



A-F LETTER GRADE ACCOUNTABILITY

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Increase in Graduation Rate



- We agreed to submit a recommendation of an increase in graduation rate to 20%
- We also made the commitment to introduce a college and career ready index which would include the high school graduation rate

Career and College Ready Index



- Potential Indicators
 - Graduation Rate Possibilities
 - Including four and/or five-year grad rate
 - Focus on change in graduation rate over time
 - AIMS/ACT equivalency scores
 - Career and Technical Education (CTE) indicator

95% Tested Criteria



- Re-evaluation of the 95% tested criteria
 - The current criteria is that the schools are only allowed a limited amount of points based on how many students the school tested

Percent Tested	Eligible Grade	Max Number of Points
≥ 95%	A	200
85% - 94%	B	139
75% - 84%	C	119
<75%	D	99

- The USED wants ADE to recommend other options to the State Board

Potential Changes to Models



- Small Schools
- Alternative Schools
 - Letter grade scale
- Arizona Online Schools (AOI)
 - Needs unique FAY marker considering AOI calendars do not match brick and mortar school calendars



Thank you

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