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Dear Seaford Students & Parents/Guardians:

Recently, the New York State Education Department released information stating the June Regents Examinations are canceled and, accordingly, graduation requirements were adjusted.

All students currently in a course that ends in a Regents Exam will be exempt from taking the exam. This includes students who were working with guidance counselors to sit for a test because they had passed the course, but had failed the Regents Exam in the past. This exemption includes World Languages FLACS Examinations (Checkpoint A and B). Students will be given credit toward graduation requirements for Regents courses provided they pass the class.

The State also issued guidance about requirements for Regents Diplomas, Advanced Regents Diplomas and other honors designations. Adjustments are being made to the criteria because June 2020 Regents Examinations have been canceled. Guidance counselors are ready to “meet” with all students and parents/guardians to discuss these issues. Additionally, the State addressed the CDOS and related credentials. Students and parents/guardians should contact guidance counselors with CDOS questions as well.

For an abridged version of the actual State document, *Regents Examination and Graduation Requirements Questions Related to COVID-19 Closure*, please click [here](#). The complete document is also available to you by clicking [here](#).

Finally, and very importantly, please know that we are in the process of discussing the impact of the changes referenced above including, but not limited to, alternate culminating examinations, 4th quarter grades and final grades.

Thank you for your attention. We hope you are all remaining healthy and safe.

Sincerely Yours,

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