Field Middle School: 2026-2027 Grading Roadmap



Field Middle School is utilizing a phased implementation for its grading systems. For the 2026–2027 school year, Grade 6 will continue with Standards-Based Grading while Grades 7 and 8 remain under traditional grading to ensure institutional readiness.



GRADE 6: Standards-Based Grading (SBG)



Proficiency Scales with Detailed Feedback

Combines overall course grades with specific, standards-based feedback for families.



Enhanced Stakeholder Communication

Implementation of family information sessions, FAQs, and regular feedback dialogue.



Dedicated Staff Support Systems

Staff will receive additional professional learning, calibration opportunities, and monitoring.

GRADES 7 & 8: Traditional Grading



Continuation of Traditional Practices

Traditional grading remains for 7th and 8th grades during 2026–2027.



Strategic Preparation Phase

Allows additional time to strengthen systems and communication before expanding SBG.

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