

# Quarterly Assessments

*Presentation to the Board of Education*

September 16, 2015

# History

- Policy will replace Policy IIA – High School Final Examinations
- Addresses elementary, middle, and high school

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What are the Changes?

# High School District Assessments

## ***Current***

	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter
English (all)	1	1	1	1
Social Studies <i>(varies by course)</i>	1-2	1	1-2	1
Science <i>(varies by course)</i>	1-2	1-3	1-2	1-3
Mathematics <i>(varies by course)</i>	2-4	2-4	2-4	2-4
WCL	1	1	1	1

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Social Studies <i>(varies by course)</i>				1
Science <i>(varies by course)</i>				1–3
Mathematics <i>(varies by course)</i>				2–4
WCL	1	1	1	1

**24–40**  
Assessments per Year

# High School District Assessments

## *Proposed*

	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter		2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter		3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter		4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter	
English	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>
Social Studies	1-2	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1-2	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>
Science	1-2	<b>1</b>	1-3	<b>1</b>	1-2	<b>1</b>	1-3	<b>1</b>
Mathematics	2-4	<b>1</b>	2-4	<b>1</b>	2-4	<b>1</b>	2-4	<b>1</b>
WCL	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>

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## *Proposed*

	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter		2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter		3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter		4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter	
English	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>
Social Studies	1-2	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>
Science	1-2	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1-3	<b>1</b>
Mathematics	2-4	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	2-4	<b>1</b>
WCL	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>	1	<b>1</b>

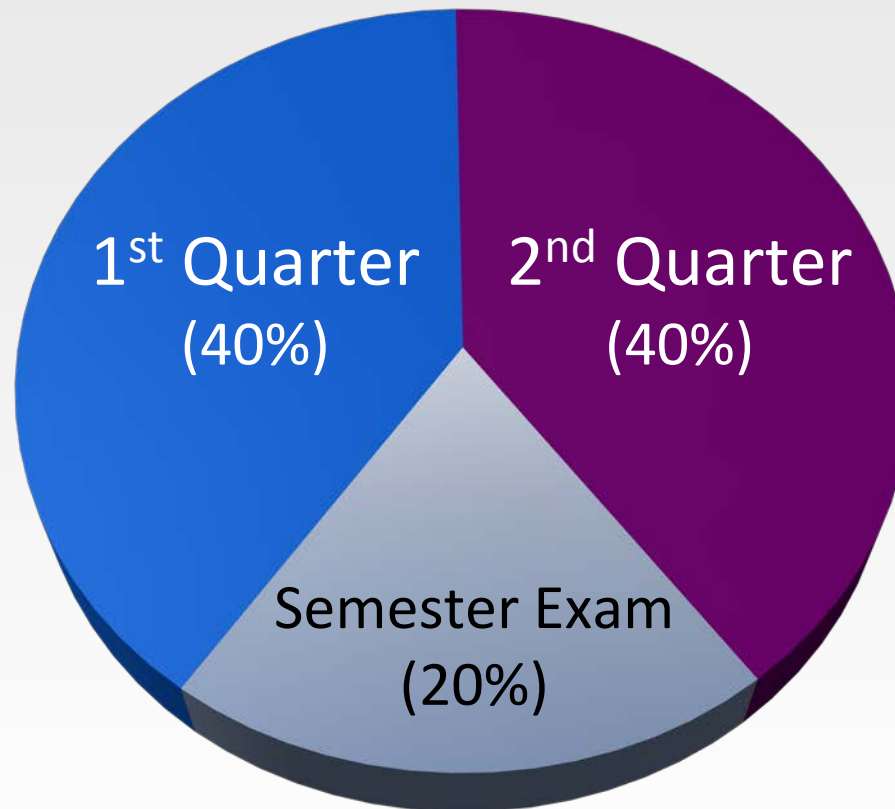
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Assessments per Year



