



FLORIDA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL UNIVERSITY

Value Added Model (VAM) scores are derived from Florida Standards Assessments (FSA) which are exams that measure whether students in the state of Florida are making progress in terms of curriculum standards set by the state and examine students' higher-order thinking skills. All public schools' students in grades 3-10 must take the FSA exams. Students in grade 3 are tested in English language arts (reading). Those in grades 4-10 are tested in English language arts (reading and writing), and those in grades 3-8 are tested in mathematics. Only those individuals employed in a Florida public school or charter school who were teaching an FSA-assessed grade level or course would be assigned a VAM score. VAM scores measure the impact of a teacher (program completer) on student learning by controlling other factors that may impact the learning process and by controlling the influence of differences among the entering classes so that schools and teachers do not have advantages or disadvantages simply because of being assigned to a certain school or to a certain class within a school.

FAMU EPP 2024 Value ADDED Model (VAM) Score (2020-2021Completers)

Florida A&M University								
Program	Final VAM Number	Final VAM Program Group level	Final VAM Std. Error	Final Vam Score 95LL	Final VAM Score 68LL	Final VAM Score 68UL	Fina VAM Score 95UL	Final VAM Score Cattxt
Math Education Program 6-12	N/A							
English Education Program 6-12	N/A							
Elementary Education Program K-6	3	-0.077	0.076002193	-0.404	-0.177	0.023	0.25	Effective

Source: Florida Department of Education: If finalVAMscore_prog_95LL > 0, then Highly Effective. If finalVAMscore_prog_68UL >= 0, then Effective. If finalVAMscore_prog_95UL >= 0 and finalVAMscore_prog_68UL < 0, then Needs Improvement. If finalVAMscore_prog_95UL < 0, then Unsatisfactory.