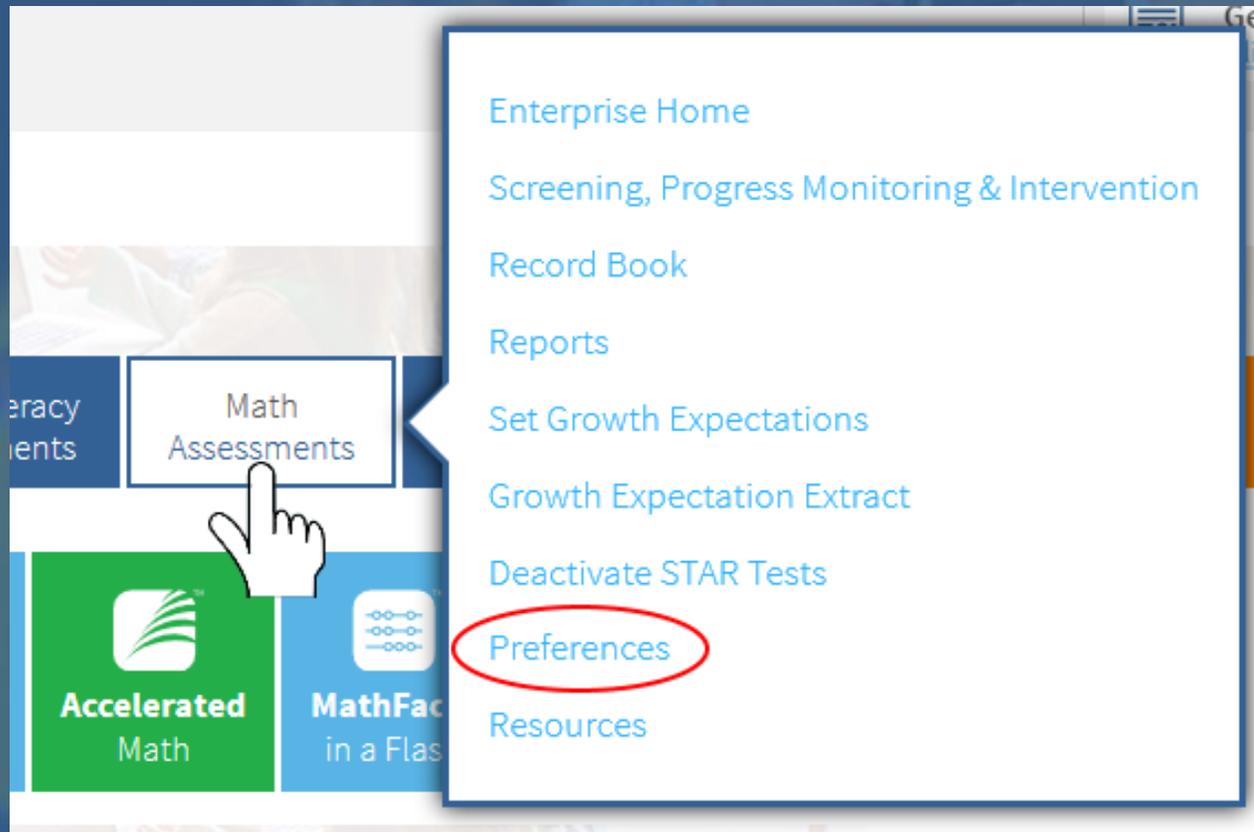
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# Students with IEP Accommodations & Linguistic Accommodations



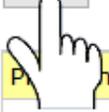
**To Turn on Extended Question Time and Audio Option:**

**Step 1:**  
Click on an assessment. In the window that opens, select "Preferences".

# Students with IEP Accommodations & Linguistic Accommodations

## Student Preferences

Edit



Preferences	Description	Current Setting
Estimated MIL	Change students' estimated Math Instructional Level	Estimated MIL is not set
Extended Question Time Limit	Extend students' time limit for answering questions	Extended Question Time Limit off for: All students
Audio	Enable students to hear audio for test questions	Audio is off for: All students
Test Type	Select test to administer, which affects reporting capabilities	Enterprise: 7 Students Algebra: 0 Students Geometry: 0 Students

Done

Step 2:  
Under the “Student Preferences” section, select “Edit”.

