

GRADE 8 RUBRIC

EXCELLENT	SATISFACTORY	NEEDS IMPROVEMENT
Consistently able to plan and manage both short and long-term homework assignments and projects	Adequately able to plan and manage both short and long-term homework assignments and projects	Rarely able to plan and manage both short and long-term homework assignments and projects
Consistently utilizes appropriate listening, note taking and test taking strategies	Frequently utilizes appropriate listening, note taking and test taking strategies	Inconsistently utilizes appropriate listening, note taking and test taking
Makes up missed homework, quizzes, tests, and/or notes when absent consistently	Often makes up missed homework, quizzes, tests, and/or notes when absent consistently	Fails to make up missed homework, quizzes, tests, and/or notes when absent
Knows and follows classroom rules and school expectations without exception	At times knows and follows classroom rules and school expectations	Lacks effort in knowing and following classroom rules and school expectations
Communicates problems and/or lack of understanding to teachers and staff consistently	Sometimes communicates problems and/or lack of understanding to teachers	Infrequently communicates problems and/or lack of understanding to teachers

COMMENCEMENT RUBRIC

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Consistently uses a planning system such as agenda, palm pilot, or other types of planners	Adequately uses a planning system	Inconsistently uses a planning system
Consistently sets and achieves short and long-term goals	Periodically sets and achieves short and long-term goals	Inconsistently sets goals
Consistently uses relevant processes of organization when obtaining information	Adequately uses relevant processes of organization when obtaining information	Inconsistently uses relevant processes of organization when obtaining information
Consistently follows directions to ensure completion of assigned tasks on time	Adequately follows directions and usually completes tasks on time.	Inconsistently follows directions and rarely completes tasks on time