

Implementing HB5 and the New Graduation Plans

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AGENDA

- Understand the new House Bill 5 (HB5) graduation requirements.
- Understand the new graduation plans under HB5.
- Learn about the five Endorsements under HB5.
- Clarify any questions you may have.



What is HB5?

House Bill 5 (HB5) is a law passed during the Texas 83rd Legislative session that changed graduation requirements for students entering 9th grade during 2014-2015 school year.



What Does it Change?

Primary Change for Students are **the Graduation Plans:**

- The new Foundation High School Program **allows greater flexibility** of courses required to graduate.
- It encourages students to **earn career pathway endorsements.**
- It **expands available CTE courses** that will satisfy the requirements for those endorsements.



House Bill 5

Reduces the number of End of Course (EOC) Assessments students are required to pass for a high school diploma from 15 to 5. They are:

- English I
- English II
- Algebra I
- Biology
- US History



*Combined English exams into one assessment instead of separate reading and writing tests.

New State Graduation Plans

- ❖ Foundation High School Program (FHSP)
- ❖ Foundation High School Program with an Endorsement (4 credits in Math & 4 credits in Science)
- ❖ Foundation High School Program with an Endorsement ~ Distinguished Level of Achievement (which must include Algebra II)



District Graduation Plans

Graduation Plans Side by Side for Class of 2018 (HB5)			
Contents	Foundation	Distinguished Level of Achievement	Distinguished Level of Achievement with Collegiate Honors
	District	District	District
ELA	4	4	4
Math	3	4	4
Science	3	4	4
Social Studies	4	4	4
PE	1	1	1
LOTE	2	3	3
Fine Arts	1	1	1
Speech	0.5	0.5	0.5
Electives	5.5	5.5	6.5
Total	24	27	28



Foundation High School Program with Endorsements

So, what's an Endorsement?

- ❖ An endorsement is a program of study
- ❖ An endorsement is earned when a student completes a sequence of courses in a concentrated area of study.
- ❖ 5 endorsement areas:

STEM

Business & Industry

Public Services

Arts and Humanities

Multidisciplinary



Endorsements

State Curriculum Requirements: ENDORSEMENTS



Sample of Automotive Crosswalk



Pharr-San Juan-Alamo ISD & South Texas College



Automotive Technology Certificate Plan Crosswalk

Credit Check						
High School				South Texas College		
Graduation Requirements (? Program)				AUMT Certificate		
English	I _1/2 _1/2	II _1/2 _1/2	III _1/2 _1/2	IV _1/2 _1/2	AUMT 1407	Automotive Electrical Systems Energy, Power, and Transportation Systems DC
Mathematics	Algebra I _1/2 _1/2	Geometry _1/2 _1/2	Algebra II _1/2 _1/2	4 th Math _1/2 _1/2	AUMT 1410	Automotive Brake Systems Automotive Technology I DC
Science	Biology _1/2 _1/2	Chemistry _1/2 _1/2	Physics _1/2 _1/2	4 th Science _1/2 _1/2	AUMT 1201	Introduction and Theory of Automotive Technology
Social Studies	World Geography _1/2 _1/2	World History _1/2 _1/2	United States History _1/2 _1/2		AUMT 1416	Automotive Suspension and Steering Systems Advanced Automotive Technology DC
Government/ Economics	Government _1/2	Economics _1/2			AUMT 1419	Automotive Engine Repair
Foreign Language (2) R (3) DAP	Spanish I _1/2 _1/2	Spanish II _1/2 _1/2	Spanish III _1/2 _1/2		AUMT 2417	Automotive Engine Performance Analysis I
Misc.	Speech _1/2	PE _1/2 _1/2	Fine Arts _1/2 _1/2		AUMT 2425	Automotive Automatic Transmission and Transaxle
Electives						
	1/2 _1/2	1/2 _1/2	1/2 1/2	1/2 _1/2	AUMT 2313	Automotive Drive Train and Axles Practicum in Transportation, Distribution and Logistics I DC
	1/2 _1/2	1/2 _1/2	1/2		AUMT 1345	Automotive Climate Control Systems
					AUMT 2434	Automotive Engine Performance Analysis II Practicum in Transportation, Distribution and Logistics II DC
					AUMT 1266	CAPSTONE: Practicum I

