

## How are standards-based report cards different from traditional grading?

With many traditional report cards, students receive one grade for reading, one for math, one for science and so on. These letter grades do not tell parents which skills their child has mastered. On a standards-based report card, each of these subject areas is divided into a list of skills and concepts that students are responsible for learning. Students receive a separate mark for each standard which allows parents to see exactly which skills and knowledge their child has learned and in what areas the child needs additional instruction. Standards-based report cards provide more consistency among teachers because all students are evaluated on the same, grade-appropriate skills.

## How will my child's progress be reported?

Student progress will be reported to parents using the following rating scale:

Standards Rating Scale		
<b>3</b>	<b>Exceeds Mastery</b>	Student consistently applies and extends key concepts, processes, and skills in addition to meeting grade-level standard.
<b>2</b>	<b>Meets Mastery</b>	Student demonstrates the ability to consistently apply grade-level standard with accuracy, independence, and a high level of quality.
<b>1</b>	<b>Not Yet Mastered</b>	Student demonstrates limited or no knowledge of grade level standard. (Teacher explanation required.)

Comment Explanations	
<b>Not enough evidence shown</b>	Has not yet demonstrated the concept enough to determine mastery.
<b>Prerequisite skills not yet mastered</b>	Prior essential skills necessary not yet demonstrated to meet mastery.
<b>Interventions provided</b>	Additional, personalized instruction required to meet mastery. Examples: tutoring, one-on-one, small group, computer based program, etc.
<b>Teacher guidance necessary</b>	Concept unclear and student needs additional time and support from the teacher to meet mastery.
<b>Concept not consistently shown</b>	Inconsistently demonstrates the concept/skill to meet mastery.
<b>On track for mastery</b>	Doing as expected and progressing to meet mastery.

The standards identified here have been created after a careful review of the Oklahoma State department of Education's Priority Academic Student Skills (PASS). For the complete text of state standards, please visit the State Department's website at <[www.sde.state.ok.us](http://www.sde.state.ok.us)>.

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# Standards-based Report Cards

## Pre-Kindergarten

## Parent Guide

## Questions from Parents

This curriculum brochure has been designed to provide parents with an overview of what their child will be learning this year and how their progress is going to be reported. Under each content area, is a list of skills, also called Standards, that identify what we expect all students to know, understand, and be able to do by the end of the year.

### What are standards-based report cards and why are they important?

This report card makes the grade-level standards clear to parents so they know exactly what their child should know and be able to do at each grade level. Standards-based report cards give parents specific information about how their child is doing and where they need to improve. Because concrete skills and knowledge are listed on the report card, it is one way to help monitor whether all students are being exposed to the same curriculum and learning the skills they should learn in each grade.

### Why is Putnam City using a standards-based report card?

We believe students are the biggest winners when standards-based report cards are used. These report cards give teachers, parents, and students clear and specific information about what skills and knowledge should be learned at each grade level. Teachers will assess student progress throughout the year and will evaluate the results and plan instruction and interventions accordingly. Students demonstrating a high level of performance on grade level standards will be provided enrichment activities and assignments that provide opportunities for them to broaden, expand, or deepen their learning, or they may be accelerated to the next group of objectives to be mastered. Students who have not mastered the material will be engaged in activities and instruction to correct their deficiencies and help them to achieve mastery.

## What are the standards my Pre-kindergartener is expected to learn?

### Reading/Literature



#### Print Awareness

Demonstrates book awareness (e.g. holding book right side up, turning pages)

Demonstrates that print runs left to right and top to bottom

Identifies own first name in writing

#### Phonemic Awareness

Recognizes rhyming words

Identifies words that begin with the same sound



#### Phonics

Identifies by name 10 or more letters

#### Comprehension

Uses pictures to gain meaning

Predicts events in a story

Retells or acts out stories



#### Writing

Uses writing to communicate ideas and information

Uses known letters or letter like symbols to represent written language

Prints his or her first name

#### Listening/Speaking

Understands and follows oral directions

Identifies by name eight basic colors (red, yellow, blue, orange, purple, green, brown, black)

Uses language to communicate desires to adults and others

Names objects rather than pointing

Expresses ideas in complete sentences of 4 or more words

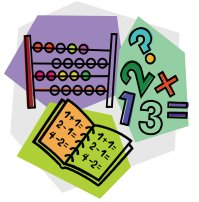
Gives relevant answers when asked questions

Recites simple finger plays and songs

### Mathematics

#### Patterns

Sorts and groups objects into a set  
Completes and continues simple AB patterns



#### Number Sense

Counts orally from one to ten

Counts objects from one to ten using one-to-one correspondence

Identifies and names numerals one to ten

Matches number of objects and corresponding numerals one to ten



#### Geometry & Measurement

Identifies and names basic geometric shapes (circle, square, triangle)  
Demonstrates knowledge of spatial relations between self and objects in space (over, under, beside, etc...)

### Social Studies

Identifies school and community personnel (principal, media specialist (librarian), secretary, nurse, custodian, firefighter, police)

Locates familiar places



### Science

Participates in simple experiments

### Social and Personal Skills

States personal information (first and last name, gender, age, parent/guardian name)

Uses problem solving strategies to solve conflicts