





# DVUSD Grading Practices

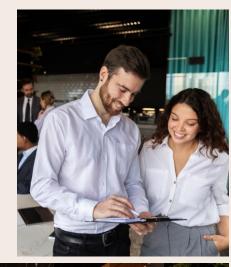


2023-24 School Year

Governing Board Work Session May 2, 2023



# DVUSD Grading Practices WorkTeam











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#### 26 Members

#### **Phase School Representation:**

Phase 1 or 2 Schools: 9 members Phase 3 Schools: 13 members

#### **Region Representation:**

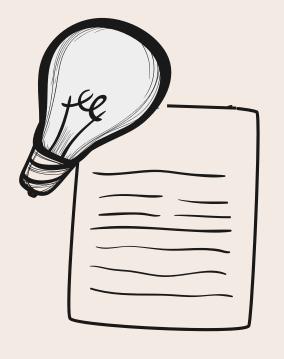
BCHS Region: 3 members BGHS Region: 4 members DVHS Region: 4 members MRHS Region: 5 members SOHS Region: 4 members No Region: 6 members

#### Roles:

K-2 Teacher: 2
3-6 Teacher: 3
7-8 Teacher: 1
9-12 Teacher: 3
Specials Teacher: 1
Dual Enroll Teacher: 1
Interventionist: 1
Instructional Tech: 1
DVEA Representative: 1

K6 Admin: 2
K8 Admin: 2
K-12 Admin: 1
HS Admin: 2
Dean: 1
BLT Rep: 1
CIA Rep: 1
IS&T Rep: 1
Counselor: 1









# The Charge



# **Governing Board Request**

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- Meaningful grade entered weekly
- Course grade scale with letter marks
- □ 0-100% grade scale
- All schools using the same scales
- ☐ Implement in the 2023-2024 school year







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# Meaningful Grade Entries







Teachers are expected to enter a **meaningful grade** for each student in the electronic gradebook on a regular basis so that students, parents, and support staff can better monitor student progress.

A meaningful grade is a grade entry for an assessment or summative work and coursework or formative work that measures learning standards.



# Meaningful Grades\*



The frequency of entering meaningful grades is as follows:

- Classes that typically meet 4-5 days per week = at least 1 meaningful grade/week
- Classes that typically meet 2-3 days per week = at least 1 meaningful grade every other week
- Classes that typically meet 1 day per week = at least 1 meaningful grade every 3rd week

\*At least one meaningful assessment/assignment grade entry must be entered each week, but <u>an entry that impacts the course grade must be entered every 2 school weeks</u> (every 3rd week for classes meeting typically less than 5 days per week).







# Grade Scales and Calculations

K-2



### Calculations - Standards



All teachers are *required* to tag and enter proficiency levels for standards for **Assessment** gradebook entries, however can also tag proficiency for coursework.

Overall standards grades will be determined by the average of the most recent three proficiency level marks a student receives for each standard.





## Grade Scales: K-2nd Grades

Grade scale for marking proficiency of the STANDARDS:

4 = Applies grade level skills with greater depth or complexity

3 = Demonstrates grade level proficiency

2 = Approaches grade level proficiency

1 = Displays a significant lack of grade level proficiency

#### **Grade scale for overall COURSE GRADES:**

Kindergarten do not receive course grades)

E = Excellent

S = Satisfactory

N = Needs Improvement

**U = Under Performing** 



## **Calculations - Course Grades**



#### Kindergarten

- No course grades
- Only standards proficiency marks show for Kinder







## Calculations - Course Grades



#### 1st-2nd Grades

- Course grades automatically calculated from overall standards marks
- The average will be converted to a **letter grade** of E, S, N, or U.
- SCALE in POWERSCHOOL









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Grade Scales & Calculations

3-12



### Grade Scales: 3rd-12th Grade

Grade scale for marking proficiency of the STANDARDS:

