

ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY FOR EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES MANASQUAN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Extra-curricular activities are offered to students in grades 5 through 8. These activities include all sports, Student Council, school paper, band, chorus, drama club and enrichment programs. A student must not be failing **any** subject in order to be eligible to participate in those activities.

During each marking period, if a student has a failing grade at the time of the initial progress report, the student will have a two-week period to improve his/her grade. If satisfactory improvement is not made, the student is ineligible to participate and his/her progress will be reviewed at two week intervals until the end of the marking period.

Students who fail a course for a marking period will be ineligible to participate for a period of two weeks when his/her progress will be reviewed. Continued failing grades will be reviewed at progress reports and at two weeks intervals until passing grades are achieved.

During the fourth marking period, an academic review will be taken after the first two weeks. Students failing any subject at this time will be **ineligible** to participate in extra-curricular activities.

Students who fail a course at the end of the school year will be on academic probation until September 30 of the new school year. If a student has a failing grade as of that date, he/she becomes ineligible to participate in extra-curricular activities for the remainder of the first marking period. Teachers will notify activity teachers and coaches of those students ineligible for participation.

Students who sign into the building after 10:00 AM will not be eligible to participate in after school activities (enrichment, sports, dances, etc.) that day. Students absent from school are also ineligible for participation in the above mentioned activities as well.

As per Board of Education Policy #534 as stated "Participation in school events is not a right and may be denied to any student who has demonstrated disregard for the rules of the school."

In accordance with this policy, the administration reserves the right to deny any student the privilege of participation in extra-curricular activities, social events, and class trips if said student has been suspended from school two or more times during the school year for disciplinary reasons.