

**ROBSTOWN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
AGENDA ACTION SHEET**

Date: June 13, 2022

Subject: Semester Exemption Policy for the 2023 Spring Semester

Administrator Responsible: Diana L. Silvas

Position: Deputy Superintendent

A. Purpose of Agenda Item:

Information Only

Action Needed

B. Authority for this Action:

Local Policy \_\_\_\_\_

Law or Rule \_\_\_\_\_

C. Strategic Objective, Goal, or Need Addressed:

Grading Guidelines require all students to take a semester exam at the end of the Spring semester for Yearlong Courses and at the end of all One Semester Courses. Students who do not meet exemption requirements will take a semester exam in each course.

D. Summary:

During one-semester courses and the spring semester, yearlong courses students will be eligible for exam exemptions.

Students in grades 9-12 may be exempt from the semester exam in each course if the following criteria are met:

- The student has maintained an average of 85 or higher during the semester in the course for which the exemption is granted.
- The student has no more than three unexcused absences in the course for which the exemption is granted.

The date range consists of the following:

August 19, 2019- December 4, 2019 - for students taking a one-semester course in the Fall  
January 9, 2020- May 13, 2020- for students taking one Semester Course taken in the Spring  
August 19, 2019 - May 13, 2020 - for Yearlong Courses

E. Alternatives Considered:

F. Comments Received:

G. Administrative Recommendation: That the Board approve the 2023 Spring Semester Exemption Policy.

H. Fiscal Impact and Cost:

I. Monitoring and Reporting Time Line: