

<b>Descriptor Term:</b>  Tests and Examination	<b>Descriptor:</b>  IKAA	Draft: 07/28/2009 08/11/2011
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Students in grades 7-8 may choose to be exempt from a final exam in a course provided the following requirements have been met:

- The student has no more than six (6) absences in that course during the school year.
- The student has not received a referral for excessive tardies in that course.
- The student has not received ISS or OSS during the school year.
- The student has achieved a yearly average of:
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 95-100 and has no more than 5 absences plus one medical absence in that class per semester; or
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 90-94 and has no more than 4 absences plus one medical absence in that class per semester; or
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 80-89 and has no more than 3 absences plus one medical absence in that class per semester.

Students in grades 9-12 7-12 may choose to be exempt from a second and fourth nine-week exam in a course provided the following requirements have been met:

- The student has not received an unexcused absence in that class.
- The student has not received a referral for excessive tardies in that class.
- The student has not received ISS or OSS during the school year.
- The student has achieved a semester or yearly average of:
  - 95-100 and has no more than 5 absences plus one medical absence in that class per semester; or
  - 90-94 and has no more than 4 absences plus one medical absence in that class per semester; or
  - 80-89 and has no more than 3 absences plus one medical absence in that class per semester.

A student from either level who is Students in grades 7-12 assigned to the alternative school Structured Day Program during the year forfeits the exemption privilege.

If the student elects to take an exam in which exemption requirements have been met, the student will not be penalized by an exam grade that will lower the student's average in that class for the nine-week average.