

Growing Success: Assessment and Evaluation Guidelines

What does Evaluation look like on a Report Card?

Your mark will be determined by your most consistent level of recent achievement. Your understanding of the course material will be assessed using four categories:

- Thinking *Can you add to it?*
- Application *Can you do it?*
- Communication *Can you say it?*
- Knowledge *Do you get it?*

Your learning skills will also be assessed over the duration of your course:

- Responsibility *Do you complete work and manage your behavior?*
- Organization *Can you predict, prepare, process and proceed?*
- Independent Work *Do you complete tasks seeking teacher assistance when necessary?*
- Collaboration *Do you share, support, respect, and co-operate?*
- Initiative *Do you meet challenges and seek more?*
- Self-Regulation *Can you set goals and monitor your progress?*

Your final report card will include teacher comments in each of the following areas:

- Strengths *What are you good at?*
- Next Steps *How can you work on it?*

What if you skip a few activities?

You must attempt each activity in the course. Incomplete activities will significantly reduce your mark and may put your credit at risk.

What do your Marks mean?

Your teacher can express your mark using feedback, percentages (75%) or levels (3). Your final report marks will be calculated as follows:

- 70% of your final grade will be based on your unit activities
- 30% of your final grade will be based on the culminating activities for each unit.

Missed Evaluations and Plagiarism

Submitting evidence of your learning helps you and the teacher see an accurate reflection of your progress. Missing an evaluation could put your credit at risk.

Plagiarism is pretending someone else's work is your own. As a consequence, you may have to write the assignment over again or receive a zero mark.