

Hello Rim High School Families,

Governor Newsom recently signed AB104 which allows for Pass/No Pass Grades in response to the educational impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic. Provisions of this assembly bill include:

- **Eligible students:** Students enrolled in high school in the 2020–21 academic year may apply to have a letter grade replaced with a pass or no pass grade.
- Grade changes must not negatively affect a student’s grade point average
- **Colleges and Universities:** The California State University must accept pass or no pass grades without prejudice for any applicant enrolled in high school between 2020-21 and 2023-24. Below is a list of colleges who have committed to adhering to this policy for the 2020–21 through 2023–24 school year, and will accept, for admission purposes, a transcript with a Pass or No Pass grade instead of a letter grade for an applicant pursuant to *Education Code* Section 49066.5(b).

<https://www.cde.ca.gov/ci/gs/ps/ab104surveyresults.asp>

- The measure encourages but does not compel, the University of California and private colleges and universities to do the same. It should also be noted that out of state colleges and universities are also encouraged but not required to adhere to this provision.
- School Districts must notify parents/guardians of this provision and provide an application process for students to request a grade change.
- **Transcripts:** Students have 15 calendar days from when LEAs provide written notice and post on its website the option to apply.
- LEAs have 15 days from receipt of an application to update a transcript and notify a student and family of the grade changes.

If your student would like to submit a grade change request please use the link below to access the application and return the request to the students academic counselor within 15 days of this notification. Thank you

link for the grade change application: <https://www.cde.ca.gov/ci/gs/ps/documents/gradechange20form.pdf>

Heather Dominguez

Heather Dominguez

Director of Educational Services TK-12

Rim of the World Unified