

Dear Home Education Parent/Guardian:

This letter is to inform you of when FCAT testing is and to give you resources for having your child evaluated.

As you know an evaluation is required for each year of enrollment in the Home Education Program. The evaluation is your responsibility and **due on the anniversary date of when you enrolled your child in the Home Education Program**. If you are unsure of this date please check the acceptance letter you received. This includes kindergarten students to students 18 years of age.

Evaluation Options:

- Option 1. A teacher selected by the parent may evaluate the student's educational progress upon review of the portfolio and discussion with the student. The teacher must hold a valid regular Florida Certificate to teach academic subjects at the elementary or secondary level. A signed written report completed by the certified teacher must be submitted to the superintendent. A copy of the evaluator's valid Florida teaching certificate must be attached to the report; or,
- Option 2. The student may take any nationally normed student achievement test used by the district and administered by a certified teacher; or,
- Option 3. The student may take a state student assessment test administered by a certified teacher. Pinellas County uses the *Florida Comprehensive Assessment Test (FCAT); or,
***FCAT Mathematics' test is not be available for 9th this year (2010/2011)**
And will not be available for both 9th & 10th grades next year (2011/2010)
- Option 4. The student may be evaluated by an individual holding a valid, active private psychologist's license; or,
- Option 5. The student may be evaluated with any other valid measurement tool as mutually agreed upon by the superintendent and the student's parent or guardian.

Please note that Option 1 and 2 requires the use of a certified teacher. Currently there are no provisions for submitting transcripts from a school in place of an annual evaluation; this includes FLVS transcripts or grades.

If you plan to have your student tested by Pinellas County Schools (FCAT) in order to meet the annual evaluation requirement by selecting Option 3, you need to notify the school nearest your home at least two weeks in advance to have him/her tested with the other students. **The test dates are March 1 - 4 for writing, April 11 – 22 for reading, mathematics and science.** The parent needs to provide the school with the student's correct date of birth, grade level and social security number (requested) so that test scores will be correctly recorded. **Parents who fail to supply school with student's social security number risk test scores being recorded incorrectly.** You will also need to notify our office of your intent to use the FCAT as an evaluation. **In order to register for the FCAT Test, parents must present a copy of this letter to the school where the test will be administered.** Please remember when using the FCAT as a form of evaluation your child must complete the entire testing. For students in grades K, 1, 2, 11 & 12 testing must be done using one of the other options.

Sincerely,

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Annual Evaluation Letter (2010/11)

HOME EDUCATION EVALUATORS AND TESTERS FOR PINELLAS COUNTY'S ANNUAL TESTING

Names & Addresses	Credentials	Grades & Tests	Costs & Information
Danna Alloway 1319 Playmoor Drive Palm Harbor, FL 34683 943-5008 224-1217 cell Dalloway@tampabay.rr.com	CT: Pre-K-6 BA, MA	Evaluate Pre-K-6	\$45.00 first child \$40.00 siblings
Dayna Anderson 4601 Queen Street North St. Petersburg, FL 33714 522-8646 Danderson268@tampabay.rr.com	CT: 1-6 BA Elementary Ed	Peabody Individual Achievement Test Revised (PIAT-R) Wide Range Achievement Test (WRAT) Portfolio Evaluation K-12	\$75.00 first child \$70.00 second child \$65.00 additional siblings \$40.00 evaluation
Dennis Apple 9887- 4 th Street North Suite 232 St. Petersburg , FL 33702 381-0415 swacdnkick@aol.com	CT: K-12 Licensed & Nat'l Certified P BS, MA, Ed.S. VI MH Certified Homeschool Dad	K-college Woodcock-Johnson Achievement Test III (WJ-III)	\$65.00 Sibling discount Also testing for IQ, Learning Disabilities Grade Placement, Gifted, Cognitive Processing
Jen Belknap 1963 Mckinley Street Clearwater, Fl 33765 230-1646 cherrylolly2001@yahoo.com	CT: K-6 BS	Evaluate PreK-6	\$30.00 one child \$55.00 two children \$75.00 three or more children
Vicky Bueller 5580 - 14 th Avenue North St. Petersburg, FL 33710 384-8178 vbueller@tampabay.rr.com	CT: 6-12 BA Homeschool Mom	Evaluate K-12 Kaufman Test of Educational Achievement (KTEA) 1-12	\$20.00 evaluation KTEA starts at \$30.00 Call after 12 noon Cash only
Linda Bussinger 7228 Stone Haven Court North Pinellas Park, FL 33781 541-7775	CT: K-12 MS	Evaluate 1-12 Peabody Individual Achievement Test Revised (PIAT-R) K-8	\$45.00 first child \$40.00 additional children Limited times available
Joanne Cecere 1500 Flint Drive West Clearwater, FL 33759 797-5396	CT: K-5 BA	Evaluate K-12 Peabody Individual Achievement Test Revised (PIAT-R) K-12 Stanford Achievement Test Current Edition+	\$40.00 \$70.00 first child \$65.00 siblings \$95.00
Susalee Cook 11623 - 67 Avenue North Seminole, FL, 33772 417-2978 cell	CT: K-12 BA Specific Learning Disabilities (SLD) Certified	Peabody Individual Achievement Test (PIAT) K-12	\$50.00
Fireside Christian PO Box1607 Pinellas Park, FL 33780 544-3949 Firesideca@verizon.net	617 Private School CT: K-12	California Achievement Test (CAT) Must call by April 1, 2011, for testing on April 12, 2011	\$35.00 Must adhere to dress code Hand scoring

