## **MCPSS Grading Policy**

As a district, we will utilize "category average" grading.

- Sixty percent of a student's grade will come from major assessments. That includes one major grade every three weeks with a maximum of three major assessments per quarter.
- Forty percent of a student's grade will come from minor assessments. Students may receive 1 or 2 minor grades per week, with no minor assessments required during the weeks of major tests.

Teachers may also add a "notebook grade," which would be a combination of bell ringers, homework and other assignments.

For AP, IB, Cambridge, EPIC, dual enrollment and other advanced programs, additional grades may be recorded.

Grades will be entered and maintained weekly by teachers. Parents and students will be able to access grades daily. Parents who have an accurate email address on file with their school will automatically receive weekly reports on Fridays summarizing student progress in all classes.

## **EQTs and Other Standardized Testing**

No End of Quarter Tests will be administered during the 2020-21 school year.