



# Bedford Fox Lane Campus

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Good Afternoon Fox Lane Community,

I hope this email finds everyone safe and well as we continue to navigate this incredibly challenging time. Yesterday's announcement that June 2020 Regents exams would be canceled, was followed-up today when New York State Education Department (NYSED) Acting Commissioner Shannon Tahoe, issued the [Cancellation of the June 2020 Administration of the New York State \(NYS\) High School Regents Examination Program in Response to COVID-19 Related School and District Closures letter](#) to all schools in New York state who administer Regents Examinations. The document is detailed and comprehensive and the Fox Lane team will be carefully reviewing it over the course of the next few days.

In short, students at Fox Lane will be exempt from taking a Regents Examination, and will be granted Regents credit, if they meet one of the following criteria:

- The student is currently enrolled in a course culminating in a Regents Examination and will have earned credit in such course by the end of the 2019-20 school year;
- The student was previously enrolled in the course leading to a Regents Examination, has achieved course credit, and has not yet passed the associated Regents Examination but was intending to take the test in June 2020 to achieve a passing score.

Please also be aware that no decisions have been made regarding the situation for August 2020 Regents Examinations. We will share more information on this when NYSED has made their decision and issued additional guidance.

For additional information please see the [NYSED Question & Answer document](#), or [NYSED's official release on the cancellation of Regents exams for June 2020](#).

We understand that there will be many questions and concerns that are situational by student. As they always do, counselors will help students and families navigate specific circumstances related to individual students.

Sincerely,

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