

April 13, 2020

Eau Gallie High School Cambridge AICE students and parents,

We know that you all have been put through a great deal of stress during this time as you adjust to online learning, and we want to take just a moment to thank you for all the hard work you have been putting in over the last two weeks.

While Cambridge sit down testing is not happening for May/June 2020, Cambridge will be collaborating with Eau Gallie High School (and all its other centres around the world) to make evidence-based decisions about grades for students in each AICE subject. This process will determine the score students will earn on their Cambridge AICE exams for each of the courses in which they are enrolled.

Teachers in each of the AICE courses will be compiling evidence of student work from throughout the year, including work that is currently being submitted, and online mock exams. This evidence will be used to award finals grades on each AICE exam for each student. Our teachers will be contacting students about how the work will be collected and may ask students to scan or upload copies of previously graded work. If students have work that they believe should be used as a part of the analysis for a particular AICE class, teachers will be providing a means for students to upload that work over the next few weeks. *All work submitted from this point on must be independent work unless otherwise stated by the teacher.*

Students will still have the opportunity to earn the AICE Diploma based on the grades issued by Cambridge for these exams.

*Please know that this process is for **AICE exam grades only**.* The class grade for each student will be determined based on the student's work on assignments that were given during the 3rd nine weeks and the work they are submitting online for teachers for the 4th nine weeks.

We understand that this is a very different process than what students are accustomed to, and we will do all that we are able to make this process as seamless as possible. Please stay healthy and safe and know that we are doing all that we can to ensure your success on these assessments.

Sincerely,

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