

Monday, September 4, 2023

Good Evening Myers Park High School Families and Happy Labor Day!

REVISED 2023 2024 CMS GRADING PLAN:

In the [2023 - 2024 CMS Grading Plan](#) ( ), updates have been made regarding "Final Exam Exemption" for courses that do not have a state-required assessment or EOC assessment (High School

Students who meet the criteria below may be exempt from taking a final exam in a course that does not require participation in a state-required assessment (i.e. CTE) or End of Course Assessment:

- Students with a grade of an 'A' (90%) or above and no more than 3 absences.
- Students with a grade of a 'B' (80%) or above with no more than 1 absence.

Students would have the option to take the final exam to improve their grade rather than the exemption. If a student chooses to take the exam, CMS grading practices are followed, and the exam counts for 20% of the student's final grade.

For students that have an undue hardship with attendance due to not having transportation established as a new or MCV student or has a documented medical/health condition through an IEP or 504, the principal may exempt the student from participating in a non-EOC/state required final exam if the student has met the academic criteria.

Students who participate and complete Advanced Placement exams may choose to take the teacher-made final to include in their final grade for the class.

## STUDENT INFORMATION FORM:

On \_\_\_\_\_ the North Carolina legislature passed the Parents' Bill of Rights. To better serve our families, CMS has created a dedicated [webpage](#) that includes information, forms, & resources that will help parents/guardians access information, request information, report concerns, or submit objections, opt in for- and receive notification about specific things as it relates to their child(ren) who attend our schools.