

# DISTRICT GRADING POLICY



2017-2018

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**Determining six-weeks grades**

| Grades<br>PK-5  | Grades<br>6-12  |
|---|---|
| <p>The reporting system will reflect a student’s performance in the classroom compared to grade level expectations. These expectations should be based on developmentally appropriate objectives that are specified within the reporting systems and conform to state guidelines.</p> | <p><b><u>Regular Classes</u></b><br/><b>Major grades</b> (unit tests, projects, presentations, lab reports, book reports, etc.) will count 50% of the six weeks grade.</p> <p><b>Daily grades, homework and quizzes</b> will count as 50% of the six-weeks grade.</p> <p><b><u>Pre-AP and AP classes</u></b><br/><b>Major grades</b> (unit tests, projects, presentations, lab reports, book reports, etc.) will count 60% of the six-weeks grade.</p> <p><b>Daily Grades/ Homework/Quizzes</b> will count as 40% of the six weeks grade.</p> <p><b><u>Dual Credit/ AP Overlay-</u></b><br/>AHS dual credit will follow all grading policies as outlined by TVCC. Additionally, students enrolled in the AP Overlay classes will be required to complete a summer reading project for AISD AP portion of the class.</p> |

**Determining the semester or yearly average**

| Grades<br>PK-5 | Grades<br>6-12  |
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| N/A            | The semester grade will be an average of the previous three six week grades.<br><br>Yearly grades will be the average of the two semester grades. |

**Progress Reports**

| Grades<br>PK-5   | Grades<br>6-12   |
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| Progress reports will reflect mastery of specific standards. | Progress reports will reflect a numerical grade through the end of the third week of the grading period. |

**Re-Teach/ Re-Test Policy**

| Grades<br>PK-K | Grades<br>1-5  | Grades<br>6-12  |
|----------------|--|---|
| N/A            | Every effort will be made to ensure that a student masters a skill. If a student does not master a skill at 70% or above, intervention or tutorials will be provided. Additional opportunities will be provided for the student to show mastery. | There will be one retest opportunity for students who do not show mastery. Reteaching must take place before the retest. The reteaching and retesting will be scheduled at a convenient time for the teacher and must be within a reasonable time frame (not to exceed 5 school days). <b>A grade of 70 shall be the highest grade recorded on a re-test.</b> If the first assessment and the re-assessment are both below a 70, the highest of the two grades shall be recorded. |

**Late Work Policy**

| Grades<br>PK-K | Grades<br>1-5   | Grades<br>6-12 |
|----------------|---|----------------|
| N/A            | Late assignments will result in a ten point reduction per day for a maximum of three days after which a grade of fifty may be given for work completed. |                |

**Make-up Work Due to Student Absence and School Related Absence**

| Grades<br>PK-K | Grades<br>1-5  | Grades<br>6-12 |
|----------------|--|----------------|
| N/A            | <p>It is the responsibility of the student to obtain assignments and turn them in following an absence.</p> <p><b><u>Absence:</u></b><br/>The number of days to turn in make-up work equals the number of days absent. For example, if a student is absent two days, he receives two extra days to complete the work missed through the two-day absence.</p> <p><b><u>School Related Absence:</u></b><br/>Students are not counted absent for a school related absence. Students are, however, responsible for checking with their teachers <b>before</b> leaving school about classwork they will miss during the school-related absence.</p> <p>Students are responsible for that class work the day they return to class.</p> |                |