



ASD STUDENT ADVISORY BOARD

Uniting Schools and Empowering Student Voice

Resolution 2021-02: Canvas Grade Setting

Sponsor: AJ Dimond High School

Adopted: November 9, 2021

Be it resolved by the Anchorage School District Student Advisory Board:

Whereas currently Canvas automatically only displays quarter grades, which corresponds with the middle school grading system;

Whereas high school grades are based on semester grades, and quarter grades are not official;

Whereas if students wanted to see the official grade, they need to manually change the settings;

Whereas even if students manually change the setting, it won't last if they leave the page;

Whereas even though Student Connect displays the correct grade, high school students have been told that in our current schooling situation Canvas is more accurate;

Whereas high schoolers need to know their actual grades in order to apply for scholarships, and other higher education opportunities;

Therefore be it resolved by ASD Student Advisory Board that:

- 1. Canvas will change the automatic setting of the display of quarter grades to semester grades for all high school students**
- 2. Viewing grades for individual quarters will still be available in the drop down menu, as the semester grade is shown now**

Action Statement: If passed by SAB, copies of this resolution will be sent to the ASD School Board, ASD Secondary Education, and ASD IT Department.