

COVID-19 Temporary Grading Guidelines

Spring 2020 Semester

Adjusted Grading Periods

4th Six-Weeks	Opened – Wednesday, January 8 Closed – Friday, February 14
5th Six-Weeks	Opened – Tuesday, February 18 Closes – Last Day of School *No actual numerical grades will be taken during this grading period. Grades taken prior to Friday, March 13 will not count toward an overall 5th six-weeks grade.
6th Six-Weeks	*No 6th Six-Weeks Grading Period

5th Six-Weeks Grades

Grades earned from February 18 through March 13 will not be counted toward an overall 5th six-weeks grade.

Individual Assignment Grade through Remote Learning

Beginning Monday, April 6, grades for remote learning assignments (defined as any assignment completed outside of face-to-face instruction) will be as follows:

- "Meets Expectations (ME)" 70% or above on a remote learning assignment.
- "Approaches Expectations (AE)" Any effort given on a remote learning assignment.
- "Incomplete Expectations (IE)" Did not complete remote learning assignment.

Semester Grades

For the Spring 2020 semester, students will be given a semester grade of one of the following based on the teacher's overall assessment of the student's mastery of safety-net standards.

- "Meets Expectations (ME)" 70% or above in assignments through the combination of remote learning and/or assignments prior to March 13, including 4th six-weeks grades.
- "Approaches Expectations (AE)" Any effort given from the combination of remote learning and/or assignments prior to March 13, including 4th six-weeks grades.

 "Incomplete Expectations (IE)" – Students who did not complete any remote learning assignments and did not meet expectations during face-to-face instruction prior to March 13.

GPA/Class Rank

The Spring 2020 will not count for GPA or class rank for any student in grades 9-12.

- **Current Seniors** GPA/class rank for current seniors will be determined using course grades through the end of the Fall 2019 semester. Grades earned from the Spring 2020 semester will not be counted in GPA/class rank. Seniors were notified of their current (and final) ranking in January 2020.
- **9th 11th Grade Students** The grades earned in the Spring 2020 semester will not count toward future class rank/GPA for 9th 11th grade students. However, students still must earn an "Approaches" or "Meets" in the course to receive credit toward graduation.

Effect on GPA/Class Rank for 8th Graders in Algebra I

8th Grade Students - The grades earned in the Spring 2020 semester for Algebra I will
not count toward future high school class rank/GPA. However, grades earned in Fall
2019 will count toward future high school class rank/GPA. Students will receive credit
for Algebra I if they earned a passing grade in the fall semester and an "Approaches" or
"Meets" in the spring semester.

High School Course Credit

Students who earn an "Approaches" or "Meets" will be given course credit for the Spring 2020 semester. Students using grade averaging from fall semester courses can be given full credit for the course if they earn an "Approaches" or "Meets" in the spring semester.