



# What every student needs to know about grading

## OPS Grading Scale



<b>A</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>3.26 - 4.00</b>
<b>B</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>2.51 - 3.25</b>
<b>C</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>1.76 - 2.50</b>
<b>D</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>1.01 - 1.75</b>
<b>F</b>	<b>=</b>	<b>0.00 - 1.00</b>

How much time should I spend on homework?



You should expect ten minutes (or more) per day times your grade level.

- 3rd grade = 30 minutes
- 6th grade = 1 hour
- 12th grade = 2 hours

*Time may vary depending on classes.*

### Can I redo my work for full credit?

- Students may be allowed to redo/revise work until the end of the unit, based on teacher's professional judgement and evidence. Talk with your teacher.

### If I don't turn in my work on time, what happens?

- Work not turned in at all will be recorded in Infinite Campus (district grade book) as an M for missing which calculates to a score of zero.

### Am I allowed to turn in coursework late?

- Late coursework may be accepted for full credit until the end of the unit based on the teacher's professional judgment and evidence collected throughout the unit.
- Accepted late work will replace M with the score earned by the student.

### Are some assignments worth more than others? \*Secondary only.

- When entering grades in the grade book, teachers may assign greater weight to some major summative assignments.
- For example, the final exam may impact a student's summative grade more than a unit test.
- This information will be communicated to students prior to the day of the assessment.

How can I check my grades?



### Campus Mobile Portal for Parents and Students

Parents and students can now access their Campus Portal information on Android and iOS devices using the Campus Mobile Portal app.



- Daily Planner**  
View today's schedule and assignments due for each class.
- Assignments**  
Browse your assignments by period by specific class or due date.
- Attendance**  
Review attendance events in summary and detail form.
- Grades**  
Know your grades now. Forget about end-of-term report cards to know how you're doing.
- Food Services**  
OPS does not use the The Food Service feature in this application. To check your child's account balance, use the SchoolCafe on the OPS home page.

### Where to Download the Campus Mobile Portal App

The Campus Mobile Portal can be downloaded through the Apple App Store, Google Play Store or Amazon Appstore.



### How to Sign In

In order to connect your device to our district's Infinite Campus server, you need to enter

**Our District ID : Omaha Public Schools**

Continue by entering your username and password you use on the web portal.

If you do not have a username and password, contact your school.  
If you forgot your username or password go to:

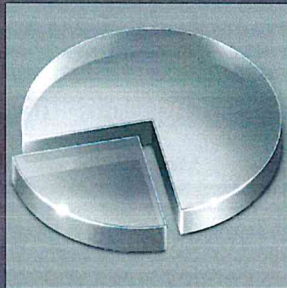
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# Omaha Public Schools Common Grading Practices



*How will mastery be evaluated?*

**35%**  
Weight for  
Formative  
Assessment



**65%**  
Weight for  
Summative  
Assessment

Formative: 35%

Summative: 65%

**STANDARDS** are what you should know and be able to do.

**GRADING** measures how well students master key concepts (or standards).

## Formative Assessments - during learning

- Lets your teacher know how well you are learning the standards
- 35 percent of your grade
- Work done in class, e.g., homework assignments, short quizzes, or any essay
- Can happen in class or outside of class

## Summative Assessments - at the end of learning

- Lets your teacher know how well you have mastered the standards
- 65 percent of your grade
- Major projects, a unit test, a research paper, a speech, etc.
- Can happen in class or outside of class.

*What is a rubric?*

It explains what an Advanced, Proficient, or Basic level of mastery is needed for a specific assignment, test, or project.

If I work with a group on a project, do we all get the same grade?

No. Work done in groups will be graded individually. Group grades are never used.

*How do I earn grades on an assessment?*

Teachers assess multiple levels of learning K - 12. Secondary teachers create leveled formative and summative assessments.

**(Advanced, Proficient, Basic)**

**ADVANCED** is when you did all the work and exceed what you're supposed to do.

⇒ You have performed consistently at a high level of difficulty, complexity, or fluency that is above the expected course content/grade level standard.

**PROFICIENT** is when you did what you are supposed to do.

⇒ You have performed at the level of difficulty, complexity, or fluency that is at the expected course content/grade level standard.

**BASIC** is when you understand the content information and vocabulary.

⇒ You have performed at the level of difficulty on some of the expected course content/grade level standards, but not all.