

# Florida Impact Report



## BACKGROUND:

Lexia's research team conducted a study to determine the impact Lexia® Core5® Reading had on Florida students' ELA assessment scores in schools that were deemed underperforming. The results were significant.



## RESEARCH QUESTION:

What was the impact of Core5 on spring 2023 FAST ELA scores for grades 3–5 students in underperforming schools in Florida?



## CRITERIA FOR SAMPLE:

- Districts and/or schools with a D or an underperforming rating
- Schools with at least 25% of grade 3–5 students using Core5 with fidelity

## SAMPLE:



**33,209**  
grade 3–5  
students



**158**  
Elementary  
schools



**26**  
districts



## DATA POINTS:

- 2022 FSA ELA scores
- Spring 2023 FAST ELA scores
- Grade-level Core5 usage
- Demographics
- School and District Ratings

## RESULTS:



Underperforming Core5 schools in Florida had English Language Arts FAST scores that were on average **1.5 points higher** than similar non-Core5 schools.

The strongest effect occurred in grade 5, with Core5 schools scoring on average **3 points higher** than non-Core5 schools on FAST.



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