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EIC (LOCAL) Revisions

Revision of EIC (LOCAL) concerning Academic Achievement: Class Ranking is recommended for consideration at this time by MFISD administration to provide direction related to credit by exams taken to receive credit for first time in high school. And, to give clarity for students who enter MFISD with course work that would be identified as pass/fail grades. Changes also include additional specificity regarding valedictorian and salutatorian for the class of 2029 and beyond.



EIC (LOCAL) Calculation

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The District shall include in the calculation of class rank semester grades earned in high school credit courses taken in grades 9-12 in the following subject areas only: English, mathematics, science, social studies, and languages other than English, as well as all Advanced Placement (AP) courses, OnRamps courses, and dual credit courses, unless excluded below.

Beginning with students who enroll during the 2026-2027 school year, credit by examination without prior instruction in eligible courses shall be included in the calculation of class rank

The class rank calculation shall not include semester grades from a course that is retaken after a passing grade has been earned.

The calculation shall include failing grades.



EIC (LOCAL) Pass/Fail Grades from Transfer Students

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Beginning with transfer students who initially enroll in the District during the 2026-2027 school year, the District shall include pass/fail grades earned in eligible courses in the calculation of class rank. The student shall have the option for the grade of “P” to be converted to a 70 or take a credit-based assessment to raise the grade. The District shall use the higher of the two grades in the calculation of class rank.

A grade of “F” shall be converted to 60 for purposes of calculating class rank.



EIC (LOCAL) Exclusions

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The calculation of class rank shall exclude grades earned in summer school; languages other than English courses for which credit is earned outside the regular school day or regular school year; a distance learning course, unless the course is offered through the District as a course option along with traditional courses; a dual credit course for which credit is earned outside the regular school day or regular school year; any local credit course; any course for which a pass/fail grade is assigned; **or through credit by examination, with or without prior instruction taken prior to the 2026-2027 school year.**



EIC (LOCAL) Calculation

Page 5 of 8 (Graduating classes 2028 and beyond)

The District shall include in the calculation of class rank semester grades earned in high school credit courses taken in grades 9-12 in the following subject areas only: English, mathematics, science, social studies, and languages other than English, as well as all Advanced Placement (AP) courses, OnRamps courses, and dual credit courses, unless excluded below.

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EIC (LOCAL) Exclusions

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The calculation of class rank shall exclude grades earned in:

- Summer school;
- Any distance learning or online course, including TXVSN, unless the course is offered through the District as a course option along with traditional courses;
- Any correspondence course;
- Any local credit course;
- Any course for which a pass/fail grade is assigned;
- **Any course for which credit is earned through examination, with or without prior instruction taken prior to the 2026-2027 school year;**
- An assigned remediation or tutoring course; and
- Any course for which credit is earned outside the regular school day or regular school year.



EIC (LOCAL)

Valedictorian and Salutatorian

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For students in the graduating class of 2028, the valedictorian and salutatorian shall be the eligible students with the highest and second-highest rank, respectively. To be eligible for this local graduation honor, a student must:

1. Have been continuously enrolled in the District high school for the four semesters immediately preceding graduation;
2. Be graduating after exactly eight semesters of enrollment in high school; and
3. Have completed the foundation program with the distinguished level of achievement.



EIC (LOCAL)

Valedictorian and Salutatorian

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Beginning with students in the graduating class of 2029, the valedictorian and salutatorian shall be the eligible students with the highest and second-highest rank, respectively. To be eligible for this local graduation honor, a student must:

1. Have been continuously enrolled in the District high school for the four semesters immediately preceding graduation;
2. Be graduating after exactly eight semesters of enrollment in high school;
3. Have numerical semester grades for English, mathematics, and science included in the calculation for the first four semesters of high school; and
4. Have completed the foundation program with the distinguished level of achievement.



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