



August 5, 2020

To the Parent or Guardian of

The mission of Fountain-Fort Carson School District 8 is to ensure that each student receives an optimum educational experience. Our district recognizes the need to identify students who demonstrate a potential for exceptional performance. Based on performance assessment data, cognitive assessment data, and/or classroom teacher observations, our educational team would like to request permission to administer the following assessments:

Test of Early Reading Ability (TERA-4)

Test of Early Mathematics Ability (TEMA-3)

Test of Early Written Language (TEWL-3)

These assessments would provide us with essential information to better meet the educational needs of your student, and they will give us information on your student's reading, writing, and math skills in relation to his or her same-age peers. Our teachers will use this information to challenge your student.

The assessments will be given individually to your student and will take approximately 45 minutes each. There is nothing the student must do to prepare for these assessments. The test administrator will work with your student's classroom teacher(s) to ensure he or she will not miss critical class time. Upon completion of the assessments, results will be shared with you and your student's teacher(s). We believe this information will be very helpful in meeting your student's academic needs.

If you have any questions about these assessments, please do not hesitate to call. Please complete the attached form and return to the school office.

Sincerely,



Student's name: _____

Parent or Guardian's name: _____

Date: _____

My student, _____, has permission to
be given the TERA-4, TEMA-3, and TEWL-3 for the purpose of
identifying achievement in reading, writing, and math.

Parent/Guardian signature