4 = Highly Proficient

3 = Proficient

2 = Partially Proficient

1 = Minimally Proficient

#### **Grade scale for overall COURSE GRADES:**

A = 90-100%

B = 80 - 89%

C = 70 - 79%

D = 60 - 69%

F = 0-59%







## **Calculations - Course Grades**



#### 3rd-12th Grades

- Course grades automatically calculated from assignment/assessment entry scores
- The average will be converted to a letter grade of A, B, C, D, F
- SCALE in POWERSCHOOL

$$A = 90-100\%$$

$$B = 80 - 89\%$$

$$C = 70 - 79\%$$

$$D = 60-69\%$$

$$F = 0-59\%$$







## Calculations - Assessment Grades

#### 3rd-12th Grades

Evaluate standards on assessment and use this guide to enter scores in gradebook.

	nly Proficie 100%-90%		Profici 89%-		Proficient C 79%-70%		
100-97	96-94	93-90	89-85	84-80	79-75	74-70	
All 4's on standards	All 4's except for one 3	Mostly 4's with some 3's and/or 2's	Mostly 3's with some 4's All 3's on standards	Mostly 3's and 4's with a 2	Mostly 3's with some 2's	Mostly 2's with 3's and/or 4's	
Partially Proficient D 69%-60%			Minimally Proficient F 59%-50%				
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69-		64-60	59-			-50	
69- Mostly 2's with	65 and 3's	i	59- Mostly 2's o	56 and some			
Mostly 2's	65 and 3's	64-60 All 2's on standards	Mostly 2's o	56 and some	55-		



# Categories and Weighting

#### 3rd-12th Grades

 The following categories and weights will be applied to all gradebooks.



ASSESSMENT 80%

COURSEWORK 20%

PRACTICE 0%

- No Extra Credit
- No Penalties for behavioral elements



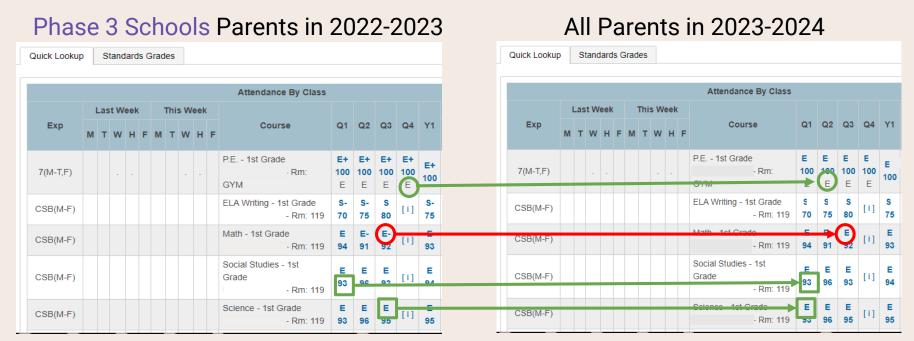




# What will change for parents?



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal - 1st-2nd Grades



Change: No plus or minus indicators

No Change: Letter Grades E/S/N/U

No Change: Percentages shown on 0-100% scale

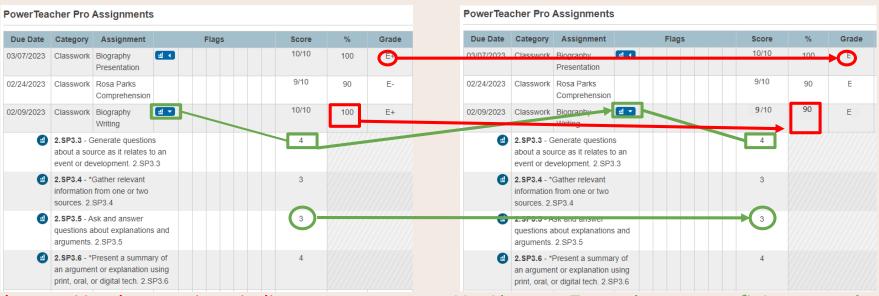
No Change: Citizenship marks on E/S/N/U scale



