



Grading Practices

School: Tallwood High School

Subject(s): Virginia & U.S. History

Grade Level: 11th

Homework

Homework will mainly consist of assignments that were not completed during class and studying for quizzes and tests. If a specific assignment is given it will be collected by the teacher on the stated due date. Failure to turn in homework assignments will result in a zero. Late work will be accepted with a 10% penalty per class day that it is late. Anything is better than a zero!

Late Work

- Timely completion of all assignments is required.
- When you are absent on a test or project day, you should be prepared to make up the test or turn in the project immediately upon your return to school. A zero will be recorded for anything not made up within a timely manner.
- Assignments submitted after the due date will receive a penalty of 10% per school day. If the assignment is not turned in within a timely manner, a 0 will be recorded.
- Academic detentions will be used as necessary to insure assignment completion.

Explanation of Zeroes

Grades accessible through the Student and Parent Portal will be updated every week. Should you see a 0 in the gradebook that indicates that the assignment has been graded, but was either not turned in or earned zero credit. Should you see an X in the gradebook, the student is exempt from that assignment. Should you see a Z in the gradebook, the assignment was not turned in and currently not calculated in the total average. Empty spaces in the gradebook indicate that the assignment has not been graded, but soon will be.

Reassessment

Reassessments will be available for tests, projects, and quizzes provided that all assignments have been completed.

Make-up Work

Students are able to turn in late assignments no more than five class periods late. Late work will be accepted with a 10% penalty per class day. Any student with a “D” or “E” average will have their parent/guardian contacted by the teacher.

Extra Credit

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