



MIDDLE SCHOOL ELIGIBILITY COMPONENT

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1	Minimum semester grade point requirement of 1.7 and no more than one end of semester “E”s or “I”s establishes eligibility for next semester.	SLCS utilizes pluses and minuses for grading; this minimum GPA represents a C-. We believe that this is a reasonable minimum standard for eligibility.
2	Once eligibility is established students must pass a minimum of four classes before official eligibility checks, generally on the 1 st of the month.	This allows students to experience difficulty receive a "warning" and have the opportunity to improve their performance prior to being declared ineligible
3	Minimum time of ineligibility = two weeks as long as student regains eligibility with a 1.7 GPA and no more than one E.	The student should be able to spend this period of time focusing on studies prior to having eligibility restored.
4	Semester incompletes must be eliminated to restore eligibility with a 1.7 GPA and no more than one E.	We believe that this will minimize incompletes being utilized to circumvent the eligibility requirements.
5	Co-curricular activities: If a student is ineligible for public performances because s/he is not a fulltime student or due to failure to meet academic or behavioral standards as defined in this policy, alternative assessments shall be provided. This will allow students to attend class, receive a grade and still adhere to the eligibility requirements.	In an effort to support the performing arts and other co- curricular activities, students enrolled in co-curricular activities may participate in performances at the middle school or at other schools within the District during regular school hours
6	Special education students will be required to comply with academic and behavioral standards subject to the individual's IEPC as provided in the state and federal laws.	If a special education student is at risk of a failing grade in a class, the IEPC process may be a suitable course of action.
7	Activities that are impacted by eligibility standards are: Tryouts, practices, and games, events and activities that occur before or after regular hours on home course, field, arena, court, pool (etc.) or at away events	To comply with MHSAA rules.
8	Activities not impacted by eligibility standards are: Summer camp and activities during regular school hours, as long as the activities are not competitions, games, events, festivals or contests	Not a compliance issue with MHSAA



HIGH SCHOOL ELIGIBILITY COMPONENT

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1	Minimum semester grade point requirement of 1.7 and no end of semester “E”s or “P”s establishes eligibility for next semester.	SLCS utilizes pluses and minuses for grading; this minimum GPA represents a C-. We believe that this is a reasonable minimum standard for eligibility.
2	Once eligibility is established students must pass a minimum of four classes before official eligibility checks, generally on the 1st of the month.	This allows students to experience difficulty, receive a "warning" and have the opportunity to improve their performance prior to being declared ineligible.
3	Minimum time of ineligibility = two weeks as long as student regains eligibility with a 1.70 GPA and no “E”s	The student should be able to spend this period of time focusing on studies prior to having eligibility restored.
4	Semester incompletes must be eliminated to restore eligibility with a 1.70 GPA and no “E”s.	We believe that this will minimize incompletes being utilized to circumvent the eligibility requirements.
5	Co-curricular activities: If a student is ineligible for public performances because s/he is not a fulltime student or due to failure to meet academic or behavioral standards as defined in this policy, alternative assessments shall be provided. This will allow students to attend class, receive a grade and still adhere to the eligibility requirements.	In an effort to support the performing arts and other co- curricular activities, students enrolled in co-curricular activities may participate in performances at the high school or at other schools within the District during regular school hours, in accordance with rationale #10 below.
6	Summer school may be considered for eligibility.	Summer school classes are subject to approval of the building principal.
7	Night school classes will not be considered for eligibility.	Students should not be attending classes both day and night to restore eligibility.
8	Special education students will be required to comply with academic and behavioral standards subject to the individual's IEPC as provided in the state and federal laws.	If a special education student is at risk of a failing grade in a class, the IEPC process may be a suitable course of action.
9	Activities that are impacted by eligibility standards are: Tryouts, practices, and games, events and activities that occur before or after regular hours on home course, field, arena, court, pool (etc.) or at away events.	To comply with MHSAA rules.
10	Activities not impacted by eligibility standards are: Summer camp and activities during regular school hours, as long as the activities are not competitions, games, events, festivals or contests.	Not a compliance issue with MHSAA.