

Innovative program waiver requests			
Exemption(s)	LEAs	Rationale	Recommendation
<p>Allow students at the Early College at Guilford to satisfy the NC graduation requirement for physical science with college level chemistry or physics taught by college professors. No EOC is given.</p>	<p>Guilford County Schools</p>	<p>Allows students to meet rigorous (64 hours) of college coursework at an independent college as 11th and 12th graders; students take Honors biology and AP environmental science in grades 9 and 10 in a modular unit that is their “high school” building, on a college campus. OSHA will not allow chemistry or physics labs, thus students must take the courses at Guilford College. College professors do not follow the Standard Course of Study, and students do not receive high school chemistry credit, so they should not have to take an EOC.</p>	<p><i>Grant exemption</i></p>
<p>Release students taking the Integrated Math series at Wayne Early/Middle College High School from taking the Geometry EOC exam; other EOC exams would not be affected.</p>	<p>Wayne County Schools</p>	<p>The Geometry EOC is problematic for the students in the Integrated Math program because the geometry content is spread throughout the 3 years of integrated mathematics. Giving the Geometry EOC as part of Integrated Mathematics III often compels teachers to deviate from the Integrated Mathematics content and revert to a traditional approach and drill on possible geometry EOC questions.</p>	<p><i>Grant exemption</i></p>