

DEFIANCE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL

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Jay Jerger, Principal – Brandon Fisher, Asst. Principal – Jerry Buti, Athletic Director
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To: Defiance HS Students
From: Jay Jerger, Principal
Re: 2024 1st Semester Exams
Date: Wednesday, November 27, 2024

Defiance High School will be administering the 2024 1st Semester Exams on *Wednesday, December 18, 2024 through Friday, December 20, 2024.*

Wednesday, December 18, 2024

7:55-9:55 - 1st Pd. Exam

10:00-12:00 - 2nd Pd. Exam

12:05-1:40 - 6/7 PART 1 of Exam

6th Period Lunch: 12:00-12:40

7th Period Lunch: 1:00-1:40

1:45-2:30 - IE

Thursday, December 19, 2024

7:55-9:55 - 3rd Pd. Exam

10:00-12:00 - 4th Pd. Exam

12:05-1:40 - 6/7 PART 2 of Exam

6th Period Lunch: 12:00-12:40

7th Period Lunch: 1:00-1:40

1:45-2:30 - IE

Friday, December 20, 2024

7:55-9:55 - 5th Pd. Exam

10:00-12:00 - 9th Pd. Exam

12:05-1:40 - 6/7 Period

6th Period Lunch: 12:00-12:40

7th Period Lunch: 1:00-1:40

1:40 - IE

2:00 - Dismiss

Additionally, a couple points of interest that need to be mentioned, which include:

1. Students will not be permitted to take their exams early or prior to the scheduled exam time;
2. Students will not be permitted to leave after their exams, thus they must be present for the complete day;
3. Exemptions for exams will only apply to Seniors that have met the Senior Exam Exemption criteria or students that have met the Perfect Attendance Exemption outlined in the Student Code of Conduct;
4. Any student that misses their scheduled exam with an excused absence authorized by the Principal or Asst. Principal, will make the exam(s) up at a date that has been approved.
5. Any unexcused absence will result in a zero for the exam.

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Senior Exam Exemption

Seniors who have maintained a cumulative average of “A” through Friday, December 13, 2024, in **1st semester only courses/classes** may become exempt from those exams, if they have received no disciplinary consequence more severe than a detention and/or has fewer than 5 **total** (excused and unexcused) absences/tardies over the semester.

Perfect Attendance Exam Exemption

Students may be exempt from all final/semester exams if they have perfect attendance for that semester. The only absences that are exempt from this policy are school-sponsored field trips or activities, bereavement and up to three college visits for juniors and seniors. *Students are allowed up to the equivalent of two class periods out of school (with appropriate documentation) for excused appointments in the semester to still qualify for the perfect attendance exemption. Students must also have a 70% or higher average in a class for the semester to be exempt from final/semester exams.*

Perfect attendance deadline for exemption: Tuesday, December 17, 2024

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the high school office.

