

At the end of each section, a chart summarizes the “recommended” and “not recommended” grading practices.

In the second half of the manual, you will see a section called Reporting, Grade Calculation, and Codes. This section of the manual brings together important information about grading codes, calculations, and procedures into one location.

The 2016–2017 *Grading and Reporting Procedures Manual* can be downloaded from the BCPS [Grading and Reporting Web site](#). The Web site also includes sections on Research, Rational, and Frequently Asked Questions.

As we begin the school year, you and your child will be receiving additional information about the new grading procedures. We encourage you to visit the Grading and Reporting Web site, ask questions, and provide feedback. We also strongly encourage you to attend Back-to-School Night where you will have the opportunity to attend an overview session on grading and reporting as well as receive more specific information from your child’s teachers.

