



Grading Practices

School: **Salem High School**

Subject(s): **Life Skills Math, Science, English, Social Studies, Education for Employment and VAAP**

Grade Level: **9-12**

Homework

Homework is no more than 10% of the grade and is used to support organizational skills and core subject areas.

Late Work

Students receive a “Z” until late work is submitted. Students are expected to complete the assignment on the date assigned, however deadlines may be adjusted at teacher discretion based on individual circumstances

Explanation of Zeroes

A “Z” is assigned to all missing work. If work is not submitted within five days of the close of a grading period, a 50% will be assigned and the work will be noted as “not submitted” in the public notes section of the grade book.

Reassessment

Any student who earns a failing grade on a summative assessment (to include a unit test, end of quarter test, major projects or papers), may be given an opportunity for reassessment provided the student has participated in class, completed related assignments, and demonstrated his/her best effort to meet with success on the prior assessment.

Make-up Work

If a student misses a classwork assignment due to absence, an alternate assignment may be given. Due dates for make-up work is at the teacher’s discretion.

Extra Credit

There is no extra credit offered.

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