

1 **SENATE FLOOR VERSION**

2 April 10, 2017

3 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

4 ENGROSSED HOUSE

5 BILL NO. 1602

By: Enns, Baker, Caldwell, West
(Tammy) and Dollens of the
House

6 and

7 Sharp and Pittman of the
8 Senate

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10 COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

11 [**schools - grading policy - codification - effective**
12 **date -** **emergency**]

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15 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

16 SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified
17 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 11-121 of Title 70, unless there
18 is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

19 Each school district board of education shall adopt a grading
20 policy for all students attending public school in that district.
21 The policy shall include provisions for the assignment of grades on
22 class assignments, examinations and final class grades. The policy:

23 1. Shall require a classroom teacher to assign a grade that
24 reflects the relative mastery of an assignment by the student;

1 2. Shall not require a classroom teacher to assign a minimum
2 grade for an assignment without regard to the quality of work by the
3 student; and

4 3. May allow a student a reasonable opportunity to make up or
5 redo a class assignment or examination for which the student
6 received a failing grade.

7 ~~SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2017.~~

8 ~~SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation
9 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby
10 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and
11 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.~~

12 COMMITTEE REPORT BY: COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION
13 April 10, 2017 - DO PASS AS AMENDED
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