ussex County Public Schools SCPS High & Middle Grading Summary

- In an effort to reassure everyone that students' final grades are in no way negatively impacted by the school closure, students will be assigned an P (Pass) or N (Needs Improvement) based on their performance in each subject area for Marking Period 3.
 - O SCPS Teachers began reviewing all Marking Period 3 work Wednesday, April 1st. Teachers will post preliminary Marking Period 3 grades in PowerSchool by Tuesday, April 14th based upon work completed before March 13th. Our students, parents, and guardians may review preliminary grades online and in the PowerSchool student/parent portal apps.
 - O Middle and high school students will have the opportunity to continue to work with their teachers to improve grades between April 14th and April 28th. This includes work sent home in packet form. (Work can be submitted via photos, text messages, e-mails, mailings or deposits in the drop boxes/bins located at the front door of each school and at the feeding sites listed on SCPS website). Spring Break will be observed from 4/6 to 4/13. Teachers will continue make themselves available by phone and e-mail beginning Wednesday, April 15th (after Spring Break) to assist students with remedial and recovery planned work in an effort to improve student grades.
 - Teachers will post final Marking Period 3 grades by Friday, May 1st at 4 p.m.
- Determining Final Grades for 2019-2020 school year:
 - O High & Middle Schools: Students are expected to meet all course requirements provided by their instructors during Marking Period 4.
 - As recommended by the Virginia Department of Education, SCPS fully intends to focus on providing necessary guidance with "instructional activities that will assist our students with continuing thinking, learning, and inquiry for all students."
 - High & Middle Schools: Final grades will be calculated and posted on Friday, June 5th. Final grade percentages of 60% and above (A, B, C, D) will be converted to a "P" (Pass) and 59% and below will be converted to "N" (Needs Improvement). Students earning a grade of "P" in any class will be awarded the course credit. The "P" will not be a part of the student's GPA calculation.

March 13 to Apr 24

Students will complete pre-closure assignments and packet work assigned for Marking Period 3.



April 14 to Apr 28

Teachers provide support to students with "N" (Need Improvement) in effort to get them back on track.



Apr 28

All Marking Period 3 work is due. New Exposure & **Enrichment Period Begins.**



May 1

Final grades for Marking Period 3 are due in PowerSchool.



May 29

New Exposure & Enrichment Period Ends. All projects and assignments due.



June 5

Final grades posted in PowerSchool. Report Card Mailing Prep



June 8 to June 12

District Personnel Professional Development Week

Sussex County Public Schools

SCPS Elementary Grading Summary

- In an effort to reassure everyone that students' final grades are in no way negatively impacted by the school closure, students will be assigned an **P (Pass)** or **N (Needs Improvement)** based on their performance in each subject area for Marking Period 3.
 - O SCPS Teachers began reviewing all Marking Period 3 work **Wednesday, April 1**st. Teachers will post <u>preliminary</u> Marking Period 3 grades in PowerSchool by **Tuesday, April 14**th based upon <u>work completed before March 13</u>th. Our students, parents, and guardians may review <u>preliminary</u> grades online and in the PowerSchool student/parent portal apps.
 - Elementary school students will have the opportunity to continue to work with their teachers to improve grades between April 14th and April 28th. This includes work sent home in packet form. (Work can be submitted via photos, text messages, e-mails, mailings or deposits in the drop boxes/bins located at the front door of each school and at the feeding sites listed on SCPS website). Spring Break will be observed from 4/6 to 4/13. Teachers will continue make themselves available by phone and e-mail beginning Wednesday, April 15th (after Spring Break) to assist students with remedial and recovery planned work in an effort to improve student grades.
 - O Teachers will post final Marking Period 3 grades by **Friday**, **May 1**st **at 4 p.m.**
- Determining Final Grades for 2019-2020 school year:
 - Elementary Schools: Student performance indicators will be evaluated by teachers. Administrators, teachers, and parents will discuss
 decisions about "P" Pass or "N" Needs Improvement final grades. Promotions and/or retention conversations will continue to occur as
 needed at the end of Marking Period 3 and Marking Period 4.
 - As recommended by the Virginia Department of Education, SCPS fully intends to focus on providing necessary guidance with "instructional activities that will assist our students with continuing thinking, learning, and inquiry for all students."
 - O **Elementary Schools:** Final grades will be calculated and posted on **Friday, June 5**th. Final grade percentages for grades 1 through 5 of 60% and above (A, B, C, D) will be converted to "P" (Pass) and 59% and below will be converted to "N" (Needs Improvement). Final grades for Kindergarten students of (E, S, G, N) will also be converted to a "P" (Pass). Final skills attainment report card for Pre-K will be mailed in June.

March 13 to Apr 24

Students will complete pre-closure assignments and packet work assigned for Marking Period 3.



April 14 to Apr 28

Teachers provide support to students with "N" (Need Improvement) in effort to get them back on track.



Apr 28

All Marking Period 3 work is due. New Exposure & Enrichment Period Begins.



<u>May 1</u>

Final grades for Marking Period 3 are due in PowerSchool.



May 29

New Exposure & Enrichment Period Ends. All projects and assignments due.



June 5

Final grades posted in PowerSchool. Report Card Mailing Prep



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