

Bryan Independent School District
Credit By Exam (CBE)
General Information Sheet
2007-2008

CBE Without Prior Instruction:

A student is permitted to take an examination to earn credit for an academic course(s) for which he/she has no prior instruction. In order to receive credit through this process, a score of 90% or higher must be achieved on each test that is taken.

ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for participation in this academic acceleration process, the student must meet minimum expectation on the Reading section of the Texas Assessment of Knowledge and Skills (TAKS) test for the most current administration. If the student is in a grade level that does not have TAKS data, the student must have demonstrated a level of “developed” on the most current administration of the TPRI or Tejas Lee.

REGISTRATION

* Submit completed registration papers to the BISD Testing Office no later than the designated dates provided below. Paperwork may be picked up in the counselor’s office on each campus.

* Pay a deposit of \$14 per test to cover the cost of each exam. The deposit will be refunded upon completion of the exams. Payment must be rendered with the completed registration papers to the BISD Testing Office prior to the deadline. The deposit will be refunded only if the student participates in the testing process. Absences on the scheduled day of testing and cancellations after a test has been ordered will forfeit the deposit.

Questions regarding any monetary issues may be addressed with the Executive Director for Accountability at 209-1079.

PROVISIONS

BISD will not honor a request by a student or parent to administer a test purchased by a party other than the BISD testing office or test on a day other than the designated dates determined by the district. Credit by examination shall not be used to gain eligibility for participation in extracurricular activities and shall not be used in the computation of cumulative grade averages or class rank. The District does not provide transportation for this service.

2008 TESTING DATES, LOCATION and DEADLINES

Testing dates for the 2007-2008 school year are June 3, 4, 5 and July 14, 15, 16. The deadline for registering and paying the test deposit is April 17 (for June testing) and May 23 (for July testing). Testing will be held at the Hammond Oliver Building located at 1305 Memorial Drive, Bryan, Texas.

Contact your campus principal or counselor or the BISD testing office at 209-1077 for more information regarding CBE.

Deliver or Mail Registration Paper and Deposit To:

Travis Education Support Center
BISD Testing Office – Room 204
101 N. Texas Avenue
Bryan, Texas 77803

(979) 209-1077