



# BRHS School Incentive Policy

## High School Attendance and Academic Conditions Leading to Exemption

*You may apply for either an exemption under either Attendance or Academics criteria,*

*However, the subject teacher has the right to refuse an exemption for their subject.*

### Attendance Condition:

An exam in a course may be exempted with a **maximum of 5 absences** per semester in any one course. More than 5 absences in any will result in ineligibility to exempt in all classes.

### Criteria:

1. Exemption that will not count as absences:
  - a. School sponsored co/extra-curricular activities
  - b. Reasons connected to school/district responsibilities (i.e. late school bus)
  - c. Bereavement
2. 2 Tardies = 1 Absence
3. 5 Total absences per class is the maximum allowed to receive the exemption.
4. School suspensions will count as absences. In-School suspensions will be marked as excused.
5. You may not exempt any course in which you are failing.
6. A subject may only be exempted once per school year.
7. You may not exempt any course that you have skipped class in during the semester.

### Academic Condition:

An exam in a course in which a student has achieved a **mark of 90% or higher** may be exempted provided they are passing all other classes.

### Criteria:

1. Students may exempt an exam in a class where their final class mark is at least 90%.
2. Students may exempt an exam if they are passing all of their courses.
3. Eligible students may choose to exempt an exam and also choose to still write with the understanding that the exam will only count if it improves their standing.
4. A subject may only be exempted once per school year.

## MIDDLE SCHOOL INCENTIVE

### Attendance Incentive:

- A recognition breakfast to honour students for their regular attendance.