

STUDENT ELIGIBILITY

CURRICULAR activities occur within the regular school day and constitute the delivery of instruction. Curricular activities may also be an extension of the classroom instruction in which participation is by the entire class or significant portion thereof. These activities relate directly to and enhance student learning of essential knowledge and skills through participation, demonstration, illustration, and observation. Examples of curricular activities include free concerts held at night on the school campus, section rehearsals held in preparation for a curricular activity, and district-wide festivals where no admission is charged.

EXTRACURRICULAR activities are those "sponsored by the UIL, the school district board of trustees, or an organization sanctioned by resolution of the board of trustees. The activity is not necessarily directly related to instruction of an essential knowledge or skill, but may have an indirect relation to some areas of the curriculum." (For a complete definition refer to the UIL *Side-by-Side*.) Extracurricular activities offer worthwhile and significant contributions to a student's personal, physical, and social development. Participation in an extracurricular activity is a privilege, not a right, and students must meet specific requirements in order to participate. Examples of extracurricular activities include any activity involving competition such as contests and auditions, off-campus events sponsored by a group other than the school, and concerts where an admission fee is charged.

INELIGIBILITY occurs when a student earns a grade less than 70 in any class during a grading period. Students will lose eligibility seven calendar days after the end of the grading period. Students will remain ineligible for the following grading period, **UNLESS** they are passing **ALL** classes at the end of the following three week grading period. Ineligible students, who have passing grades in **ALL** subjects at the end of a three week evaluation period, must wait seven calendar days after the three week period to regain eligibility.