CT=Certified Teacher, P=School Psychologist

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<p>Amy Dayton 1515 10th Street North St. Petersburg, FL 33704 251-2909 adayton1@tampabay.rr.com</p>	<p>CT: K-12 BFA</p>	<p>Peabody Individual Achievement Test Revised (PIAT-R) Wide Range Achievement Test (WRAT) Portfolio Evaluate K-12</p>	<p>\$75.00 first child \$70.00 second child \$65.00 additional siblings \$40.00 evaluation</p>
<p>Karen Finch 100 Bluff View Drive Belleair Bluffs, FL 33770 470-4622 karenfincheval@yahoo.com</p>	<p>CT: K-12 BS, MS Homeschool aunt</p>	<p>Evaluation PreK-12 Peabody Individual Achievement Test-Revised (PIAT-R) Kaufman Test of Achievement (KTEA) Woodcock Test Revised Keymath Revised Diagnostics</p>	<p>50.00 first student \$45.00 each additional sibling Gifted screening included in price Pre-K \$35 Portfolio only \$40 My home or yours</p>
<p>Toni Gross 711 Satin Leaf Avenue Oldsmar, FL 34677 (813) 891-6410</p>	<p>CT: K-12 BS</p>	<p>Stanford Achievement Test (SAT) K-12</p>	<p>Negotiable fee Your home</p>
<p>Linda Harris 14627 Brewster Drive Largo, FL 33774 596-1111</p>	<p>CT: K-6 CT: K-12 Sp. Ed. BS</p>	<p>Kaufman Test of Educational Achievement (K-TEA)</p>	<p>\$45.00</p>
<p>Dana Hodges No address (813) 948-6225 Danarae29@hotmail.com</p>	<p>CT: K-6 BS Elementary Ed Nat'l Certified</p>	<p>Evaluate K-12</p>	<p>\$40.00</p>
<p>Joanne Holland 1785 Beechwood Avenue Northeast Apt. #4 North Canton, OH 44720 (330) 495-2725 cell Nov.12, 2010-May 13, 2011 824 Madera Avenue Clearwater, FL 33759 793-0818 Jolu6991@aol.com</p>	<p>CT: K-12 BA, MS Ed</p>	<p>Evaluate Pre-K-12 Woodcock-Johnson Achievement Test III (WJ-III) Peabody Individual Achievement Test Revised (PIAT-R) KeyMath</p>	<p>\$65.00 Your home or mine from Nov. 12, 2010 to May, 13, 2011 \$25.00 Referral compensation</p>
<p>Diane Koplak 2118 Otter Way Palm Harbor, FL 34685 510-0616</p>	<p>CT: 1-5 CT: 1-12 Reading</p>	<p>Evaluate K-12 Woodcock-Johnson Achievement Test III (WJ-III) K-12</p>	<p>\$50.00 \$65.00</p>
<p>Eve Lelekis 611 Palm Avenue Tarpon Springs, FL 34689 938-6005</p>	<p>CT: K-6 BS</p>	<p>Evaluate K-5</p>	<p>\$30.00</p>
<p>Lisa McAllister 48 Vaux Way Newnan, GA 30263 (678) 877-0205</p>	<p>CT: K-5 BA</p>	<p>Evaluate K-12 Peabody Individual Achievement Test Revised (PIAT-R) K-12 Stanford Achievement Test Current Edition+</p>	<p>\$40.00 \$75.00 first child \$70.00 siblings \$95.00</p>