# Students with IEP Accommodations & Linguistic Accommodations

Student	ID	Grade	Estimated MIL	Extended Question	Audio	Test Type		
				Time Limit <input type="checkbox"/> On		Enterprise <input type="radio"/>	Algebra <input type="radio"/>	Geometry <input type="radio"/>
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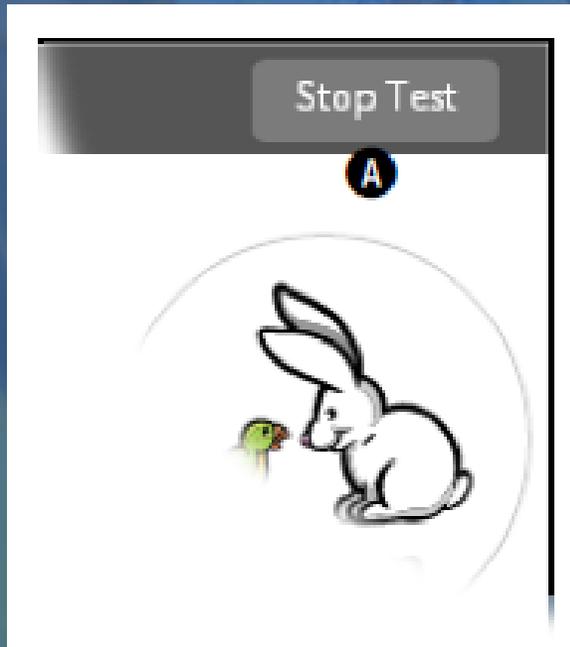
Cancel Save

Step 3:  
Check the appropriate accommodations based on student documentation. Click "Save" to save your updated preferences.

NOTE: Only the Math Assessment has an Audio option

# STAR 360°: Interruptions to the Assessment

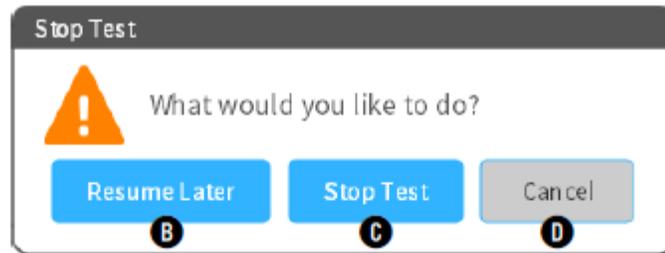
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**To Pause or Stop an Assessment:**