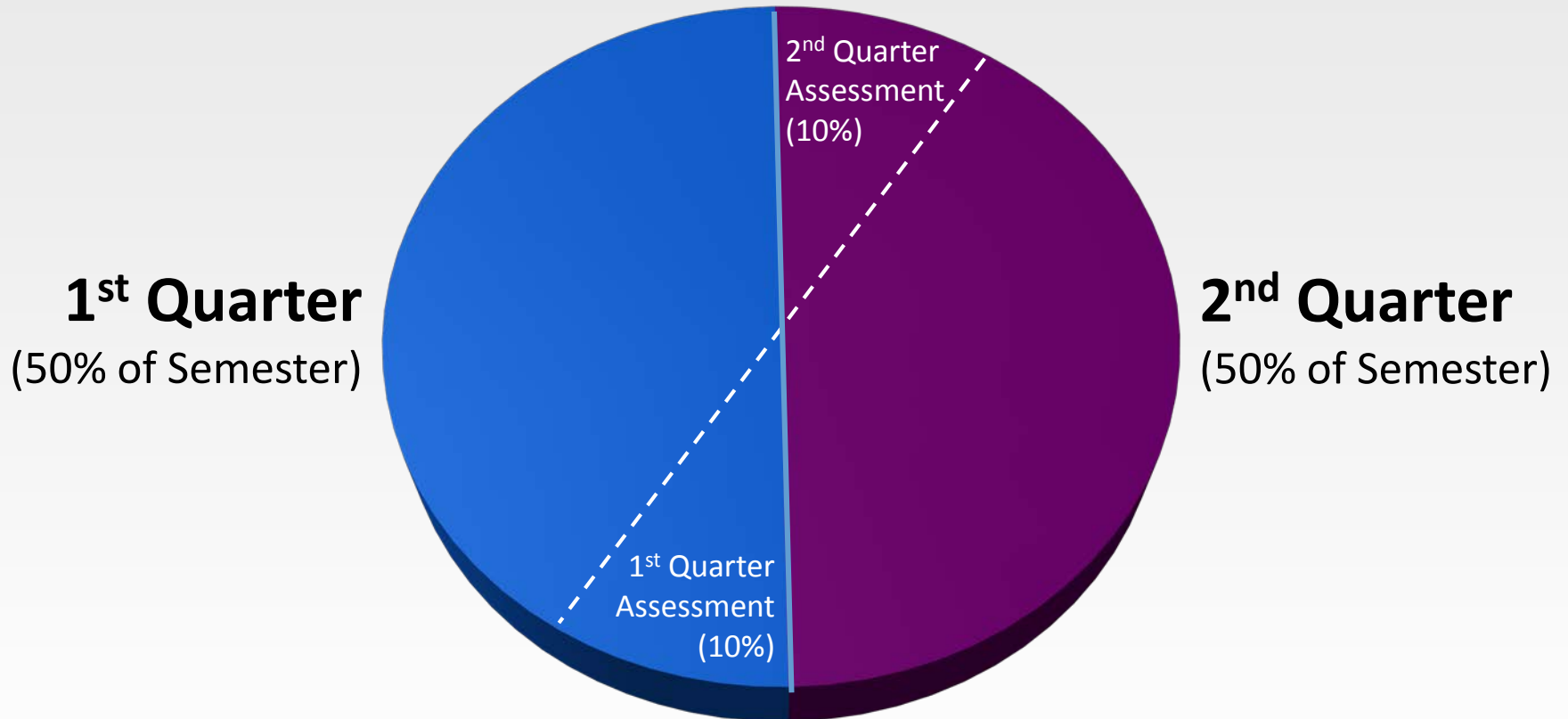
# Current Semester Grading

*Applies to Grades 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>*



# Proposed Semester Grading

*Applies to Grades 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>*



# Proposed Semester Grading

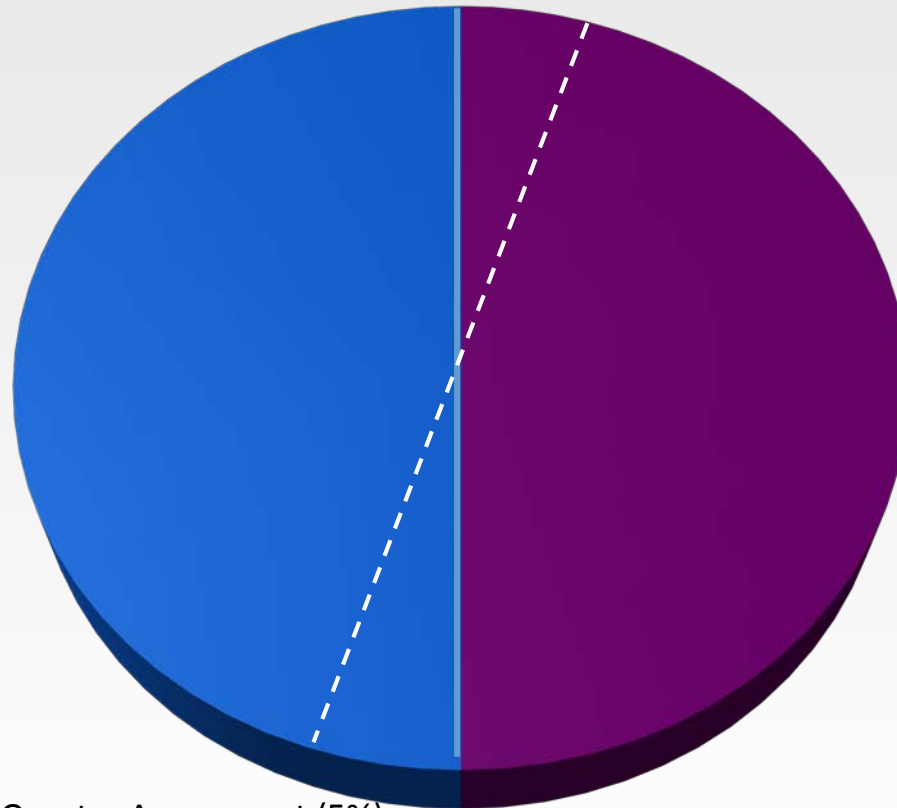
*Applies to Grades 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup>*

2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter Assessment (5%)

**1<sup>st</sup> Quarter**  
(50% of Semester)

**2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter**  
(50% of Semester)

1<sup>st</sup> Quarter Assessment (5%)



# Involved Stakeholders

## External

- CAC
- CRASC
- PIAC
- PTA
- Teen Advisory
- TAAAC

## Internal

- Department Chairs
- Principals
- Teachers