



MCBAIN RURAL AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL

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McBain High School

Quality Performance Exam Exemption

Any 9-12 student who meets the requirements below shall be offered two (2) course exam exemptions for the current semester schedule. A student must meet the attendance **AND** grade requirements in order to be considered for a semester exam exemption for a course. This quality performance incentive applies only to McBain High School courses.

Attendance Requirements (must meet **ALL** of these)

- Student is not eligible for exam exemption if they receive a 2nd truancy letter, which is equal to 10 days absent for the **entire** school year.
- Student must not have any unexcused absences in the semester.
- Student may not receive detention for tardies, for that class, in the semester.
- No In School Suspension (ISS) or Out of School Suspension (OSS) for the semester.

Grade Requirements

- Student must have a semester grade (average of both quarter grades) that shows an above average mark (83% B or higher) for the course in which he/she would like to be exempt.
- Student can also qualify in their math or ELA class, in the spring, if they meet their NWEA Fall to Spring Growth Goal. Course grade must be a 60% D- to do this.

An absence due to a school sponsored activity (field trip, athletic contest, assembly, etc.) will not be counted toward absences. Approved educational activities, such as college days for juniors and seniors will also not be counted. Other educational activities may also be exempted if prior approval is obtained from the high school principal.

In cases of extenuating circumstances and emergencies, a student may appeal in writing to the principal and the attendance committee within 48 hours of an absence.

Counts towards Attendance

- A - Absent (Unexcused Absence)
- PE - Parent Excused (Excused Absence)

Does not count toward Attendance

- SA - School Activity
- CV - College Visit
- D - Dental
- M - Medical
- F - Funeral
- C - Court
- V-Vacation