# **POLICY 5.5: ATTENDANCE**

Currently Policy 5.5: Attendance allows make-up work for credit and grade for all absences, excused as well as unexcused. The School Board has instructed staff to get stakeholders' input as the policy undergoes a revision, especially as it pertains to make-up work for unexcused absences.

Five options are under consideration and therefore your input in this process is invaluable. Thank you for your taking the time to carefully review the options and choosing the <u>one</u> that you most support!

Below are 5 options that are being considered. <u>Please select the option that you most</u> <u>support.</u>

### **OPTION 1:**

Make-up work is allowed for full credit and grade for ALL absences, excused and unexcused. Make-up work must be submitted within two days, not including the day of return, for each day of absence. Previously assigned work is due the day of return.

#### **OPTION 2:**

Make up work is allowed for excused absences for full credit and grade. Make-up work must be submitted within two days, not including the day of return, for each day of absence.

Previously assigned work is due the day of return.

Make up work is allowed for <u>unexcused absences</u>, but students must receive a 10% deduction from the grade of the make-up assignment. Make-up work must be submitted within two days, not including the day of return, for each day of absence. Previously assigned work is due the day of return.

### **OPTION 3:**

Make up work is allowed for excused absences for full credit and grade. Make-up work must be submitted within two days, not including the day of return, for each day of absence. Previously assigned work is due the day of return.

Make up work is NOT allowed for <u>unexcused absences</u> (except for Middle School students as stated in current policy).

### **OPTION 4:**

Make up work is allowed for excused absences for full credit and grade. Make-up work must be submitted within two days, not including the day of return, for each day of absence.

Previously assigned work is due the day of return.

Make up work is allowed for <u>unexcused absences</u> but student can <u>only earn the lowest</u> <u>passing grade</u>. Make-up work must be submitted within two days, not including the day of return, for each day of absence. Previously assigned work is due the day of return.

## OPTION 5:

Make up work is allowed for full credit and grade for absences <u>excused within 2-weeks of</u> <u>the day of absence</u>. Make-up work must be submitted within two days of the excusal. Previously assigned work is due the day of return.

<u>No make-up work is allowed for unexcused absences</u> (absences not excused within two weeks of the absence).