Course Information							
		South Texas College Course	College Credit Hours	Minimum Contact Hours	High School Course	High School Credit	Time Commitment
9 th	Fall				Principles of Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics DC	0.5	45min daily OR 90min A or B
	Spring					0.5	45min daily OR 90min A or B
10 th	Fall	AUMT 1407	4.0	128	Energy, Power, and Transportation Systems DC	1.0	90 min daily
	Spring	AUMT 1410 AUMT 1201	4.0 2.0	160 32	Automotive Technology DC	1.0	90 min daily PLUS 120mins per week for 1201
11 th	Fall	AUMT 1416 AUMT 1419	4.0 4.0	160 96	Advanced Automotive Technology	1.0	90 minute DOUBLE block; daily 90min each section (180min total)
	Spring	AUMT 2417 AUMT 2425	4.0 4.0	128 128		1.0	90 minute DOUBLE block; daily 90min each section (180min total)
12 th	Fall	AUMT 2313 AUMT 1345	3.0 3.0	96 96	Practicum in Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics I DC	2.0	90 minute DOUBLE block; daily 90min each section (180min total)
	Spring	AUMT 2434 AUMT 1266	4.0 2.0	160 320	Practicum in Transportation, Distribution, and Logistics II DC	2.0	90 minute DOUBLE block; daily 20 hours per week for 1266



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Side by Side Graduation Program

Pharr-San Juan-Alamo ISD Side by Side Graduation Program Options for a student entering grade 9 in the 2014-2015 school year (Continued)		
Graduation Plans/Requirement	** Distinguished Level Achievement (DLA) 27 credits	Distinguished Level of Achievement with Collegiate Honors (DLA CH) 28 credits
FAFSA/TASFA ♦	Required ♦	Required ♦
College Applications	Two completed by December of senior year	Three completed by December of senior year (one will be State college application)***
Transition plan	A transition plan leading to a post-secondary career goal completed by the end of the 5 th six weeks	A transition plan leading to a post-secondary career goal completed by the end of 5 th six weeks



Side by Side Graduation Program

<p>Post -Secondary Work</p>	<p>Recommended</p> <p>Option 1- Core Complete (42 hours) Option 2- Completion of college certificate Option 3- Completion of 12 college hours with a transition plan leading to a higher education career goal Option 4- Endorsement only with principal approval (Associate degree preferred)</p>	<p>(Class of 2018 only) All Distinguished level of Achievement with Collegiate Honors graduation candidates must meet the following requirements:</p> <p>Must complete the DLA program with 28 credits counting toward graduation. Candidates must have completed four (4) measures by their senior year. Two of the four measures must come from core courses; example-mathematics, science, English, Social Studies (Students must earn a "B" or higher to count course as a measure)</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Recommended Core complete (minimum 42 hours) and/or an associate degree Option 1-Associate complete by December of senior year and/or -Enrolled in final courses leading to an associate by January 31 of senior year. (Dropping any of those courses will disqualify student) Option 2- Core complete by December of senior year</p>
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Side by Side Graduation Program

Scholarship application	Two recommended, completed by the end of January	Two (Five for top 10%, one of which must be Ford, Dell, Hispanic, Coca-Cola, Gates Millennium or other of similar prestige) completed by the end of January
CAPSTONE project	Recommended, complete by the end of the 5 th six weeks	Top 10 % requirement to be complete by end of 5 th six weeks
Texas Success Initiative (TSI)	Attempt all 3 sections, complete by December of Senior year	TSI preferred or TSI exempt for top 10% by December of senior year or 3 attempts all TSI
Community Service	Recommended, complete by end of January of Senior year	REQUIRED Option 1-Complete community service project (20+ hours by end of January of Senior Year) Option 2- Attend a college access program or tour by end of January of Senior Year Option 3-Enroll in an internship (minimal of 10 hours) related to the chosen degree plan and/or career by end of January of senior year (complete 2 out of 3 options)
Performance acknowledgments	Recommended	One required
Total Credits	27	28

*Foundation HSP – PSJA ISD Minimum Graduation Plan

**Waiver from the DLA HSP can only happen their senior year, must have a student, parent, counselor, administrator conference and a parent signature.

*** Signed contract with the military

◆students may apply for a waiver due to philosophical reasons. Principal approval required

©Prestigious- Scholarship that is a National Major



BUT WAIT , There's More!

Students can also add a
Performance Acknowledgement!



It's a lot like the "Advanced Measures" that were previously on the old Distinguished Plan.



What's a Performance Acknowledgement?