Step 1:  
Select “Stop Test” in the upper-right corner of the screen

# STAR 360°: Interruptions to the Assessment



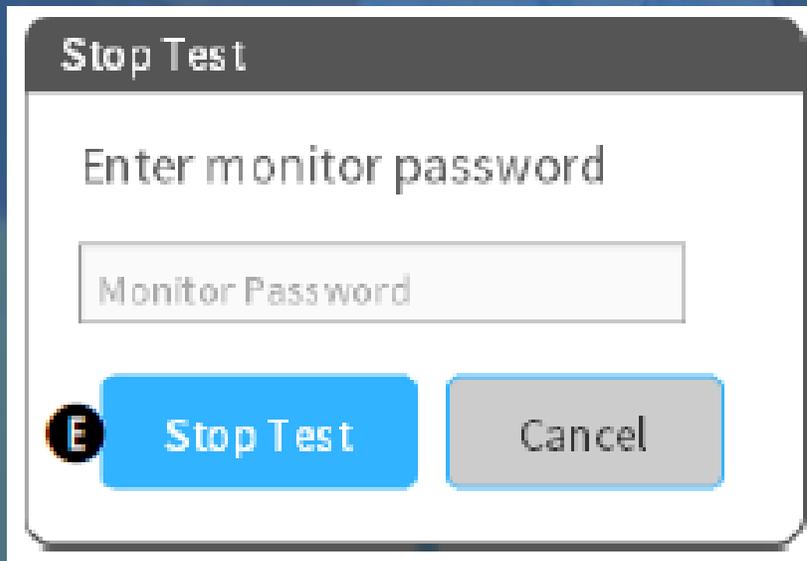
Step 2:  
Select one of the options

Option	Choose When...	Notes
<b>B</b> Resume Later	You want to stop the test, but plan to come back to it later.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Test score will be recorded after test is resumed and completed.</li><li>▶ Test will resume on the same question number, but the question presented will be different (see page 56).</li><li>▶ <b>Resume Later</b> can only be used during the actual test, not during the practice session. (<b>Stop Test</b> and <b>Cancel</b> are the only options available during the practice session.)</li></ul>
<b>C</b> Stop Test	You want to stop the test; you are finished with it and have no plans to come back to it.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Test score will not be recorded.</li><li>▶ The next time the student logs in to take a test, the student will begin a new test.</li></ul>
<b>D</b> Cancel	You want to continue taking the test now instead of pausing or stopping it.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>▶ Test continues as usual.</li></ul>

# STAR 360°: Interruptions to the Assessment

Step 3:  
Enter monitor password

Even if a monitor password is not required at the start of the assessment, it is always required to stop or resume a test.



The image shows a screenshot of a software dialog box titled "Stop Test". The dialog box has a dark header with the title in white. Below the header, the text "Enter monitor password" is displayed. Underneath this text is a text input field containing the placeholder text "Monitor Password". At the bottom of the dialog box, there are two buttons: a blue button labeled "Stop Test" and a grey button labeled "Cancel". A small black circle with a white letter "E" is positioned to the left of the "Stop Test" button.

# STAR 360°: Things to Remember

- ✓ Before students scheduled time for testing:
  - ✓ Ensure you have the most up-to-date student log in information, make log-in cards for students or have them write log-in information in a safe place
  - ✓ Review the pretest instructions and familiarize students with how assessment will look
  - ✓ Turn off “Monitor Password” in Preferences for ALL assessments students will take
  - ✓ Turn on “Demonstration Video & Hands-on Exercise for Early Literacy Assessment
  - ✓ If there are any students with IEP’s, make sure you have edited the Preferences section for ALL assessments students will take (such as extending time and audio)
- ✓ Ensure to bring needed materials to scheduled assessment time and location
  - ✓ Headphones:
    - ✓ Grade Kinder & 1<sup>st</sup>
    - ✓ 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Students that have audio options for Math Assessment
  - ✓ Pencil and Paper for Math Assessment
- ✓ Have students bring a book to read when completed with assessment

# STAR 360° Assessment Windows

Assessment	Grade Level		Testing Dates
 <b>STAR™</b> Early Literacy	<b>Kindergarten</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b>		<b>Kinder SPED &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b> <b>Sept 8-18</b> <b>Kindergarten</b> <b>Sept 21-Oct 2</b>
 <b>STAR™</b> Reading	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b> <b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>		<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>Sept 8-18</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>Sept 21-Oct 2</b>
 <b>STAR™</b> Math	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Grade</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Grade</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade</b> <b>Sept 28-Oct 9</b>
 <b>STAR™</b> Reading Spanish	<b>Kinder &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> Grade Dual Language Students</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Spanish Dominate Students</b>		<b>1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> Grade</b> <b>Sept 8-18</b> <b>Kindergarten, 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup></b> <b>Sept 21-Oct 2</b>

# **STAR 360° Help Desk Session**



**Thursday, September 3, 2015**  
**Afterschool**  
**Portable 222**