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2. Credits Needed to Gain Promotion

a. Ninth Grade Promotion

To be promoted from ninth to tenth grade in a CPS high school, students must pass at least three of their four courses in core subject areas during

two semesters and must have successfully completed a minimum of 5.0

units of credit.

Grade Promotion

To be promoted from tenth to eleventh grade in a CPS high school, students must pass at least three of their four courses in core subject areas during

two semesters and must have successfully completed a minimum of 11

units of credit.

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Additionally, for the 2004-2005 school year only, students must score a

least an 8.8 on their AP in reading in order to be promoted to the eleventh

grade or higher on the AP examination.

Students who do not score an 8.8 on the AP in reading examination can be promoted by:

(1) attending a special intensive summer reading class and (2) taking and achieving an 8.8 score or higher on the

AP in reading at the end of the summer school 100 days requirement.

For the 2005-2006 school year, the AP in reading requirement

Assessment of Student Work

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VI. Parental Notification

Beginning with the first day of the school year and prior to October 31st of each school year, principals must notify parents in writing of the promotion policy of the Chicago Public Schools.

Copies of this policy will be made available to parents from October 1st through the 31st of each year, and will be available to parents in writing at the beginning of each school year. Parents must be notified in writing if their child(ren) is receiving a failing grade in any class. Schools shall mail the failure notification to the parents at the last address given as the family residence. Copies of failure notifications must be maintained at the schools.

VII. Exemptions

Requests for exemptions to this policy must be made by the principal to the Chicago

of Education Officer