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal: 1st-2nd Grades

Phase 3 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



Change: No plus or minus indicators

Change: Scores aligned to actual performance

No Change: Expand to see proficiency marks

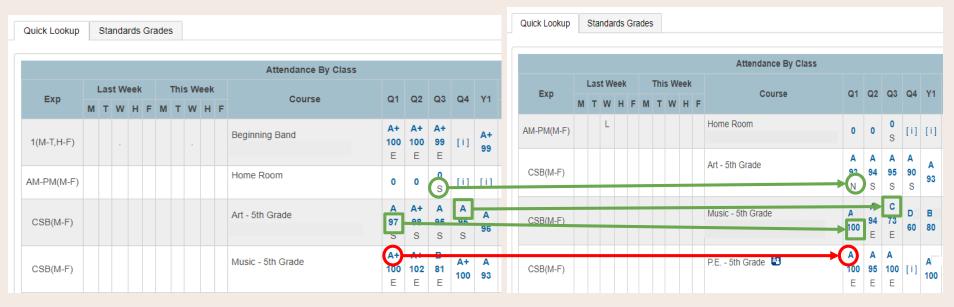
No Change: Proficiency marks on 1-4 scale



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal - 3rd-6th Grades

Phase 3 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



Change: No plus or minus indicators

No Change: Letter Grades A-F

No Change: Percentages shown on 0-100% scale

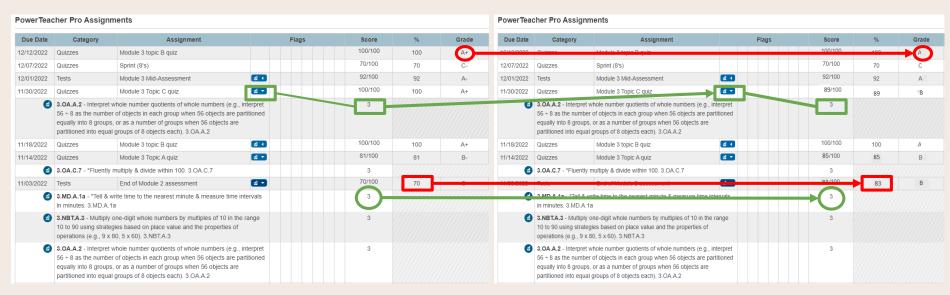
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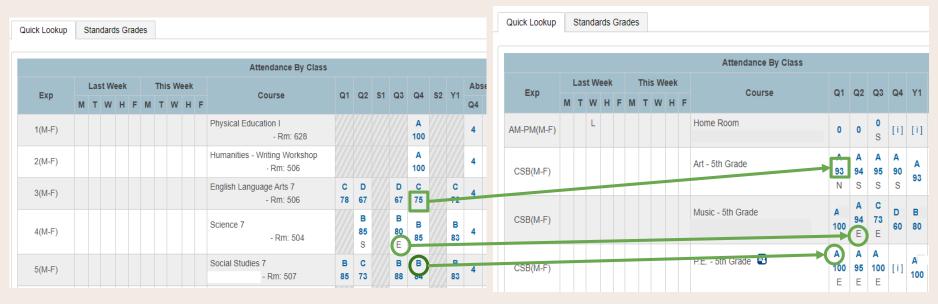
No Change: Proficiency marks on 1-4 scale



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal: 7th-8th Grades

Phase 3 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



No Change: Letter Grades A-F

No Change: Percentages shown on 0-100% scale

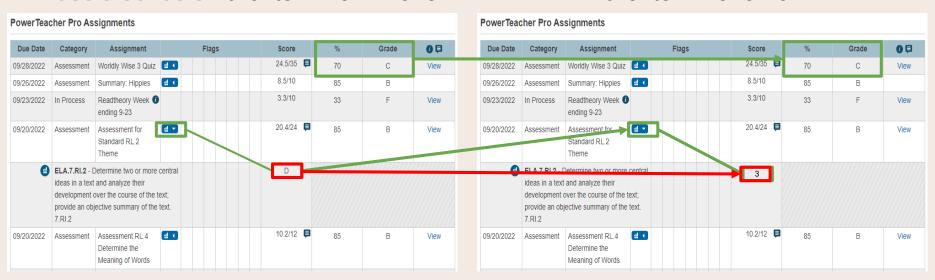
No Change: Citizenship marks on E/S/N/U scale



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Phase 3 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



