



2020-21 Special Modifications to BPS Board Regulation 7210R

Parents and Guardians, in this unprecedented time, we recognize that some students may be adversely affected by the pandemic. Therefore, the following modifications will be implemented to address students' various academic needs during School Year 2020-21.

- If students are unable to complete work due to technology concerns, schools will provide students with alternative means to submit work and assess learning.
- Schools will provide students with opportunities as appropriate to revise and resubmit work in order to meet the learning objective of the lesson.
- Schools will communicate with parents and guardians about a student's academic needs including performance expectations, missing assignments, engagement with learning, and other academic factors.
- While attendance is extremely important, it will not be counted against students when determining a student's average. Furthermore, any high school student who achieves the learning outcomes for the course will receive a unit of credit for the course, if applicable.

Incomplete Learning

- Students will receive an **Incomplete (I)** for any assignment that has not been submitted by the end of the quarter.
- If missing assignments will cause a student to receive a quarterly average below 65, the student will receive an **Incomplete (I)** for that marking period. Students have the next marking period to submit missing assignments. This will apply to Quarters 1, 2, and 3 for full year courses.
- Once missing assignments have been submitted, the **Incomplete (I)** for that marking period will be changed to a numeric grade that is reflective of the student's demonstrated learning. *Please note, assignments that have not been submitted by the end of the next quarter may negatively impact a student's average for the quarter in which they were assigned.* This will apply to Quarters 1, 2, and 3 for full year courses.
- For full year courses, missing assignments in quarter 4 that cause a student to receive an average below 65 for the quarter, and cause the student's overall average to fall below 65, will result in the student receiving an incomplete for Quarter 4 as well as the overall average.
- Students who receive an overall final average below 65 will receive an **Incomplete (I)** for their overall average.
- For information regarding semester courses, please contact your student's school.

Students who receive an Incomplete as an overall final grade in a course may receive targeted intervention during the following school year, and/or may be enrolled in summer school and/or available credit recovery options as appropriate.