6th to 7th ELA Honors Requirements	4	3	2	1	0
Main 6th grade ELA Textbook Reading Comprehension Assessment Scores -Average score for the year (3 per year given)	95% and above	92-94%	89-91%	86-88%	85% and below
Standardized Test for the Assessment of Reading (STAR test produces an Instructional Reading Level, IRL) -Highest score of the 3 STAR Assessments given throughout the year	9.0 and above	8.3-8.9	7.6-8.2	7.0-7.5	6.9 and below
Accelerated Reader (AR) Score -Average for year (number varies per student)	95% and above	91-94%	88-90%	85-87%	84% and below
Writing Assessment Average of the 3 common writing assignment rubric scores given in 6th grade	95% and above	91-94%	88-90%	85-87%	84% and below
*ELA PSSA (5th Grade) Raw Score	46 and above	42-45	36-41	32-35	31 and below
Rubric Total/20 Students need 17 for Honors					

<sup>\*</sup>If there is no PSSA score, rubric formula will be adjusted.

Appeals Test: Cold Write (Writing and Reading Comprehension); eligible if 15-16 points scored on rubric

7th to 8th ELA Honors Requirements	4	3	2	1	0
Teacher Created 7th grade Reading Comprehension Assessments Scores -Average score for the year (minimum of 10 given)	95% and above	92-94%	89-91%	86-88%	85% and below
Standardized Test for the Assessment of Reading (STAR test produces an Instructional Reading Level, IRL) -Highest score of the 3 STAR Assessments given throughout the year	10.0 and higher	9.3-9.9	8.6-8.2	8.0-8.5	7.9 and below
Accelerated Reader Score -Average for year (number varies per student)	95% and above	91-94%	88-90%	85-87%	84% and below
Writing Assignment Rubric Average of the 3 common writing assignment scores given in 7th grade	90% and above	87-89%	84-86%	81-83%	80% and below
* ELA PSSA (6th Grade) Raw Score	45 and above	41-44	35-40	31-34	30 and below
Rubric Total/20 Students need 17 for Honors					

<sup>\*</sup>If there is no PSSA score, rubric formula will be adjusted.

Appeals Test: Cold Write (Writing and Reading Comprehension); eligible if 15-16 points scored on rubric

6th to 7th Science					
Honors	4	3	2	1	0
Requirements					
Main 6th Grade					
Science Common					
Assessments - Average	95% and				87% and
of 3 unit tests	above	92-94%	90-91%	88-89%	below
Math PSSA (5th					
Grade) Raw Score	49 and above	47-48	45-46	43-44	42 and below
ELA PSSA (5th					
Grade) Raw Score	46 and above	42-45	36-41	32-35	31 and below
<b>Classroom Diagnostic</b>					
<b>Tools:</b> Nature of	90% and				59% and
Science	above	80-89%	70-79%	60-69%	below
<b>Classroom Diagnostic</b>					
<b>Tools</b> : Earth & Space	90% and				59% and
Science	above	80-89%	70-79%	60-69%	below
Main 6 <sup>th</sup> grade Math					
textbook Chapter (1-7)	98% and				89% and
assessments average	above	96-97%	94-95%	90-93%	below
Rubric Total/24					
Students need 22 for					
Honors					

<sup>\*</sup>If there is no PSSA score, rubric formula will be adjusted.

Appeals: PA Science Standards based Link It assessment; eligible if 20-21 points scored on rubric

7th to 8th Science					
Honors	4	3	2	1	0
Requirements					
Main 7th grade Science textbook common lab assessments (3)	95% and above	92-94%	90-91%	88-89%	87% and below
Quarterly 7th grade Science Tests (3)- Academic	95% and above	92-94%	90-91%	88-89%	87% and below
Quarterly 7th grade Science Tests (3)- Honors	93% and above	90-92%	88-89%	86-87%	85% and below
ELA PSSA (6th Grade) Raw Score	45 and above	41-44	35-40	31-34	30 and below
Math PSSA (6th Grade) Raw Score	49 and above	47-48	45-46	43-44	42 and below
Classroom Diagnostic Tool: Nature of Science	90% and above	80-89%	70-79%	60-69%	59% and below
Current Math Placement	Honors Algebra/Geo metry	Honors Pre- Algebra 95% and above testing average	Honors Pre- Algebra 94% or less testing average	Pre-Algebra 95% and above testing average	Pre-Algebra 94% or less testing average
Rubric Total/24 Students need 22 for Honors					

<sup>\*</sup>If there is no PSSA score, rubric formula will be adjusted.