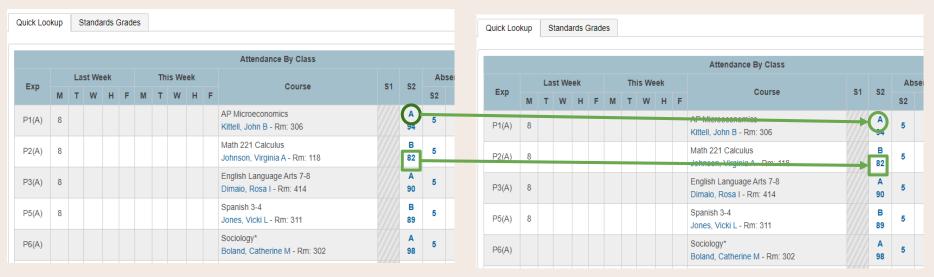
No Change: Expand to see proficiency marks No Change: Proficiency marks do not affect course grade (Added Info for Parents) Change: Proficiency marks on 1-4 scale No Change: % and Letter grade for each assignment entry shown



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal - 9th-12th Grades

Phase 3 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



No Change: Letter Grades A-F

No Change: Percentages shown on 0-100% scale



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal: 9th-12th Grades

Phase 3 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024

PowerTeacher Pro Assignments				PowerTeacher Pro Assignments									
Due Date	Category	Assignment	Flags	Score	%	Grade	Due Date	Category Assignment	Flags	Score	% 97	Grade A	<b>0</b> 🗐
05/04/2023	Assessment	AP Multiple Choice Test	<b>Ø</b>	61/100	61	D		Assessment					
04/18/2023	Assessment	AP FRQ Test	•	56/100	56	F	•	MA.AP.PC.1 - Practice 1   Procedural and Symbolic Fluency		4			
03/28/2023	Assignments	Lesson 5.2b, 5.4	0	7/10	70	С	05/01/2023	Assesment 9.1 Ellipse		60/100	60	D	
03/28/2023	Assessment	Lesson 5.2b Quiz	<b>Ø</b>	2/3	66.67	D		Assessment  MA.AP.PC.3 - Practice 3					
03/24/2023	Assignments	Lesson 5.2A	0	10/10	100	А		Communication and Reasoning		2			
							04/27/2023	Assesment 9.3 Parabola Assessment		85/100	85	В	

No Change: Expand to see proficiency marks on 1-4 scale; some teachers did not use last year

No Change: Proficiency marks do not affect course grade (Added Info for Parents)

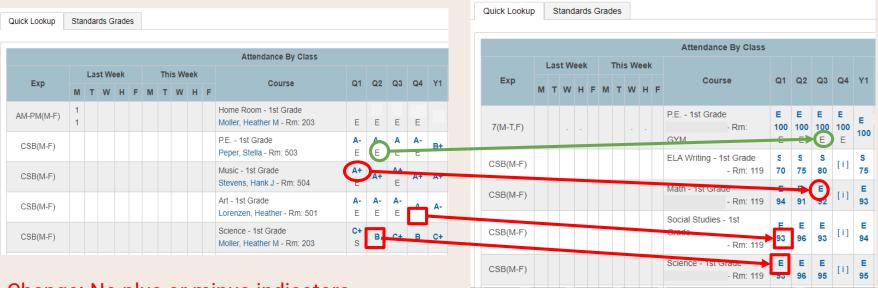
No Change: % and Letter grade for each assignment entry shown



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal - 1st-2nd Grades

Phase 1 & 2 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



Change: No plus or minus indicators

Change: Letter Grades of E/S/N/U

instead of A-F

Change: Percentages shown on 0-100% scale

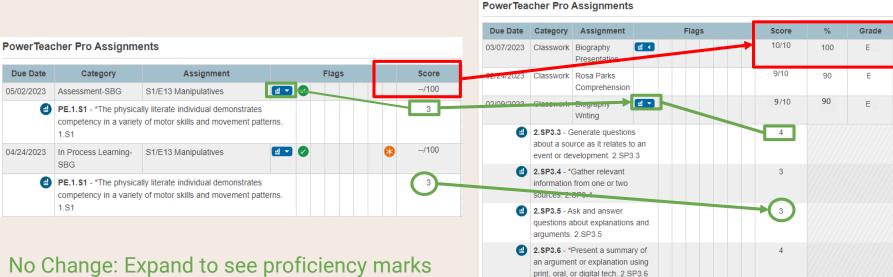
No Change: Citizenship marks on E/S/N/U scale



