**Family Instructions for earlyMath Screening Composite**

**Kindergarten Students**

Thank you for assisting your child to complete the FastBridge earlyMath screening assessment. In order to conduct this assessment, your child and your child’s teacher will need to log in at the time listed below.

The screening assessment will be conducted on the following day and time:

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The testing session will be conducted using a video conference link. Here is the link for your child’s sessions:

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Your child will need to use a computer or tablet device with both audio and video available. Once they are both online, the teacher will conduct the test by having your child identify numbers and quantities and count out loud.

The specific earlyMath measures that your child will complete are:

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| **Fall** | **Winter** | **Spring** |
| Numeral Identification-K  **Match Quantity**  Number Sequence-K | Numeral Identification-K  Number Sequence-K  Decomposing-K | Numeral Identification-K  Number Sequence-K  Decomposing-K |

For *one* of these assessments, your child will need adult assistance. Here is how you can help:

* **Match Quantity**:
  + The teacher will present pages on the screen with dots and numbers on each page.
  + Your child will be asked to point to the correct number that matches the dots.
  + The teacher might not be able to see where your child points.
  + During this subtest, please tell the teacher which number your child selected.

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**USE THESE DIRECTIONS ON THE DAY OF TESTING**

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| **VERY IMPORTANT: It is extremely important that you allow your child to provide the answers to each item. You will be asked to tell the teacher which item was selected on one of the subtests, but the choices need to be made by your child. You will also be allowed to answer questions about the computer equipment. However, providing hints or answers to your child on the actual test items will affect the score and make the results invalid.** |

**NOTE: THE FOLLOWING DIRECTIONS APPLY TO**

**ANY EQUIPMENT PRACTICE SSESSION AS WELL AS ACTUAL TESTING SESSIONS**

1. On the date assigned for your child, have your child log in to a computer or tablet device and open an internet browser.
2. Open the link for the videoconference session that your child’s teacher sent.
   1. If you have questions about access to the videoconference link, contact your child’s teacher or school contact person. FastBridge cannot answer questions related to these links.
3. Confirm that the audio and video connections on your child’s computer or tablet are working.
4. Your child’s teacher will provide specific directions for the assessment once your child is connected.
5. Assist your child with the Match Quantity subtest as follows:
   1. The teacher will present pages on the screen with dots and numbers on each page.
   2. Your child will be asked to point to the correct number that matches the dots.
   3. The teacher might not be able to see where your child points.
   4. During this subtest, please tell the teacher which number your child selected.
6. Once your child has completed the test, no additional steps are needed.
7. If you have questions, contact your child’s teacher or the staff person who sent these directions.