NFMS GRADING & REPORTING 2023-2024

A Summary of Grading Changes

Previous System	Revised System	
Each subject had standards separated out and graded in the grade book. (Mastery based grading)	Assignments as a whole are graded.	
0-4 Numeric Scale >> Converted to Letter Grades	A student's grade is a percentage based on the points possible.	
Habits of Mind Grades for Each Subject	Comments for each subject to add context to each student's grade.	

Grades Are Now Based on Total Points

- Teachers assign a point value to each task and assessment. For example, a unit test might be worth 100 points, while a project might be worth 30 points.
- The students' cumulative grade is based on the total points earned, divided by the total points attempted within each assignment type.
- A cumulative grade is calculated for each assignment category, which are then averaged together based on each type's weights.

All grades fall into one of two categories:

ASSESSMENTS



- Assessments are worth 60% of of the total grade.
- Assessments measure achievement. They are designed to allow students to demonstrate mastery of content that was explicitly taught over a set period of time.



- Tasks are worth 40% of of the total grade.
- Tasks represent the day to day learning.

An Example of Grade Calculation

(Click here for a short video.)



HOW IT WORKS

	TAS	SKS		
	Points Possible	Points Earned	%	
Exit Ticket	10	8		UNIT 1 TE
Paragraph	15	13		UNIT 2 TE
Worksheet	15	15		Chapter 3
Project	20	14		
Project	40	30		
Lab	10	10	40%	
TOTAL	110	90	82%	TOTAL

ASSESSMENTS						
	Points Possible	Points Earned	%			
UNIT 1 TEST	100	85				
UNIT 2 TEST	100	80				
Chapter 3 Quiz	50	50				
			60%			
TOTAL	250	215	86%			



HOW IT WORKS



OVERALL GRADE: 84%