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal: 1st-2nd Grades

Phase 1 & 2 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



No Change: Proficiency marks will formulate course grade

No Change: Proficiency marks on 1-4 scale

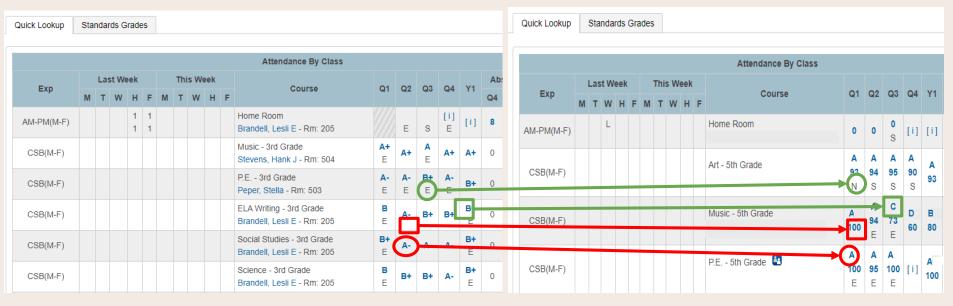
Change: Score, %, and grade will show



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal – 3rd–6th Grades

Phase 1 & 2 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



Change: No plus or minus indicators

No Change: Citizenship marks on E/S/N/U scale

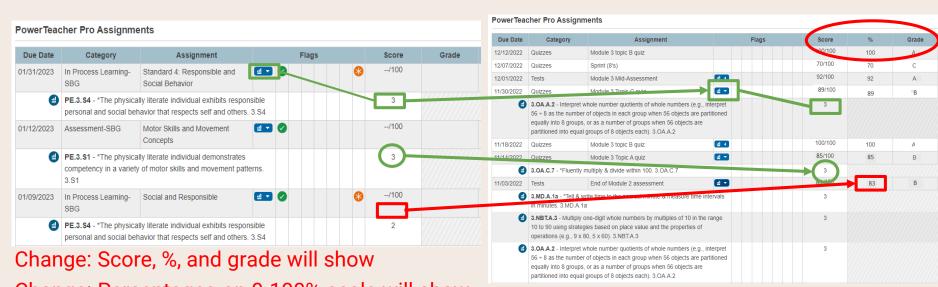
Change: Percentages on 0-100% scale will show No Change: Letter Grades A-F



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal: 3rd-6th Grades

Phase 1 & 2 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



Change: Percentages on 0-100% scale will show No Change: Expand to see proficiency marks Change: Proficiency marks no longer

