

RBVHS CST Grade Incentive Form (English)

The CST Grade Incentive form is only valid from **September 6 -September 16, 2011.**

Each student is responsible to provide to last year's English teacher:

- 1) This CST incentive form
- 2) A copy of the 2011 and 2010 CST scores that were mailed home. Scores can be accessed through parent portal if student does not have the mailed scores.

If the teacher is no longer at RBVHS, the student must submit the form and scores to the current English Department Chair, Sue Butler in room 225. All forms must be submitted to the teacher within the established deadline. Copies of completed forms will be placed in the student Cumulative File.

Full Student Name:		Current Grade Level: (Circle one below)
Student ID Number:		10 11 12

The English Department has set the maximum incentive at 5% because many Language Arts Standards are not assessed on the CSTs. The students' abilities to write, listen and speak are not reflected on the CSTs, yet are reflected in the students' grades. Grades will not be rounded after incentive is applied: 89.9% will be B+.

Reminders:

- Students are eligible for only **ONE** of the following incentives.
- There is no incentive available for students who did not take the 2011 CST at RBV.
- It is the **student's** responsibility to bring the necessary forms to the teacher by the deadline above to initiate the grade change.

Incentive Choices

- 5%** will be added to the student's final semester grade for moving up **two** levels from the 2010 CST performance. The student may choose which semester s/he would like to have the incentive applied. **Example:** student with 87.36% would have 5 percent added for a new total of 92.36%
- 2.5%** will be added to the student's final semester grade for moving up **one** level from the 2010 CST performance. The student may choose which semester s/he would like to have the incentive applied. **Example:** student with 87.36% would have 2.5 percent added for a new total of 89.86%
- Students who scored **advanced** on the CSTs in 2010 **and** 2011 can have 2.5% added to the final semester grade. The student may choose which semester s/he would like to have the incentive applied. **Example:** student with 87.36% would have 2.5 percent added for a new total of 89.86%
- Students whose score goes up by **25 points**, even if they do not move up a level, may have 1% added to the final semester grade (e.g., score goes up from 303 to 328). The student may choose which semester s/he would like to have the incentive applied. **Example:** student with 87.36% would have 1 percent added for a new total of 88.36%

Student Signature: _____ Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Teacher Name:		Teacher Signature:
Grade Change: From ___ to ___	Semester 1 or 2	Date Rec'd by Teacher:
2010 Score:		Date Rec'd by Registrar:
2011 Score:		

NOTE: Incentives are for THIS YEAR only. They will be reviewed annually.