

B. COURSE AND EXAM MARKS TABLES

The table below outlines all available grade scales, and their associated marks, in STARS, along with their pass/fail equivalents and numeric equivalents.

Course Mark	Description	Numeric Equivalent	Pass/Fail Equivalent
IB2-IB7	International Baccalaureate scale	N/A	Р
IB1	International Baccalaureate scale	N/A	F
4 (+/-)	Performance level: excels in standards (1–4 scale)	N/A	Р
3 (+/-)	Performance level: proficient (1–4 scale)	N/A	Р
2 (+/-)	Performance level: below standards (1–4 scale)	N/A	F
1 (+/-)	Performance level: well below standards (1–4 scale)	N/A	F
100-65	Numeric course grades (10–100 scale) ¹⁰⁵	65–100	Р
64–10	Numeric course grades (10–100 scale) ¹⁰²	10–64	F
A+	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	98	Р
Α	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	95	Р
A-	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	93	Р
B+	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	88	Р
В	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	85	Р
B-	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	83	Р
C+	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	78	Р
С	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	75	Р
C-	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	73	Р
D+	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	68	Р
D	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	65	Р
D-	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)	60	F
F	Alpha course grades (A–F scale)/Pass or fail	55	F
Р	Pass or fail	N/A	Р
E+	Excellent+ (E–U scale)	98	Р
Е	Excellent (E–U scale)	95	Р
E-	Excellent- (E–U scale)	93	Р
G+	Good+ (E–U scale)	88	Р
G	Good (E–U scale)	85	Р
G-	Good- (E–U scale)	83	Р
S+	Satisfactory (E–U scale)	78	Р
S	Satisfactory (E–U scale)	75	Р
S-	Satisfactory- (E–U scale)	73	Р
N+	Needs Improvement+ (E–U scale)	68	Р
N	Needs Improvement (E–U scale)		Р
N-	Needs Improvement- (E–U scale)		F
U	Unsatisfactory (E–U scale)	55	F
ME	Exceeds standards (Mastery scale)	95	Р
MA	Above standards (Mastery scale)	85	Р
MT	Meets standards (Mastery scale)	75	Р

¹⁰⁵ In order to avoid conflicting pass/fail equivalencies for marks of 1–4, schools using the numeric scale should round marks of less than 10 to either an 'NC' or a 10, or utilize the 'NS' mark where appropriate. Schools may also choose to set a minimum failing mark of 45 in their grading policies in accordance with the policies described in the <u>Grading Policy Toolkit</u>.



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MP	Approaching standards (Mastery scale)	65	Р
MB	Below standards (Mastery scale)	55	F
CR	Credit	N/A	Р
NC	No Credit	N/A	F
NS	No credit – No show (additional policies apply)	45	F
ND	No credit – Fulfilled distribution requirement	N/A	NULL
NU	No credit – Audit	N/A	NULL
NX	No credit – Incomplete (additional policies apply)	N/A	NULL
NL	No credit – New/Recent Admit (<u>additional policies</u> apply)	N/A	NULL
NW	Course waived (use for PE only)	N/A	Р

Exam Mark ¹⁰⁶	Applicable Exams	Description	Default Numeric Equivalent	Pass/Fail Equivalent
100–65	RegentsLOTE Regents-like examLOTE SLP	The numeric exam score the student received on the exam	100–65	P
64-0	RegentsLOTE Regents-like examLOTE SLP	The numeric exam score the student received on the exam	64–0	F
ABS ¹⁰⁷	RegentsLOTE Regents-like examLOTE SLP	Absent: Student was scheduled to take the exam but did not show up on test day	N/A	F
INV ¹⁰⁴	RegentsLOTE Regents-like examLOTE SLP	Invalid: Student cheated on the exam; or student became ill during the exam and was therefore unable to complete it	N/A	F
MIS ¹⁰⁴	RegentsLOTE Regents-like examLOTE SLP	Misadministration: School/teacher misadministered the exam	N/A	N/A
WA	• Regents	Waived exam: Student entered a NYCDOE school in grade 11 or 12, as applicable Grade 11 or 12: waive Global History & Geography Grade 12: waive Global History & Geography and/or Science	N/A	P
WX	NYSED-approved Regents Alternative	Student passed NYSED-approved Regents Alternative	N/A	Р

¹⁰⁶ Schools have the option of displaying only the highest Regents exam score on the transcripts of students who have taken Regents exams multiple times.

¹⁰⁷ Marks of ABS, INV, and MIS will not appear on transcripts. All Regents exam marks are maintained in the students' STARS permanent records.



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Exam Mark ¹⁰⁶	Applicable Exams	Description	Default Numeric Equivalent	Pass/Fail Equivalent
WG	• Regents	Appealed exam	N/A	Р
P	• PBAT • RCT	For PBAT or RCT exams ¹⁰⁸ • PBATs are used by Consortium Schools only; mark corresponds to Consortium Rubric grades of	N/A	Р
		Outstanding, Good, and Competent		
F	• PBAT • RCT	 For PBAT or RCT exams¹⁰⁵ PBATs are used by Consortium Schools only; mark corresponds to Consortium Rubric grade of Needs Revision) 	N/A	F

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¹⁰⁸ RCTs are available only to students with disabilities who entered grade 9 prior to September 2011; see the section of this guide on RCTs.