No Change: Proficiency marks on 1-4 scale

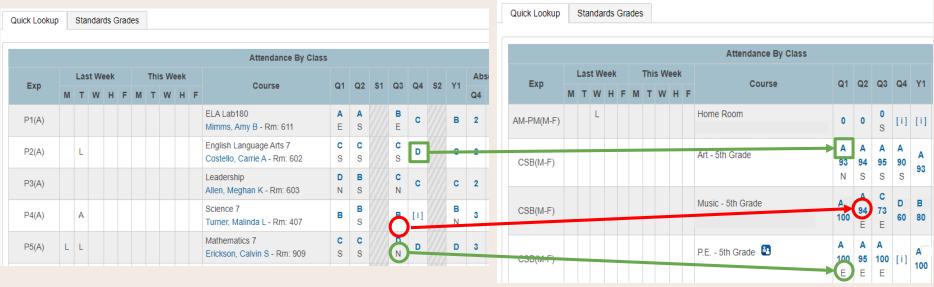
affect course grade



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal: 7th-8th Grades

Phase 1 & 2 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



No Change: Letter Grades A-F

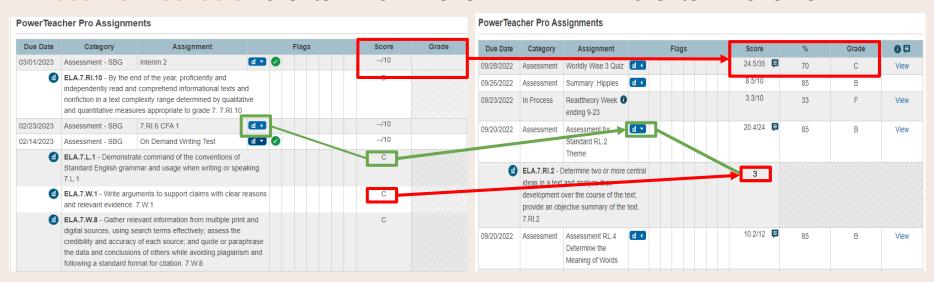
No Change: Citizenship marks on E/S/N/U scale Change: Percentages on 0-100% scale will show



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal: 7th-8th Grades

Phase 1 & 2 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



No Change: Expand to see proficiency marks Change: Proficiency marks no longer affect course grade

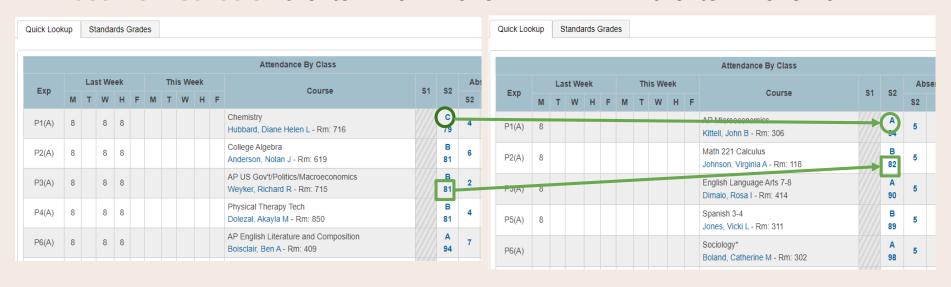
Change: Proficiency marks on 1-4 scale Change: Score, % and Letter grade for each assignment entry shown



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal - 9th-12th Grades

Phase 1 & 2 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



No Change: Letter Grades A-F

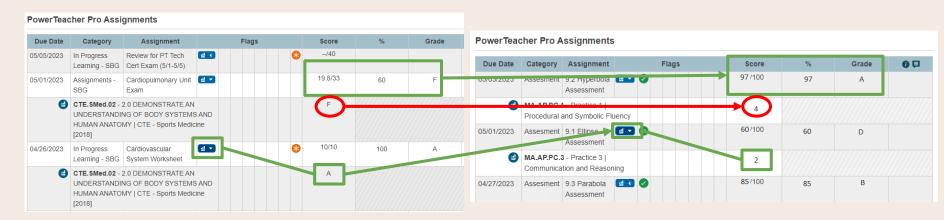
No Change: Percentages shown on 0-100% scale



#### PowerSchool Parent Portal: 9th-12th Grades

Phase 1 & 2 Schools Parents in 2022-2023

All Parents in 2023-2024



No Change: Expand to see proficiency marks

Change: Proficiency marks no longer affect course grade

Change: Proficiency marks on 1-4 scale instead of A-F scale

No Change: Score, % and Letter grade for each assignment entry shown



## Summary of Changes for Parents

	Phase 1-2 Schools	Phase 3 Schools
K	No Change	No Change
1st-2nd	No plus or minus grades Letter grades E/S/N/U instead of A-F Percentages will show	No plus or minus grades Course grades from proficiency marks
3rd-6th	No plus or minus grades Percentages will show Proficiency marks do <u>not</u> affect course grade	No plus or minus grades
7th-8th	Percentages will show Proficiency marks of 1-4 instead of A-F Proficiency marks do not affect course grade	Proficiency marks of 1-4 instead of A-F*  *Teachers expected to use the proficiency marks to provide more info for parents. Does not affect course grade.
9th-12th	Proficiency marks of 1-4 instead of A-F Proficiency marks do <u>not</u> affect course grade	Proficiency marks of 1-4 instead of A-F*  *Teachers expected to use the proficiency marks to provide more info for parents. Does not affect course grade.





# QUESTIONS







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