

ATTACHMENT NO. X-G: Grades 5-12 Grading Scale Revision

Potential motion: Move to update Grades 5-12 Grading Scale for the 2021-2022 school year and beyond.

Recommended action: Approve the motion.

The Administration recommends that the Board approve the proposed grading scale for Grades 5-12.

Current Grading Scale for Grades 5-12:

A	90-100
B	80-89
C	70-79
F	Below 70

Proposed Grading Scale for Grades 5-12: *to begin Fall 2021*

A	90-100
B	80-89
C	70-79
D	60-69
F	Below 60

Rationale:

- To align more closely to the K-4 grading scale
- To provide more equity across the grading scale
- To provide an opportunity for more feedback and intervention
- To align to surrounding school districts and Rock Valley College (our students take classes in these surrounding school districts)
- To align to state testing proficiency levels and the state report card
- This change will not affect anything for our high achieving students

IAR: Proficiency Levels Equated to Grades		SAT: Proficiency Levels Equated to Grades	
Exceeded Expectations	A	Exceeds Standards	A
Met Expectations	B	Meets Standards	B
Approached Expectations	C	Approaching Standards	C
Partially Met Expectations	D	Partially Meets Standards	D
Did Not Meet Expectations	F		

High School Specific Information:

- The “D” will be a 1.0 on the GPA scale
- Students in honors or AP courses will not receive weighted points for a “D”