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SOF's HS Admission Criteria

Selection Criteria Component

Weight in Points

Attendance- 7/8th Grade (if possible)- 5 or less unexcused absences for full score; 6- 10 unexcused absences for 7.5 points.	20
Punctuality- 7/8th Grade (if possible)- 7 or less latenesses for full score; 8-12 unexcused latenesses for 7.5 points	20
Subject Area Grades- 7th/8th Grade- 85 or above average for full 10 points in each subject; 75-85 for 5 points in each subject.	40- total
ELA	(10)
Math	(10)
Science	(10)
Social Studies	(10)
Math State test Score- 7th grade- 3 or above for 10 pts	10
ELA State test score- 7th Grade- 3 or above for 10 points score of 2 to 3 for 5 points.	10
*Interview performance (Optional)- Student comes to interview at SOF with writing sample. If student doesn't come to interview the score is not factored in. Writing sample must however be mailed in.	+ 10
Total Points	100

With Interview +10

- Priority given to SOF 8th graders then District 2 students.

Answers to questions from legal:

Does the school award the weighted points for attendance, punctuality subject area grades in full?

As you can see in the rubric for attendance, punctuality and grades there is a range. Students are eligible for either full or half or no points depending on how they meet the criteria.

How are missing grades, standardized scores accounted for?

Any missing standardized test scores those scores go to the grades and thus make the grade score total of 15 points each instead of 10. Same type of range where grades of 85 and above receive full points and 75-85 grade receive 7.5 points.

Is the Interview Required?

No the interview is optional and the applicant will not be penalized. The writing sample is required however and can be mailed in.

Does School give priority to SOF 8th graders and District 2 students?

Yes priority is given first to 8th grade School of the Future students and then district #2 students.