

Coffee with the Principal Café con la Directora January 31, 2025 31 de enero 2025



## Agenda

- STAAR Interim
- Spring Semester Testing
- Tutorials
- HCC Transcripts/Grades
- Senior Events
- FAFSA Night
- Parent Resources
- HISD NOW

## STAAR Algebra 1 Interim

|          | 「otal | Student<br>Count | Test<br>Completion <b>\$</b><br>Rate | Predicted STAAR Performance                          | Average<br>Scale Score |
|----------|-------|------------------|--------------------------------------|--|------------------------|
| ESC      |       | 9929             |                                      | Percent 35% 18% 14% 33%<br>Count 3.5K 1.8K 1.4K 3.3K | 3792 🕦                 |
| District |       | 9698             |                                      | Percent 35% 18% 14% 33% Count 3.4K 1.7K 1.4K 3.2K    | 3792 🕦                 |
| Campus   |       | 56               |                                      | Percent 13% 16% 21% 50% Count 7 9 12 28              | 3986 🚯                 |

## STAAR English 1 Interim

|          | Total | Student<br>Count \$ | Test<br>Completion <b>\$</b><br>Rate | Predicted STAAR Performance                       | Average<br>Scale Score |
|----------|-------|---------------------|--------------------------------------|---|------------------------|
| ESC      |       | 22957               |                                      | Percent 29% 9% 21% 41% Count 6.8K 2K 4.9K 9.3K    | 4070 🕦                 |
| District |       | 11447               |                                      | Percent 30% 9% 22% 39%<br>Count 3.5K 1K 2.5K 4.5K | 4053 🕦                 |
| Campus   |       | 117                 |                                      | Percent 6% 1% 20% 74% Count 7 1 23 86             | 4415 🕦                 |

## STAAR English 2 Interim

|          | 「otal | Student<br>Count | Test<br>Completion <b>\$</b><br>Rate | Predicted STAAR Performance                         | Average<br>Scale Score |
|----------|-------|------------------|--------------------------------------|---|------------------------|
| ESC      |       | 22563            |                                      | Percent 35% 8% 29% 28% Count 7.8K 1.9K 6.6K 6.3K    | 4020 🕦                 |
| District |       | 11621            |                                      | Percent 34% 9% 31% 26%<br>Count 3.9K 1.1K 3.6K 3.1K | 4017 🚯                 |
| Campus   |       | 111              |                                      | Percent 5% 5% 41% 48% Count 6 6 46 53               | 4372 🕦                 |

## HCC Grading

· HCC grades are converted to numerical grades on the HISD transcript

| HCC GRADE | HISD GRADE |
|-----------|------------|
| Α         | 95         |
| В         | 85         |
| С         | 77         |
| D         | 72         |
| F         | 60         |
| FX        | 60         |
| w         | See Below  |

- Any college credit lower than a C is not transferrable to a 4-year university
- FX= student did not attend or did not complete work
- W= student withdrew from the class (does not affect GPA)

# College GPA 2.0 GPA ="C" Average

When a student's Cumulative HCC GPA drops BELOW a 2.0, they are on probation for one semester (probation= can still take classes, must attend a SLIP session with HCC Counselor)

If a student on probation brings their SEMESTER GPA to 2.0 or higher, but their CUMULATIVE GPA is still below a 2.0, they are still on probation.

If a student on probation fails to bring their SEMESTER or CUMULATIVE GPA above a 2.0, they are now on suspension (suspension= cannot take classes, must attend multiple SLIP sessions)

If a student remains on probation for 2 semesters and fails to bring their CUMULATIVE GPA above a 2.0 during their 2nd probation semester, they are now on suspension.

After graduation, if a student chooses to transfer their "C" grades to a university, they should be aware that if their cumulative college GPA falls below a 2.0, they lose all of their financial aid and usually their scholarships.

Most scholarships require students to maintain between a 2.5-3.0 GPA to keep their scholarship.

How can I check on my student's HCC grades?



Unfortunately, HISD does not have any access to view HCC grades prior to the end of the semester.



Professors have the option to submit "Early Alerts" to notify students that they are in danger of failing, and we receive those alerts as well.



