

88-29-11. Requirements for the qualified admission precollege curriculum. This regulation shall be applicable to each applicant graduating from high school in academic year 2013-2014 or earlier. In order to admit any applicant under the qualified admission precollege curriculum criteria, each state educational institution shall require the applicant to provide an official high school transcript documenting completion of the approved qualified admission precollege curriculum that meets the following requirements:

(a) For each student graduating from high school before 2010, the transcript shall indicate the following distribution of courses:

(1) Four units of approved qualified admission English courses, with the content described in K.A.R. 88-29-14;

(2) three units of approved qualified admission mathematics courses that have the content described in K.A.R. 88-29-15 and that meet the following requirements:

(A) Are at or above the level of qualified admission algebra I; and

(B) were taken during ninth through twelfth grades;

(3) three units of approved qualified admission natural science courses that have the content described in K.A.R. 88-29-16 and that meet the following requirements:

(A) The three units shall be selected from any of the following courses, with at least one unit in each selected course:

(i) Qualified admission biology;

(ii) qualified admission advanced biology;

- (iii) qualified admission chemistry;
- (iv) qualified admission physics;
- (v) qualified admission earth-space science; or
- (vi) qualified admission principles of technology; and

(B) at least one unit shall be selected from a qualified admission chemistry course or a qualified admission physics course; and

(4) three units of approved qualified admission social science courses that have the content described in K.A.R. 88-29-17 and that are distributed according to the following requirements:

$\frac{1}{2}$ CR = 1 Sem (A) At least $\frac{1}{2}$ unit shall be a qualified admission United States government course;

(B) at least $\frac{1}{2}$ unit shall be selected from any of the following courses:

- $\frac{1}{2}$ CR W. Hist
- (i) Qualified admission world history;
 - (ii) qualified admission world geography; or
 - (iii) qualified admission international relations;

$\frac{1}{2}$ CR U.S. Hist (C) at least one unit shall be a qualified admission United States history course;

(D) up to one unit shall be selected from any of the following courses:

- (i) A qualified admission anthropology course;
- (ii) a qualified admission current social issues course;
- $\frac{1}{2}$ Sem Econ (iii) a qualified admission economics course;
- (iv) a qualified admission race and ethnic group relations course;

(v) a qualified admission sociology course;

(vi) a qualified admission psychology course;

(vii) a qualified admission United States history course; or

(viii) a qualified admission United States government course;

(E) a ½-unit course shall not be used to fulfill more than one requirement of this regulation for more than one discipline in the qualified admissions precollege curriculum; and

(F) a one-unit course may be used to fulfill two ½-unit requirements of this regulation.

(b) For each student graduating from high school in 2010 and thereafter but before academic year 2014-2015, the qualified admission precollege curriculum shall consist of courses that are among those listed in the document titled "Kansas board of regents precollege curriculum courses approved for university admissions," revised March 11, 2014, which is hereby adopted by reference. The qualified admission precollege curriculum shall consist of the following distribution of courses:

(1) Four units of approved qualified admission English courses that include reading, writing, and literature;

(2) three units of approved qualified admission mathematics courses that meet the following requirements:

(A) Each course shall be completed in the ninth through twelfth grades; and

(B) each course shall be selected from any of the following courses:

- (i) Qualified admission algebra I;
 - (ii) qualified admission geometry;
 - (iii) qualified admission algebra II;
 - (iv) any mathematics course that has qualified admission algebra II as a prerequisite; or
 - (v) any other course approved by the chief executive officer of the board of regents or the chief executive officer's designee;
- (3) three units of approved qualified admission natural science courses that meet the following requirements:
- (A) The three units shall be selected from any of the following courses:
 - (i) Qualified admission biology;
 - (ii) qualified admission advanced biology;
 - (iii) qualified admission chemistry;
 - (iv) qualified admission physics;
 - (v) qualified admission earth-space science;
 - (vi) qualified admission principles of technology; or
 - (vii) any other courses approved by the chief executive officer of the board of regents or the chief executive officer's designee; and
 - (B) at least one unit shall be selected from a qualified admission chemistry course or a qualified admission physics course; and

(4) three units of approved qualified admission social science courses that are distributed according to the following requirements:

(A) At least $\frac{1}{2}$ unit shall be a qualified admission United States government course;

(B) at least $\frac{1}{2}$ unit shall be selected from any of the following courses:

- (i) Qualified admission world history;
- (ii) qualified admission world geography; or
- (iii) qualified admission international relations;

(C) at least one unit shall be a qualified admission United States history course;

(D) not more than one unit shall be selected from any of the following courses:

- (i) Qualified admission anthropology;
- (ii) qualified admission current social issues;
- (iii) qualified admission economics;
- (iv) qualified admission psychology;
- (v) qualified admission race and ethnic group relations;
- (vi) qualified admission sociology;
- (vii) qualified admission United States history;
- (viii) qualified admission United States government; or

(ix) any other courses approved by the chief executive officer of the board of regents or the chief executive officer's designee;

(E) a ½-unit course shall not be used to fulfill more than one requirement of this regulation for more than one discipline in the qualified admissions precollege curriculum; and

(F) a one-unit course may be used to fulfill two ½-unit requirements of this regulation. (Authorized by and implementing K.S.A. 2014 Supp. 76-717; effective Aug. 1, 2007; amended, T-88-6-26-09, July 1, 2009; amended Nov. 13, 2009; amended July 22, 2011; amended Oct. 19, 2012; amended April 24, 2015.)