About report cards

About the report card system and design

All schools in Nunavut use an information management program called Maplewood Student Information System (SIS). Teachers enter student information into the system so that student progress, attendance and marks can be tracked. The system produces report cards, validation statements, and transcripts.

About grades

High schools in Nunavut use percentage grades.

Nunavut elementary schools and junior high schools use a letter grading system. This is the letter grading system in most Nunavut elementary and junior high schools:

- **A** The student consistently demonstrates thorough understanding and in-depth application of concepts and skills.
- **B** The student demonstrates good understanding and in-depth application of concepts and skills.
- **C** The student demonstrates basic understanding and some application of concepts and skills.
- **D** The student demonstrates limited understanding and minimal application of concepts and skills.
- **E** The student does not demonstrate the required understanding and application of concepts and skills.

Note: Almost all schools in the territory use a common report card design; however, some schools have customized the letter grading system by adding "+" and "–" marks to the letters. A standardized grading system is currently being implemented across Nunavut, so every school in Nunavut will soon use a consistent letter grading system.