



FREMONT SCHOOL DISTRICT 79

Office of the Assistant Superintendent of Learning

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Subject: Habits of Success Levels of Progression

Dear Fremont School District 79 Families:

This is the fifth installment in a series of communications regarding our shift to standards-based grading across the District. [Our District website](#) has prior communications and additional resources posted.

This communication focuses on the habits of success levels of progression that will be used in our standards-based grading environment. We will utilize a three-level scale that will be aligned to the standards the child is expected to demonstrate.

We believe habits of success and social development criteria should be reflected separately from academic performance on the report card and are an important part of communicating to parents and students about student progress. Behaviors and academics both are significant and reporting them separately communicates even more about the learner and how they can continue to grow without distorting a student's actual achievement in learning.

The below categories represent the levels of progression that we will utilize throughout the year for habits of success:

Level	Criteria
3 - Meeting	Frequently exhibits (Student demonstrates independence in meeting expectations)
2 - Approaching	Occasionally exhibits (Student requires moderate assistance and redirecting)
1 - Beginning	Rarely exhibits (Student requires considerable assistance and redirecting)

The following strands are used by the District to measure habits of success for our students.

- Interacts and collaborates respectfully
- Follows directions and expectations

- Completes assigned tasks on time and with quality
- Demonstrates organizational skills
- Uses time productively
- Contributes ideas and adds value to discussions

Pre-K through 5th grade students will have one overall habits of success section on their report card.
Middle school students will have one habits of success section per content area on the report card.

Thank you,

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