

2022-11-10 Family Email Grades and DE

Good afternoon, CBGS families!

As the interim of the 2nd quarter approaches (11/22), I would like to remind you of a few key elements about your student's grades and what they mean:

- Students need to earn a C or better in class to guarantee transferable college credit. Students can get college credit for a D in a course, but a D will not transfer to a school outside of RCC. Furthermore, many of our classes must be passed with a C or better in order to get college credit for the next class in the sequence. For example, students that do not pass Pre-Calculus II their junior year with a C or better will not be enrolled in Calculus for college credit their senior year.
- A student's CBGS GPA is the beginning of his/her college GPA. As a dual enrollment program, a student's GPA is a part of their high school *and* college records. A student must have a college GPA of 2.0 or higher to receive Financial Aid upon graduation from high school, if eligible. Also, a student must have a college GPA of 2.0 or higher to graduate from a community college with a degree or certificate.
- You can check your child's grades at any time with the [Schoolology login](#) sent home at the beginning of the year.
- CBGS staff are available for tutoring both online and in person. Please make sure your child is taking advantage of this if needed. Feel free to reach out to teachers via Schoolology or email to discuss any questions or concerns.

Also, with the holidays approaching, please do your best to limit your student's absences outside of our usual holiday breaks. Making up missed time is especially difficult in an accelerated, lab-based program.