ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY FOR EXTRACURRICULAR PERFORMANCE WAIVER

Under “no pass no play”, a student who has any grades for a quarter grading period below 70 is not eligible to compete in athletic or academic competition, or to perform in an extracurricular performance (such as band or theater). State law permits schools to make an exception to this rule in the case of advanced classes such as IB Diploma Program classes.

Meridian School guidelines permit the principal to approve a waiver that allows a student with a grade below 70 in no more than one IB Diploma Program course to compete or perform. In order for this waiver to be approved:

- It must have the support of the teacher of the class that was not passed, and
- There must be a plan in place by which the student will raise his or her grade, and
- In order to maintain eligibility, the student must follow through on the plan and be passing all classes at the time of the next four week progress report.

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Student First Name  Student Last Name  Grade

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Name of IBDP Class Failed  Q1, Q2, or Q3?

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Grade Awarded

I approve this student’s request for an Academic Eligibility Waiver. We have agreed upon a plan by which the student will raise the grade to passing for the future, and a copy of that plan is attached to this form.

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Teacher First Name  Teacher Last Name

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Teacher Signature  Date

The waiver ( IS / IS NOT ) approved.

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Principal First Name  Principal Last Name

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Principal Signature  Date

Copies of this form, with all signatures, should be provided to the student, teacher, coach, and Monique Swain.