



Breathitt High School
Next Generation Academy
SBDM Policy & Procedure

The Next Generation Academy at Breathitt High School is an open opportunity for all students. Selection shall be based on an application process heavily weighted on academic performance, ACT scores, and attendance. At Breathitt High School, we consider it imperative for students in this academy to be exemplars of academic excellence and positive role models.

Students wishing to be considered for entry into the Academy shall complete a common application which shall be scored by a district committee comprised of Breathitt County Schools' employees. Applications shall be available in both the spring (sophomores) and fall (juniors who will join the cohort beginning in the spring). Applications shall be scored using the following criteria.

<u>CRITERIA:</u>	<u>POINT VALUE:</u>
Act Scores	35
Grade Point Average (cumulative unweighted)	30
Attendance (minimum 96% per board policy)	20
Behavior	5
Income	5
1 st Generation College	5
Total	100



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Application Scoring Criteria

GPA (minimum 3.0 unweighted):

POINT VALUE:

4.00	30
3.80-3.99	28
3.60-3.79	26
3.40-3.59	24
3.20-3.39	22
3.00-3.19	20

ACT Composite (based on National Benchmarks)

POINT VALUE:

35-36	35
33-34	33
31-32	31
29-30	29
27-28	27
25-26	25
23-24	23
21-22	21
18-20	19

***We shall require the following minimum state ACT benchmarks:**

English – 18, Mathematics – 19, Reading – 20

In addition, an ACT Composite of 18 meets the minimum requirement.

***If Math benchmark does not meet the national benchmark of 22, student may take the KYOTE Math exam (14 or higher), the Wonderlic exam (340 or higher), or EdReady (75-94) to take the class without the lab.**

*Attendance shall be based on the average of 8th, 9th, and 10th grade attendance rounded to the nearest whole number. As per board policy, 96% attendance shall be the goal for all students.

Students Attendance Percentage

POINT VALUE:

100%	20
98-99%	15
96-97%	10

*Students with no behavior infractions shall be awarded 5 points.

*Students who meet Free/Reduced Lunch (FRL) criteria shall be awarded 5 points.

*Students who will be 1st Generation college students shall be awarded 5 points.

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Student / Parent Contract

Academic Standards:

1. Students in their first year of the cohort shall maintain a cumulative semester GPA of 3.0 or they shall be placed on probation the following semester. A second academic probation will result in dismissal from the Academy.
2. Any student receiving a "D or F/E" in an individual class shall be placed on academic probation regardless of cumulative GPA.
3. Any student dropping a class shall be placed on academic probation regardless of cumulative GPA.
4. Students in their second year of the cohort shall maintain a cumulative semester GPA of 3.0 or they shall be dismissed from the Academy.

Academic Probation:

1. A conference shall be held with any student who has been placed on academic probation. Academy staff, the student, and parent/guardian of the student shall be asked to attend.
2. An academic plan shall be designed to assist the student.
3. Failure to comply with the academic plan shall result in dismissal from the Academy.
4. Any second semester senior who's GPA falls below the required minimum GPA shall not receive the Academy seal on his/her high school diploma.

Disciplinary Probation and Removal from the Academy:

1. Academy students will be subject to all applicable policies and procedures of the Breathitt County Board of Education and Hazard Community and Technical College.
2. Any student receiving a disciplinary referral shall be placed on disciplinary probation.
3. Any student may be removed from the Academy for multiple disciplinary referrals for a single serious behavior issue.
4. Any student deemed truant shall be removed from the Academy.

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities

1. Parents shall be responsible for the cost of all text books/ebooks.
2. If a student is dismissed from the Academy or drops a class, the student/parent or guardian shall be responsible for the reimbursement of tuition and any other fees associated with the student's withdrawal. Reimbursement shall be made to the Breathitt County Board of Education.
3. Parents shall be responsible for ensuring students reach HCTC on snow days if HCTC is in session.

Recognizing that enrollment and attendance in the Academy is privilege and not a right, we, the undersigned, have read, fully understand, support and agree that the expectations set forth in this document serve as the requirements for participating in the Breathitt County Schools Next Generation Academy.

Student Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date

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Application form Admission

Student Contact Information

Student Name _____
Last First MI

Date of Birth ____ / ____ / ____ Current Grade Level ____

Mailing Address _____
Street / PO Box City State Zip

Student Telephone _____
Home Cell

Student's Email Address _____
School
Home

Parents/Legal Guardian Contact Information

Father/Legal Guardians Name _____
Last First MI

Mailing Address _____
Street / PO Box City State Zip

Father's Telephone _____
Home Cell

Father's Email Address _____

Mother/Legal Guardians Name _____
Last First MI

Mailing Address _____
Street / PO Box City State Zip

Mother's Telephone _____
Home Cell

Mother's Email Address _____



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Consent for Release of Information

Date: ____ / ____ / ____

To Whom It May Concern:

As parent/guardian of _____ whose birthday is
____ / ____ / ____, I authorize and approve the release of information concerning my child from and
between the following schools:

Breathitt High School
Hazard Community and Technical College
Morehead State University

This information shall specifically include:

- Medical records as necessary for admission and student welfare.
- Cumulative records, including attendance records, grades, and other appropriate information as deemed applicable for educational purposes.

My signature below constitutes notice to me that this information will be disclosed only to school personnel who have a legitimate educational interest in my child. I understand that I may inspect this information and / or the records if I so choose.

Signature _____

Date ____ / ____ / ____

Address _____



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To Be Completed By School Administrator

Include Attachments:

- _____ Official Copy of High School Transcript
- _____ Copy of student's ACT test report
- _____ Copies of 8th, 9th, 10th grade attendance reports
- _____ Percent average attendance 8th, 9th, 10th grade year
- _____ / 4.00 Unweighted GPA at end of 1st semester of 10th grade year

ACT Assessment (Highest scores can be used from different tests)

Year Taken	English	Math	Reading	Composite	Nat. Percentile

Please verify the following statements:

To the best of my knowledge, this applicant meets eligibility requirements for Free/Reduced price meals.

_____ Yes _____ No

To the best of my knowledge, this applicant's parents have not completed a Bachelor's Degree at any college or university.

_____ Yes _____ No

This Applicant has had no disciplinary referrals deemed serious enough to disqualify them from the Academy.

_____ Yes _____ No

Signature of School Administrator

Date