

**2023-24 Honors Criteria Requirements**  
**(for scheduling of courses in 2024-25 school year)**

**Grade 6 to 7 honors requirements:**

**Reading and English**

- 95% or higher average scores for comprehension
- Minimum IRL of 7.5 as shown by STAR reading assessment
- 90% or higher average on all major assessed writing in 6th grade ELA
- 95% or higher average grade in the ELA course

**Science**

- 90% or higher average in common assessments
- 95% or higher average

**Social Studies**

- 90% or higher average in common assessments
- 95% or higher average
- Minimum IRL of 7.5 as shown by STAR reading assessment

**Math 7 Selection Rubric**

Point Value	4	3	2	1	0
Iowa Test	90-100	85-89	80-84	78-70	Under 7
Unit Test Averages (Units 1-4)	98-100	96-97	94-95	90-93	<90
Mid-Year Benchmark	78-100	77-67	66-60	59-58	57 and below
<b>Total</b>	12				

Rubric Sub-Total \_\_\_\_\_/12

Continued testing for 6 points & higher:

Point Value	4	3	2	1	0
Orleans Hanna Test	96-100	92-95	89-91	86-88	Under 86
Multiple Choice	67-100	58-66	45-57	2-45	
Problem Solving	50-100	35-49	27-34	2-26	
<b>Total Points</b>	12				

Rubric Sub-Total \_\_\_\_\_/12

**Rubric Total \_\_\_\_\_/24**

Recommendations:

- Honors Algebra 1= 17+ points (70% of points available)
- Honors Math 7 = 10-16 points
- Math 7 = below 10 points

## **Grade 7 to 8 honors requirements:**

### **English/Reading:**

- 95% average in 7th grade English/92% average in 7th grade Honors English, and
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- 90% average on all major written pieces in 7th grade English

### **Science**

- 95% class average in 7th grade Science or 93% class average in 7th grade Honors Science

### **Social Studies**

- 95% class average in 7th grade Social Studies or 93% class average in 7th grade Honors Social Studies

### **Honors Algebra I**

- $\geq 93\%$  test average and 95% class average in Math 7 and/or teacher recommendation
- $\geq 85\%$  class average in Honors Math 7 and/or teacher recommendation

### **Honors Geometry**

- 83% or higher average in Honors Algebra 1 in 7th grade