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Issue Paper

DATE:

April 30, 2021

AGENDA ITEM (ACTION ITEM):

Consider/Approve The attached supplemental school year plan for all KCS D students, grades K-12, who chose this option before 12:01AM May 2nd, 2021.

APPLICABLE BOARD POLICY:

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HISTORY/BACKGROUND:

The Kentucky Legislature passed and the Governor signed SB 128 "supplemental year" into law during the 2021 legislative session. The law requires that students notify school districts by May 1st of their intent to utilize the supplemental year and that the Board of Education by June 1 either accept or deny all request collectively. The district sent out a survey the week before spring break and we have less than 100 request as of 2:00PM on 4/30/21. Due to the relatively low number of requests we are recommending that the board approve all of the request we have received. The KCS D Supplemental Year Plan is attached for review.

FISCAL/BUDGETARY IMPACT:

N/A

RECOMMENDATION:

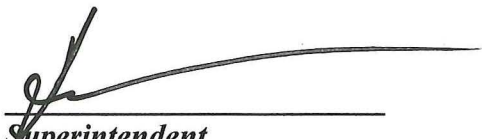
Approval to The attached supplemental school year plan for all KCS D students, grades K-12, who chose this option before 12:01AM May 2nd, 2021.

CONTACT PERSON:

Henry Webb

Principal/Administrator

District Administrator



Superintendent

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Principal –complete, print, sign and send to your Director. Director –if approved, sign and put in the Superintendent's mailbox.

KCSD Supplemental Year Implementation Plan 2021-2022 School Year

All KCSD students enrolled in grades K-12 who chose the option for the supplemental year before 12:01AM on May 2nd, 2021 will be allowed to participate in the supplemental program during the 2021-2022 school year.

Supplemental Program:

- Students enrolled through the supplemental program should only be enrolled in classes to retake the courses from the 2020-2021 school year or to supplement those courses.
 - The Supplemental School Year Program was established for students to “retake or supplement courses or grades the student has already taken.” That is, courses taken during the supplemental year must be those the student previously was enrolled in or bear a reasonable connection to previous courses to be supplementary in nature.
 - The local school shall ensure that every student repeating grades K-12 as a result of the supplemental year program is compliant with this requirement.
- A repeated course and subsequent grade shall not count as an additional credit unless the student failed the original course.
- All students will be able to participate in all school extra/co-curricular programs per activity guidelines, policies and procedures to include KHSAA.
 - Notwithstanding any rule or regulation of the Kentucky Board of Education or the Kentucky High School Athletic Association, but in compliance with KRS 156.070(2)(f) relating to age limits, if a member school provides evidence to the Kentucky High School Athletic Association documenting a student enrolled in grades 9 through 12 during the 2020-2021 school year as utilizing the 2021-2022 school year as a supplemental school year under Section 2 or 3 of this Act at the member school, then the student shall have five consecutive calendar years of eligibility from the date of first entry into grade 9, and retaking courses pursuant to Section 2 or 3 of this Act shall not otherwise disqualify the student from eligibility. However, any other rules or regulations governing eligibility, such as rules regarding transfers, are not waived under this section.
 - The district and local school will maintain a list of all student athletes in grades 9-12 to ensure eligibility compliance.
- All students participating in the supplemental year program will participate in state/federal testing which could mean re-taking the assessment the student took in 2020-2021.
- Graduated Senior Program:

- All seniors choosing this option shall graduate and receive their diploma at the conclusion of 2021 if they have met graduation requirements. Students will have the option to attend graduation with their class of 2021 and will not have the option to attend graduation ceremonies with the class of 2022.
- Courses taken during the Graduated Senior Program will have the grades reported on their transcripts, however, these grades will not impact their high school GPA as their GPA will be finalized upon graduation.
- Students enrolled in this program must complete the course for academic credit.
- Students enrolled in this program are expected to complete all courses and remain in good academic standing.
- Graduated seniors who return and wish to take postsecondary coursework during the 2021-2022 year must pursue dual enrollment (defined within KRS 164.002) rather than dual credit coursework. Additionally, it should be noted that students who graduate from high school during the 2020-2021 year are no longer considered high school students for scholarship purposes and, therefore, are not eligible for Dual Credit or Work Ready Dual Credit scholarships during the 2021-2022 year. As such, tuition for courses taken by graduated students will be determined by the postsecondary institution. High school graduates who desire to use their KEES awards for postsecondary expenses must be enrolled at the postsecondary level as regular postsecondary students who are subject to full tuition rates.