

IRVINGTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
UNIFORM GRADING PROFILE FOR REMOTE LEARNING
2020-2021



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Remote learning is when all learning is 100 % online; teachers deliver instruction from home and the students stay at home to receive instruction. Content Supervisors and Directors have modified the curriculum guides bearing in mind the New Jersey Student Learning Standards (NJSLS). Administrators will ensure quality instruction by visiting the Google classrooms on a regular basis and providing quality feedback to teachers. Similarly, aligned assessment will be administered virtually. As we know, remote learning cannot replicate the traditional school day. Therefore, grading for remote learning should be different from that of the traditional school day.

A determination of either “incomplete or no credit” will not be made without ample evidence that the teacher has afforded the student considerable flexibility with respect to whether the student had equitable access to learning opportunities, taking into account technology know-how, health, disability/IEP, and language challenges that may have adversely impacted academic performance. If a student does not complete any assigned work during this period despite emotional readiness, access to the technology and appropriate support for the work, they may receive an “incomplete or no credit” designation. Teachers will ensure that parents are in loop of students’ performances.

The District Uniform Grading Profile for remote learning requires that all assignments, classwork, independent practice, discussions/participation, quizzes, tests, and projects be done virtually (100 % remote). The virtual assessment and communication between teachers, students, and parents are benefits over traditional brick-and-mortar schools.

**UNIFORM GRADING PROFILE FOR REMOTE LEARNING
BY DISCIPLINE**

Assessment Tools by Cycle	Elementary Grades K – 2	<i>Minimum Number of Assignments</i>	Elementary Grades 3 – 5	<i>Minimum Number of Assignments</i>		Middle School Grades 6-8	<i>Minimum Number of Assignments</i>		High School Grades 9 - 12	<i>Minimum Number of Assignments</i>
MATHEMATICS										
TESTS	20%	2	20%	2		20%	2		20%	2
QUIZZES	30%	6	40%	6		40%	6		40%	6
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS (PRACTICE WORK, HOMEWORK, CLASSWORK)	40%	10	30%	10		30%	10		30%	10
PARTICIPATION (Attendance, Contributions, & Forum Discussion)	10%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>	10%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>		10%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>		10%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>

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SCIENCE										
TESTS	20%	2	20%	2		20%	2		20%	2
QUIZZES	0%	0	30%	4		30%	4		30%	4
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS & PROJECTS	60%	6	40%	8		40%	8		40%	8
PARTICIPATION (Attendance, Contributions, & Forum Discussion)	20%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>	10%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>		10%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>		10%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>

Assessment Tools by Cycle	Percentages	<i>Minimum Number of Assignments</i>	
<i>ADVANCED PLACEMENT SCIENCE</i>			
TESTS	40%	3	
QUIZZES	20%	3	
LABORATORY / PROJECTS	20%	2	
CLASSWORK / DISCUSSIONS	20%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>	

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APPLIED TECHNOLOGY										
TESTS	20%	1	20%	2		20%	2		20%	2
QUIZZES	0%	2	30%	4		30%	4		30%	4
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS & PROJECTS	50%	6	40%	8		40%	8		40%	8
PARTICIPATION (Attendance, Contributions, & Forum Discussion)	30%	Teacher's decision	10%	Teacher's decision		10%	Teacher decision		10%	Teacher's decision

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SOCIAL STUDIES										
TESTS	10%	1	20%	2		20%	2		20%	2
QUIZZES	20%	2	30%	4		30%	6		30%	6
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS & PROJECTS	60%	5	40%	8		40%	8		40%	8
PARTICIPATION (Attendance, Contributions, & Forum Discussion)	10%	Teacher’s s decision	10%	Teacher’s s decision		10%	Teacher’s s decision		10%	Teacher’s s decision

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ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS AND ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE: GRADES K - 2										
WRITING ASSIGNMENTS	25%	5	NA	NA		NA	NA		NA	NA
QUIZZES	10%	3	NA	NA		NA	NA		NA	NA
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS & PROJECTS	15%	3	NA	NA		NA	NA		NA	NA
PARTICIPATIO N (Attendance, Contributions, &	50%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>	NA	NA		NA	NA		NA	NA

Forum Discussion)									
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Assessment Tools by Cycle	Elementary, Grades 3 – 5	<i>Minimum Number of Assignments</i>		Middle School Grades 6-8	<i>Minimum Number of Assignments</i>		High School Grades 9 - 12	<i>Minimum Number of Assignments</i>
ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS AND ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE: GRADES 3 - 12								
TESTS / ESSAYS	30%	2		30%	2		30%	2
QUIZZES/ PROJECTS	25%	4		25%	4		25%	4
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS	25%	8		25%	8		25%	10

PARTICIPATION (Attendance, Questions, i-Ready Time on task per week (2 sessions a week), Submission of Assignment & Discussions)	20%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>	20%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>	20%	<i>Teacher's decision</i>
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PHYSICAL EDUCATION								
Quizzes	40%	4	40%	4	20%	2	20%	3
WRITTEN TEST	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	0
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS & PROJECTS	0%	0	0%	0	20%	2	20%	2
PARTICIPATION	60%	6	60%	6	60%	10	60%	10

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HEALTH										
Quizzes	40%	4	40%	4		20%	5		20%	5
WRITTEN TEST	0%	0	0%	0		20%	2		20%	2
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS & PROJECTS	0%	0	0%	0		0%	0		0%	0
PARTICIPATION (Attendance, Contributions, & Forum Discussion)	60%	6	60%	6		60%	10		60%	10

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WORLD LANGUAGES 4-12										
TESTS	N/A	N/A	20%	2		20%	2		20%	2
QUIZZES	N/A	N/A	30%	4		40%	4		40%	4
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS & PROJECTS	N/A	N/A	30%	4		30%	4		30%	4
PARTICIPATION (Attendance, Contributions, & Forum Discussion)	N/A	N/A	20%	Teacher's decision		10%	Teacher's decision		10%	Teacher's decision

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MUSIC & ART: VAPA										
TESTS (ORAL & WRITTEN)	40%	<i>2</i>	40%	<i>2</i>		40%	<i>2</i>		40%	<i>2</i>
QUIZZES	10%	<i>1</i>	20%	<i>2</i>		20%	<i>2</i>		10%	<i>2</i>
INDEPENDENT ASSIGNMENTS & PROJECTS	40%	<i>2</i>	30%	<i>2</i>		30%	<i>4</i>		30%	<i>4</i>
PARTICIPATION (Attendance, Contributions, & Forum Discussion)	10%	Teacher's decision	10%	Teacher's decision		10%	Teacher's decision		10%	Teacher's decision