



*Division of Teaching and Learning
Department of Secondary Curriculum and Instruction*

MEMORANDUM

TO: Secondary Principals

FROM: Cazilda Steele, Ed.D., Executive Director of Secondary Curriculum & Instruction

DATE: May 31, 2018

SUBJECT: **2018-2019 HONORS (PreAP) COURSES IDENTIFIED AS EXEMPT FROM NO-PASS, NO-PLAY**

At the Tuesday, May 29, 2018 Board Meeting, the Katy ISD Board of Trustees approved the No-Pass, No-Play exempt courses for the 2018-2019 school year. Policy FM(LEGAL), Student Activities, specifies that "A student shall be suspended from participation in any extracurricular activity sponsored by the District of the UIL after a grade evaluation period in which the student received a grade lower than the equivalent of 70 on a scale of 100 in any academic class other than a course described below as EXEMPT COURSES."

The following are honors classes for purposes of eligibility to participate in extracurricular activities:

1. **ALL College Board Advanced Placement courses** and International Baccalaureate courses in all disciplines;
2. **English Language Arts:** high school/college concurrent enrollment classes that are included in the "Community College General Academic Course Guide Manual (Part One)";
3. **Languages other than English:** high school/college concurrent enrollment classes that are included in the "Community College General Academic Course Guide Manual (Part One)" and languages other than English courses Levels IV-VII;
4. **Mathematics:** high school/college concurrent enrollment classes that are included in the "Community College General Academic Course Guide Manual (Part One)" and precalculus;
5. **Science:** high school/college concurrent enrollment classes that are included in the "Community College General Academic Course Guide manual (Part One); and
6. **Social Studies:** Social Studies Advanced Studies, Economics Advanced Studies, high school/college concurrent enrollment classes that are included in the "Community College General Academic Course Guide Manual (Part One).

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Districts **may identify additional honors courses** in the subject areas of English language arts, mathematics, science, social studies, economics, or a language other than English for the purposes of extracurricular eligibility, but must identify such courses before the semester in which any exemptions related to extracurricular activities occur.

The courses listed below are EXEMPT from No-Pass, No-Play consideration:

English	Mathematics	Science	Social Studies	Languages other than English (LOTE)
English 1 PreAP	Geometry PreAP	Biology PreAP	World Geography PreAP	Spanish III PreAP
English I PreAP/GT	Geometry PreAP/GT	Biology PreAP/GT	World Geography PreAP/GT	Spanish for Spanish Speakers III PreAP
English II PreAP	Algebra II PreAP	Chemistry PreAP	World History PreAP	German III PreAP
English II PreAP/GT	Algebra II PreAP/GT	Chemistry PreAP/GT	Psychology PreAP	French III PreAP
	PreCalculus PreAP			Japanese III PreAP
	PreCalculus PreAP/GT			Latin III PreAP
	Multi-Variable Calculus PreAP			Chinese III PreAP
	Multi-Variable Calculus PreAP/GT			

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