

Why an Academic grade and a citizenship grade?

We believe that academic grades and citizenship grades are two different areas of assessment. Academics are just that: grades that are earned in the classroom for their academic work. Citizenship grades include: attendance, time management, behavior and participation. These are lifelong skills that we believe each student needs to learn. When you log on to your grade you will see two grade sheets, one for academics and another for citizenship for each *iFrosh* class. The academic grade will be on your transcript and your citizenship grade will be sent home for you and your parent/guardian to discuss.

Citizenship grading:

Area of grading	Percentage	Pts per day/per wk
Attendance	25%	1/5
Behavior	25%	1/5
Participation	25%	1/5
Time Management	25%	1/5
Total	100%	4/20

Areas of grading

Attendance:

- On time to class/tardies
- No unexcused absences

Behavior:

- Not interfering with the learning of others☺
- Respecting other students and teacher in class
- No put downs, working at put ups
- No disruptive behavior
- Working at following the classroom guidelines
- Working at implementing the 8 Essentials

Participation:

- Turing in homework
- Helping out in the classroom on projects
- Pulling your weight on a project teams
- Asking questions
- Being willing to help others that need study buddy help

Time Management:

- Doing your homework
- Using classroom time when given to get work doing
- Keeping your binder organized
- Having the needed supplies to be able to participate in class.
- Being ready for class when class starts.