Appeals: PA Science Standards based Link It assessment; eligible if 20-21 points scored on rubric

6th to 7th Social Studies Honors Requirements	4	3	2	1	0
Main 6th grade Geography textbook common assessment scores -Average score for year (3 are given)	95% and above	92-94%	89-91%	86-88%	85% and below
Standardized Test for the Assessment of Reading (STAR test produces an Instructional Reading Level, IRL) -Highest score of the 3 STAR Assessments given throughout the year	9.0 and above	8.3-8.9	7.6-8.2	7.0-7.5	6.9 and below
Writing Assessment Average of the 3 common writing assignment scores given in 6 <sup>th</sup> grade	95% and above	91-94%	88-90%	85-87%	84% and below
*ELA PSSA (5th Grade) Raw Score	46 and above	42-45	36-41	32-35	31 and below
Rubric Total/16 Students need 13 for Honors					

<sup>\*</sup>If there is no PSSA score, rubric formula will be adjusted.

Appeals Test: Cold Write (Writing and Reading Comprehension); eligible if 11-12 points scored on rubric

7th -8th Social Studies Honors Requirements	4	3	2	1	0
Main 7 <sup>th</sup> grade Social Studies Textbook Common Assessment Scores Average score for the year (3 are given)	95% and above	92-94%	89-91%	86-88%	85% and below
Standardized Test for the Assessment of Reading (STAR test produces an Instructional Reading Level, IRL) -Highest score of the 3 STAR Assessments given throughout the year	10.0 and higher	9.3-9.9	8.6-9.2	8.0-8.5	7.9 and below
Writing Assignment Rubric Average of the 3 common writing assignment scores given in 7th grade	90% and above	87-89%	84-86%	81-83%	80% and below
*PSSA (6th Grade) Raw Score	45 and above	41-44	35-40	31-34	30 and below
Rubric Total/16 Students need 13 for Honors					

<sup>\*</sup>If there is no PSSA score, rubric formula will be adjusted.

Appeals Test: Cold Write (Writing and Reading Comprehension); eligible if 11-12 points scored on rubric

6th-7th Math Honors Requirements (2 Step Process) STEP 1 Rubric	4	3	2	1	0
Iowa Algebra Aptitude Test	90% and above	85-89%	80-84%	78-79%	77% and below
Orleans-Hanna Algebra Prognosis Test	96% and above	92-95%	89-91%	86-88%	85% and below
ALEKS: Initial Knowledge Check			53% and above	40-52%	39% and below
ALEKS: December Check			96% and above	80-95%	79% and below
Main 6 <sup>th</sup> grade Math end of unit common assessments average of Chapters 1-7	98% and above	96-97%	94-95%	90–93%	89% and below
State Standards  Benchmark  (Local Assessment)	78% and above	67-77%	60-66%	58-59%	57% and below
Math PSSA (5th grade) Raw Score *	49-52	47-48	45-46	43-44	42 and below

Rubric Step 1 Sub-Total\_\_\_\_\_/24

**Step 1: Requires 10 points minimum to continue to Step 2 – see next Rubric:** 

6th-7th Math Honors Requirements (2 Step Process) STEP 2 Rubric	4	3	2	1
Multiple-Choice	67% and above	58-66%	45-57%	2-44%
Problem Solving	50% and above	35-49%	27-34%	2-26%

Step 2 Rubric Sub-Total\_\_\_\_\_/8

Step 1 & 2

Rubric Total\_\_\_\_\_/32

Total Step 1 & 2 Required Totals:
Honors Algebra = 23+
Honors Pre-Algebra = 14-22
Pre-Algebra = 13 and below

7th-8th Math Honors Requirements	Algebra I ≥ 90% test average and 95% class average in Pre-Algebra ≥ 85% class average in Honors Pre-Algebra
	<b>Geometry</b> 80% or higher average in Honors Algebra 1 in 7th grade