



Fayette County Public Schools

Executive Summary Fayette County Public Schools Board Meeting Agenda Item

MEETING: Planning

DATE: 6/08/2026

TOPIC: Assessment Contract Renewal

PREPARED BY: Brooke Stinson

Recommended Action on: 06/22/2026

Action Item for Vote (REGULAR MEETING)

Superintendent Prior Approval: Yes

Recommendation/Motion: A motion to approve the Riverside Assessment renewal contract for the 2026-2027 school year.

Background/Rationale: For identification of gifted and talented students, we use the CogAT Iowa assessment in Grade 3 as a universal screener for all students and in Grades 4-8 as a referral, along with other data points to support this decision. The assessment is broken down into different domains: Math, Reading, Vocabulary, Science and Social Studies.

Strategic Priority:

- Student Achievement Unity, Belonging & Student Efficacy
- Highly Effective, Culturally Responsive Workforce
- Outreach & Engagement Organizational Health & Effectiveness

Data Considerations: In Kentucky, students qualify for Gifted and Talented (GT) services by demonstrating high potential or performance in general intellect, specific academics, creativity, leadership, or arts. Formal identification for general intellectual and specific academic areas requires standardized test scores from achievement tests.

Policy: 08.1 Curriculum

Fiscal Impact: \$86,600

Attachments(s): Riverside Assessment Platform Quote