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Carol McCabe 5948 - 5 th Avenue South St. Petersburg, FL 33707 345-3198	CT: K-6 BA	Evaluate K-12	\$35.00 My home Discount after second child
Jennifer Moon PO Box 6054 Palm Harbor, Fl 34684 485-4660 jmoon@steppingstones-llc.com	Licensed P PhD	Woodcock-Johnson Achievement Test III (WJ-III) Wechsler Individual Achievement Test III (WIAT-III)	\$75.00 \$75.00 Sibling discount
Sandra Moser 12836 Royal George Avenue Odessa, FL 33556 (813) 920-7195	CT: K-12 MS	Woodcock-Johnson Achievement Test III (WJ-III) K-12	\$60.00
Harold Mullins 6908 13 th Street North St. Petersburg, FL 33702 522-7393 mayday_93@tampabay.rr.com (prefer)	CT: 5-9 CT: K-12 Sp. Ed. BA	Wide Range Achievement Test-IV (WRAT-IV) Oral Written Language Scales (OWLS) Evaluations	\$50.00 first child \$45.00 second child \$30.00 evaluations Your home (Nov-August only)
Cynthia Perry 2418 Falcon Lane Palm Harbor, FL 34683 656-5505	CT: 1-6 BS	Evaluate K-12	\$50.00
Tiffany Perez 3271 Glenridge Drive Palm Harbor, FL 34685 504-1784	CT: Pre K-5 BS	Evaluate Pre K-5	\$30.00 first child Sibling discount
Lori Samuelson 613 Timber Lane Tarpon Springs, FL 34689 938-6558	CT: Pre K-12 MEd	Evaluate K-12	\$50.00 first child \$45.00 additional siblings
Michelle Turner 15409 Sir Maxwell Court Odessa, FL 33556 324-8828 Kohler_turner@yahoo.com	Licensed P	Woodcock-Johnson Achievement Test III (WJ-III) K-12	\$75.00 Your home
Christi Thorn/Goins/Crapo No mailing address 946-1646 cell	CT: K-9 BS Early Childhood Certified	Evaluate Pre-K-11 Test on Pinellas County Public School Student Expectations Flexible Testing Based on Home Curriculum K-11	Varies Sibling discount
Victoria Ward 100 Bluff View Drive Belleair Bluffs, FL. 33770 470-4184	CT: K-6 MEd ESE and ESOL Certified	Evaluate K-12	\$30.00-\$200.00
Andrea Watson No mailing address 418-4558 lanieandeiley@yahoo.com	CT: 1-6 BS Elementary Ed	Peabody Individual Achievement Test Revised (PIAT-R) combined with Wide Range Achievement Test-IV (WRAT-IV) Wide Range Achievement Test-IV (WRAT-IV) separately K-12	\$75.00 first child \$70.00 second child \$65.00 additional children \$50.00 first child \$45.00 additional children



PINELLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS
HOME EDUCATION EVALUATION

Student's Name:

Student's Date of Birth:

Student's Address:

Parent's/Guardian's Name:

City, State, Zip:

Phone Number:

Check here if this is a change of address or change of phone number

The evaluation took place on: (date)

EVALUATION METHOD: Portfolio Review & Discussion with the Pupil

National Normed Achievement Test

Which test was administered?

Psychological Evaluation

Upon review of the portfolio and/or testing, I find that this student has has not demonstrated progress at a level commensurate with his or her ability.

Please complete the following sections, as appropriate, and sign this from.

If the evaluator is a teacher, a copy of the current Florida teaching certificate must be attached. If the evaluator is a licensed psychologist, the Florida license number must be listed.

Teacher's Name (please print)

Current Florida Certificate Number

Teacher's Signature

Date of Expiration

Licensed Psychologist's Name (please print)

Florida License Number

Psychologist's Signature

Date of Expiration