

The Department proposes to exempt students from any unfinished requirements for the career development and occupational studies commencement credential (CDOS) provided that the student is otherwise eligible to exit from high school and has otherwise demonstrated knowledge and skills relating to the CDOS learning standards.

	In the calculations for the mastery and honors endorsement, student course grades may be substituted for exam scores in cases where Regents Examination exemptions would preclude a student from qualifying for an endorsement to their diploma.			

science laboratory experience to:

Clarify that a student may still be eligible to take a science Regents examination, and therefore be eligible for an exemption if applicable, even if they are unable to meet the 1,200 minute science laboratory experience requirement due to the COVID-19 crisis; and

Expand the amendment allowing students to continue to meet the laboratory requirements through a combination of hands on and virtual experiences due to the COVID-19 crisis.



The June 2021 administration of ALL Regents Examinations will be cancelled.

The August 2021 administration of ALL Regents Examinations will be cancelled

The Department will administer ____ the Regents Examinations required under ESSA during the June 2021 Administration:

✓ Earth Science ✓ Living Environment

Students taking the above assessments will still be offered the exemption to the graduation requirement associated with these examinations.

The August 2021 Regents Exams will be cancelled.

