

StudentsGrading System

The grading system of Douglas County West Community Schools shall be as follows:

- a. Achievement marks shall be given on a numerical basis for all grades 4-12 with the mark of 59 or lower considered a failure.
- b. The grading scale is as follows:

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| A | = | 90-100 |
| B+ | = | 87-89 |
| B | = | 80-86 |
| C+ | = | 77-79 |
| C | = | 70-76 |
| D+ | = | 67-69 |
| D | = | 60-66 |
| F | = | 0-59 |
| I | = | Incomplete may be given to students that have not completed work by the end of the semester. Course work not made up will result in a failing grade. |
| P or NP | = | Pass or No Pass grades will be issued under special circumstances as approved by the administration. |

- c. Grading guidelines for kindergarten through third grades shall be used to report academic progress, where applicable. The following continuum will be used:
 - ES = Exceeding Standard: *Student can apply the skill/concept independently.*
 - MS = Meeting Standard: *Student can apply the skill/concept with minimal support.*
 - AS = Approaching Standard: *Student can apply the skill/concept at times, but continues to need some support.*
 - NY = Not Yet Meeting Standard: *Student needs consistent support to apply the skill/concept.*
 - NE = Not Evaluated: *Skill/Concept not evaluated at this time.*
- d. For all other grading reports received for transfer students, the principal or designee shall convert the grades to an approximately equal grade on our system.
- e. All grade reports will contain a percentage and letter grade for each subject, as well as the following: absences, tardiness, comments (if teacher desires).

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