



Kinder High School for the
Performing and Visual Arts

ELECTIVE WAIVERS

Purpose: *Allows students to remove up to 4 numerical semester grades from the GPA (up to 2.0 credits).*

How can it benefit?: *If a student's GPA will be lowered when an elective grade is averaged in, then it benefits the student to remove it from the GPA.*

EXAMPLE

Starting
weighted
GPA:

4.3

+

ELECTIVE
GRADE:

85% (3.0) =

The overall GPA
would be lowered



Elective Waiver Added

Starting
weighted
GPA:

4.3

+

"P"

=

The overall GPA is
not affected by the
"P" for passing

Want to know how a grade will affect your GPA?

[Click here for a weighted GPA template](#)

FAQ'S

- Once a waiver is applied, it cannot be removed.
- Per HISD policy, waivers can only be used for elective credits and not for courses required for graduation.
- Mr. Dan McCommis, our Registrar, will contact students and parents each semester regarding dates available and deadlines.