



KELSO SCHOOL DISTRICT

COVID-19

SCHOOL CLOSURE COMMUNICATION

High School Grading Options

Due to the emergency closure of schools by Governor Inslee, high school students and middle school students earning high school credits will have two options for how 3rd trimester grades will appear on the official transcript for the 2019-2020 school year.



1. Letter Grade (A through C):

- You will receive a traditional letter grade on your high school transcript.
- Letter Grades continue to impact cumulative GPAs.



2. Incomplete Grade:

- This option can be initiated by students notifying teachers by June 8.
- The incomplete remains on your transcript and can be changed to a letter grade when the course has been completed at some point during high school. There are several options for completion (such as retake course, test out, etc.). Please work with your high school counselor.
- Incomplete grades do not impact cumulative GPAs positively or negatively.
- If you are maintaining NCAA eligibility, please check with the Clearinghouse before choosing this option.
- Please research your post-secondary institutions (military, trades, apprenticeships, and 2- or 4-year institutions) before choosing this option.



JUNE 8

The default choice for all students is a letter grade. Students must notify teachers by June 8 if they choose the incomplete option.

We recognize individual circumstances vary and our priority is to err on the side of compassion. **Students may choose a combination of letter grades or incompletes by course** (ie: a student may choose to receive a letter grade in two classes and an incomplete in the remaining three).