COLLEGE & CAREER HIGH SCHOOL TURNER

Semester Examination Exemption Policy

Grade Level	Fall Semester *Excluding STAAR Classes & ELA 3 *See AP Course exemptions below	Spring Semester *Including STAAR Classes *See AP Course exemptions below
12th Grade	4	ALL
11th Grade	2	3
10th Grade	2	3
9th Grade	0	2

Bonus exemption will be given for students who have perfect attendance at 2nd and 6th period classes.

Students must complete the process for choosing their exemptions through the district Exemption Portal, as designated by the campus, within the timelines given, or will be required to take all exams.

General Exemption Criteria

All students must comply with the following general exemption criteria in the table below.

1. The number of exemptions is dependent on grade level. See the chart above.
2. No assigned ISS, out-of-school suspension, or ALA during the semester.
3. Must not have any outstanding discipline to be served.
4. Must be clear of all fines and fees.
5. Students must meet the grading requirements listed below.
6. Students can have no more than **3** absences (excused or unexcused).

Fall Semester:

Regular and Pre-AP (including SAT PREP) classes may exempt an exam if:

1. **Students meet the above general exemption criteria.**
2. **Student's semester grade average is 80 or above.**

***Students may not* exempt a STAAR tested class this semester.**

AP Classes may exempt an exam if option 1 or option 2:

Option 1:

1. Students meet the above general exam criteria.
2. Student's semester grade average is 90 or above.

Option 2 (for semester courses only):

1. Students meet the above general exam criteria.
2. Student is in a one semester AP Course (example: AP Micro/Macro Economics)
3. Students must pre-register and pay (prior to the end of the fall term) and agree to take the corresponding AP exam in May.
4. Student's semester average is 70 or above.

*Students in a one-semester course in the fall, who use their AP exemption and choose not to take the AP exam in May, will be subject to taking a make-up semester exam in the Spring. Refunds will NOT be given for students who register and do not take the AP tests.

SPRING SEMESTER:

Regular and Pre-AP must meet the same criteria as the Fall semester.

***Students may exempt a STAAR tested class this semester.**

AP Classes may exempt an exam with option 1 or option 2:

Option 1:

1. Students meet the above general exam criteria.
2. Student's semester grade average is 90 or above.

Option 2:

1. Students meet the above general exemption criteria.
2. Student's semester grade average is 70 or above.
3. Students take corresponding AP exam.