Outstanding Performance (s) in:

- Dual Credit Course
- Bilingualism and Bi-literacy
- College Board Advanced Placement Exams
- PSAT, PLAN-ACT, SAT or ACT
- Business or industry certification or license



Dual Language Enrichment Program Distinction

Credits:

In order to graduate with the dual language distinction on their diploma, a student must earn eight (8) dual language credits. Four (4) in Spanish language arts, Three (3) in Content core subjects, and one (1) credit from any dual language elective course

*the sequence of the Spanish language arts for bilingualism and bi-literacy will change from Spanish I-IV to Spanish IV-VII beginning in the 2018-2019 academic school year.

Spanish Language Arts

- four (4) credits of Spanish language arts. *

Content Subjects

- three (3) credits from the three core content subjects: History, Math, and Science.
- (taught In Spanish)

Electives

- one (1) credit from any dual language elective course.
- (taught in Spanish)



NEXT STEPS

- How will students select an endorsement?
- When will 8th grade parents and students meet with the counselor to discuss course schedules and an endorsement plan?



So What Happens Now? The Process

CTE Overview One Page

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	<p>Public Service: HEALTH SCIENCE STC Certificate: Emergency Medical Technician Patient Care Technician Assistant Industry Certification Programs: Phlebotomy (I) Pharmacy Technician (I) CPR/First Aid Infant and Adults (I)</p>
	<p>Public Service: CRIMINAL JUSTICE/LAW ENFORCEMENT STC Associate's Degree: Criminal Justice Industry Certification Programs: 911 NAED Emergency Telecommunications Certification Fire Science (STC) Level II Security Guard Certification TDCJ Corrections Certification</p>
	<p>Human Service: EDUCATION/CULINARY ARTS/COSMETOLOGY STC Associate's Degree: Early Childhood – 6th Generalist Associates (STC) STC Certificate: Teacher Assistant Certificate (STC) Industry Certifications: Substitute Teacher Certification ServSafe Cosmetology License ProStart</p>
	<p>Business: BUSINESS, MARKETING, FINANCE, INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, COMPUTER MAINTENANCE, MEDIA STC Associate Degree: Business Administration Transfer Plan STC Certificate & Associate Degree: Management (I) Computer Specialist (I) Marketing (I) Computer Maintenance (I) TSTC Associate Degree: Computer Networking & Security Technology (Cyber Security) (I) Non-Dual Programs: Accounting (I), Graphic Design (I), A/V Production (I), Video Game Design (I) Industry Certifications: Microsoft Office Applications (Word, Excel, PPT, Access); Adobe (Photoshop, InDesign, Illustrator, Preer CompTIA (IT Fundamentals, A+, N+); Internet Core Computing; A*S*K (Business, Marketing, Finance); OSHA Cyber Safety Awareness</p>
	<p>Industry: STEM STC Certificate Degree: Advanced Manufacturing Technology (I) HVAC Auto Technology (I) Electrician Technology Structural Welding (I) Drafting Combination Welding (I) Industry Certifications: OSHA (10 Hr. General, 10 Hr. Construction); American Welding Society; Automotive Service Technicia AutoCAD</p>
<p>Non-Dual Programs</p>	<p>PUBLIC & HUMAN SERVICES Education & Training; Law Enforcement; Culinary Arts; Health Science (General) BUSINESS & INDUSTRY Computer Applications; Accounting; Graphic Design; Audio-Video; Computer Maintenance; Architect Construction; Drafting; Animal Science; Ag Mechanics; Welding; Auto Tech</p>

STC = South Texas College Certificate; I = Industry Certification Embedded



So What Happens Now? The Process



CTE Expo
MS 8th graders



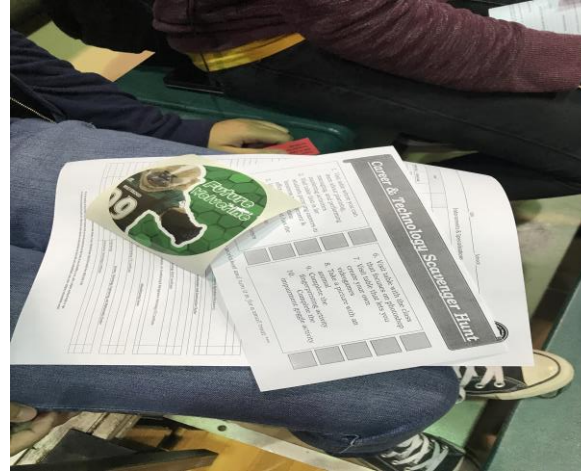
HS Counselors meet
with students to review
their educational plan
& endorsement
selection.



Evening Session:
Parent & student
sign an
endorsement plan.



CTE MS EXPO ~ NOV. - DEC.



Parent & Student Endorsement Meeting

Austin Middle School



Kennedy Middle School



QUESTIONS





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