

AMENDMENT OF THE REGULATIONS OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION

Pursuant to Education Law sections 101, 207, 208, 209, 305, 308, 309 and 3204

Subparagraph (ii) of paragraph (1) of subdivision (g) of section 100.5 of the Regulations of the Commissioner is amended, effective December 30, 2015, as follows:

(ii) Mathematics.

(a) Students who first begin instruction in a commencement level mathematics course aligned to the Common Core Learning Standards in September 2013 and thereafter shall meet the mathematics requirement for graduation in clause (a)(5)(i)(b) of this section by passing a commencement level Regents examination in mathematics that measures the Common Core Learning Standards, or an approved alternative pursuant to section 100.2(f) of this Part; provided that:

(1) . . .

(2) . . .

(3) for the June 2016, August 2016 and January 2017 administrations only, students receiving algebra II (common core) instruction may, at the discretion of the applicable school district, take the Regents examination in algebra 2/trigonometry aligned to the 2005 Learning Standards in addition to the Regents examination in algebra II (common core), and may meet the mathematics requirement for graduation in clause (a)(5)(i)(b) of this section by passing either examination.

(b) . . .

(c) . . .