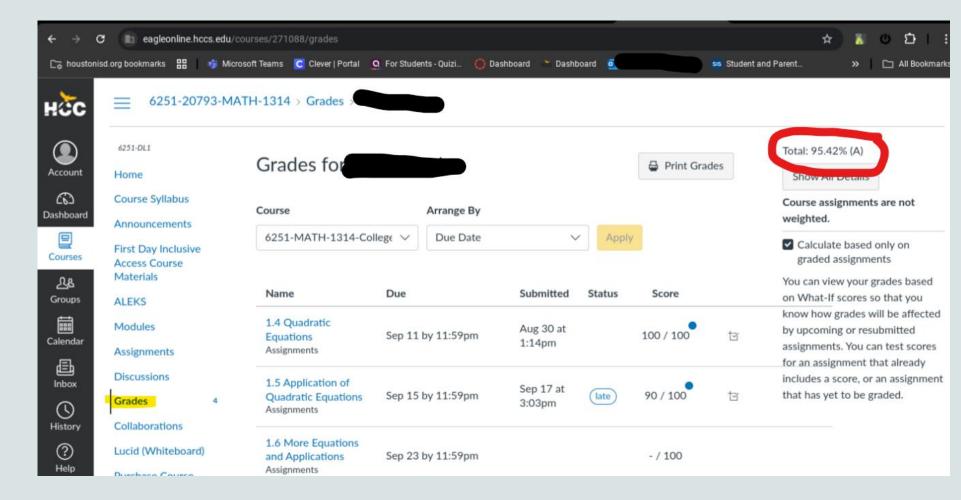
Students are responsible for maintaining their HCC grades.



Parents can ask students to go to HCC Canvas and click on "Grades" to view

#### **HCC Canvas**

- Ask students to navigate to HCC Canvas
- 2. click on Courses
- 3. Select a course
- 4. click Grades
- 5. look for the "Total" in the top right corner
- 6. Repeat with each class



## TUTORIALS

#### STAAR

- After School (see flyer)
- Saturday, February 22<sup>nd</sup>
  - 8:00-12pm
  - (teachers will send email, letter with student)

#### TSI

#### TSI District Bootcamps

- 8:00AM 1:00PM
  - March 22, 2025
  - May 17, 2025

#### EECHS Bootcamp/Exam

• Saturday, February 8<sup>th</sup> (students will receive information)

Testing Dates

TELPAS- 2/21 and 2/28

SAT (11th only)- 4/2

STAAR

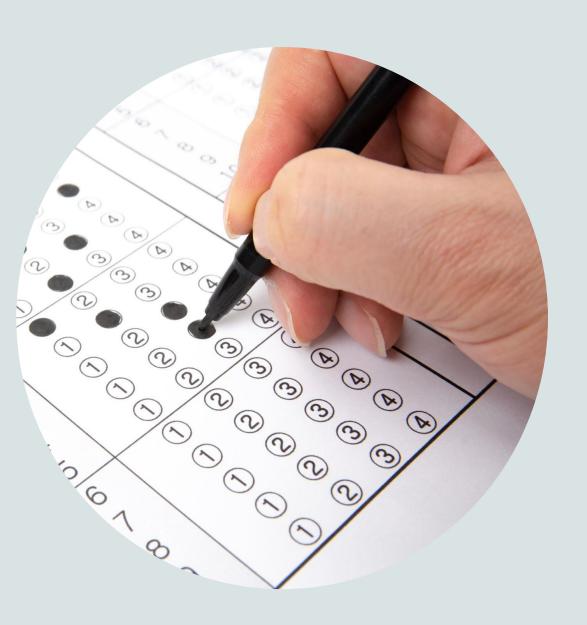
English I-4/10

Algebra I-4/29

Biology- 4/23

English II-4/15

## **TELPAS**



What does this mean?

Parts of the test:

- o Reading
- o Listening
- o Speaking
- o Writing

Preparation:

o February 7th

### Senior Events

- · Sponsor: Mrs. Andrea Richards (email: anitsch@houstonisd.org)
- Senior Meeting: February 19th 5:00pm



#### **HISD Parent and Family Conference**

- Learn more about various HISD and community programs and services
- Explore and network with businesses and school partners
- Receive resources and giveaways to further support student success





#### HISD NOW

We're excited to tell you about HISD NOW—a new way to help you stay connected and informed about what's happening in the District. HISD NOW airs live headlines every weekday at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in English and 3:30 p.m. in Spanish. You'll also find conversations on important topics impacting HISD schools and students.

Check out this preview of HISD NOW for an idea of what's to come: <a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i5AwWuIXr4M&t=3s">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i5AwWuIXr4M&t=3s</a>

- You can watch HISD NOW on YouTube @HISDNOW. Please share, like, and subscribe!
- Thank you for your support and for staying connected.

## Future Meetings

We would like your feedback! Please let us know which topics you're interested in for future meetings.

¡Nos gustaría recibir tus comentarios! Háganos saber qué temas le interesan para futuras reuniones.

Please scan the QR Code to submit your input.

Escanee el código QR para enviar su opinión.





## Thank you!

Next Meeting

March 7<sup>th</sup>