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18 December 2025

Dear RUSD Families:

Ray Unified School District is providing a one-time grade adjustment window to ensure student grades accurately reflect learning during the first part of the school year.

This decision was made due to the district's transition to standards-based grading and challenges early in the year with PowerSchool access, which limited students' and families' ability to see grades, assignments, and feedback in a timely way. Students are invited to contact their teachers to see what can be done to find reasonable accommodations.

What This Means

- This is a one-time, district-wide window
- It applies only to work connected to instruction already taught
- Grades may be adjusted only when they reflect demonstrated learning
- No new content or blanket grade increases are allowed

What This Is Not

- This is **not grade inflation**
- Academic standards and expectations remain unchanged
- No credit, graduation requirements, or course enrollments are affected

Timeline

- **Grade Adjustment Window Opens:** December 18, 2025
- **Grade Adjustment Window Closes:** January 19, 2026

After this window closes, grades for the affected period will be final. As reported to the Governing Board in the December Board meeting, the district is taking responsibility for the realities of this transition and is committed to fairness, accuracy, and transparency for all students. If you have questions, please contact your school office.



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