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Dear Parents/Guardians,

We hope you are staying healthy and safe during this time. We have been working on coming up with a plan that is in the best interest of our students, in terms of grades and credits. We hope this letter will provide some clarity and answer your questions.

Sherman Indian High School has made the following resolution in terms of grading for the second semester of the 2019-2020 school year. Our decisions were based on guidance received from the Bureau of Indian Education and in conjunction with the state of California in order to ensure that our students receive fair treatment due to the unprecedented events that have temporarily shut down our school.

- 1) Grades for the second semester for all grades (ninth through twelfth) will be recorded as either Pass or No Pass depending on student status at the end of the third quarter (grades posted on March 13<sup>th</sup>) and/or teacher discretion.
- 2) These grades will yield no term grade point average, therefore will have no bearing on cumulative grade point averages.
- 3) Final ranking for the senior class will be determined based on standing at the end of seven semesters of school instead of eight.
- 4) Students will still receive 5 units of credit toward graduation requirements for all classes that earn a grade of "Pass" on the final transcript.

If you have any questions please call 951-276-6325 Ext: 200 and your message will be received and we will return your phone call as soon as possible.

Thank you,

Sincerely,  
Ms. Cheryl Johnson  
Acting Principal