Wakefield HS Final Exams and Grades for Spring 2021

Parents and Students,

As we approach the end of the school year, we wanted to share our exam schedule with you and provide you with some information that will help you prepare for exams. Information posted below will outline which tests are virtual or in-person, details about transportation and how exams will be administered and assessed.

If a student cannot take their exam for any reason (illness, AP Testing, etc.) during the assigned test time, he or she should set up a time for a make-up test during the testing window.

Your child's teacher is a great resource for additional information about your child's final exam for their class.

The final exam schedule is available on the school website under the Academics tab.

Courses Tested on Campus

List of Courses with EOC Exams:

Biology Math I English II Math III

List of CTE courses with State Exams:

Accounting I

Animal Science II

Apparel and Textiles Production I

Career Management

Child Development

Early Childhood I

Early Childhood II

Foods and Nutrition I

Interior Design I

Principles of Business

Sports and Entertainment Marketing I

EOC and CTE Exams:

- All administrations of EOC and CTE state exams must be in person as required by state policy. Students may not take EOC exams from home.
- If students cannot test during the original testing window, they will take their exam during the window for test make-ups.
- Students who have safety concerns with testing in the traditional setting will be offered smaller group settings with greater social distancing to the degree feasible.

• Students with safety concerns should contact Ms. Russell to discuss alternate arrangements.

Teacher-Made Exams

- Teacher-made exams will be administered digitally. Plan A students will take their exams at school, while VA students will take their exams at home during the same testing period.
- Students reporting to school for exams should bring their devices to school for testing.

Exam Exemptions

- Students cannot be exempt from required state testing (Exam and CTE) except through the medical exemption process. Families seeking medical exemptions should contact Ms. Amy Russell (arrussell@wcpss.net).
- For the 2020-2021 school year, seniors who have a final grade of C or better will be exempt from teacher made exams.

Grading Exams:

- An exam score can only Improve the student's course average.
- Exam scores count towards 20% of a student's final average.

<u>Transportation for Virtual Academy Students</u>

- Bus transportation and vendor transportation for Virtual Academy students who need to take EOC or CTE exams will now be available on any day schools have in-person learning, or on Remote Learning days for your school's calendar.
- All students must be eligible for transportation.
- Parents are asked to complete this form if transportation is needed.
- The deadline to make a request is Wednesday, May 19.