



Grading Practices

School: Salem High School

Subject(s): English

Grade Level: 11

Homework

Teachers have developed guidelines that address the grading of daily homework, ensuring the assignments do not exceed 10% of a student's cumulative grade.

Late Work

Students who have missing work will receive a zero as a placeholder, and academic detention will be assigned as an opportunity to complete missing work. Late work will be accepted up to one week before the progress report or report card term in which it was assigned. When the work is completed and turned in, the zero will be removed, and the student will receive all credit earned (no docking of points).

Explanation of Zeroes

A "Z" will be assigned when work is late or missing. When the work is completed and turned in, the "Z" is removed, and the student will receive all credit earned (no docking of points). If the work is never submitted, the "Z" remains.

Reassessment

Students may choose to rewrite any piece of writing at any time based on the feedback provided by the teacher, as long as it is returned in the same grading term in which it was assigned. Students will receive the better of the scores earned.

Make-up Work

Absent work (make-up work) will be considered late work after 3 school days (see late work policy).

Extra Credit

Extra credit is not offered.

For additional information, please access the [VBCPS Grading Guidelines for Secondary Schools](#) on vbschools.com.