



# Salem Middle School

## Grading Policies

### 2022-2023

Information	Explanation															
<b>Grading Scale</b>	A=90-100, B=89-80, C=79-70, D=69-60, F=59-0															
<b>Missed Work</b>	For absences of one to three days, the student will have one day for each day absent. For absences exceeding three days, the student may have two days for each day absent to make up work. Teachers should use discretion and may make exceptions in the case of students with excused absences that were not planned in advance, were beyond the student's control, and/or are of a nature which should not support making up work the day of return. There is no academic penalty for make-up work completed in the time frame stated above. All assignments are graded for full credit earned.															
<b>Home Work</b>	Homework will not count more than 15% of the grade. Homework should take a student no more than 90 minutes per day to complete.															
<b>Late Work (<i>not due to absence or extenuating circumstances</i>)</b>	Late work is defined as any work that was not turned in during the class period or by the specified time on the day it was due. Late work can be submitted until the school-wide late work deadline at the end of each quarter.															
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Any work not turned in by these dates will remain a zero. Students may receive a maximum of 30% penalty on late work.																



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<b>Test Corrections and Re-takes</b>	<p>If a student scores below a 70% on any major assessment, they will be given the opportunity to retake and/or complete test corrections for the assessment in order to demonstrate mastery.</p> <p>The maximum grade a student can receive on the re-take or test corrections is 70%.</p> <p>The re-take/test corrections must be completed in an agreed upon time frame between student and teacher.</p>
<b>Communication</b>	<p>Parents can check Power School to stay informed of student work.</p> <p>Two-way Parent Communication should occur when: Students are failing the course at the interim, students have failed at the Quarter, students are missing 5 or more assignments, students have 3 consecutive unexcused absences.</p>
<b>Interim Report Dates</b>	<p><b>Track 1</b> interims will be available the weeks of: August 9, November 1, January 31, April 25 <b>Tracks 3 and 4</b> interims will be available the weeks of: August 30, November 29, February 21, May 16</p>
<b>Quarter End Dates</b>	<p><b>Track 1:</b> September 9, December 5, March 7, June 2 <b>Tracks 3 and 4:</b> September 30, December 21, March 24, June 29</p>
<b>Report Card Dates</b>	<p><b>Track 1:</b> October 11, January 9, April 3, June 2 <b>Track 3:</b> October 11, January 9, April 3, June 29 <b>Track 4:</b> October 31, January 26, May 1, June 29</p>