

88-29-19. Functional equivalents of the qualified admission precollege

curriculum; nonresidents. In order to admit an applicant under the criterion of successful completion of the functional equivalent of the precollege curriculum, the admission officer of each state educational institution shall require each applicant who is not a resident of Kansas and who graduated from high school in academic year 2013-2014 or earlier to meet one or more of the sets of requirements specified in subsections (a) through (e). An admission officer of a state educational institution shall not grant any exception to this regulation.

(a) To demonstrate successful completion of the functional equivalent of the qualified admission precollege English courses described in K.A.R. 88-29-11, each applicant shall provide both of the following:

(1) Documentation on the official high school transcript of completion of any three units of high school English with no grade lower than a C and at least one grade of B or higher; and

(2) official documentation of achievement of at least one of the following:

(A) A score of three or higher in either of the following college board advanced placement (AP) courses:

(i) Language and composition; or

(ii) literature and composition; or

(B) a grade of B or higher in a general education English course taken before high school graduation and either offered by or accepted in transfer by a state educational institution.

(b) To demonstrate successful completion of the functional equivalent of the qualified admission precollege mathematics courses described in K.A.R. 88-29-11, each applicant shall provide both of the following:

(1) Documentation on the official high school transcript of completion of any two units of high school mathematics courses with no grade lower than a C and at least one grade of B or higher; and

(2) official documentation of achievement of at least one of the following:

(A) A score of three or higher in either of the following college board advanced placement (AP) courses:

(i) Calculus AB; or

(ii) calculus BC; or

(B) a grade of C or better in a general education mathematics course taken before high school graduation and either offered by or accepted in transfer by a state educational institution.

(c) To demonstrate successful completion of the functional equivalent of the qualified admission precollege natural science courses described in K.A.R. 88-29-11, each applicant shall provide both of the following:

(1) Documentation on the official high school transcript of completion of any two units of high school science courses with no grade less than a C and at least one grade of B or higher; and

(2) official documentation of achievement of at least one of the following:

(A) A score of three or higher in any of the following college board advanced placement (AP) courses:

(i) Biology;

(ii) chemistry; or

(iii) physics B; or

(B) a grade of C or higher in a general education natural science laboratory course taken before high school graduation and either offered by or accepted in transfer by a state educational institution.

(d) To demonstrate successful completion of the functional equivalent of the qualified admission precollege social science courses described in K.A.R. 88-29-11, each applicant shall provide both of the following:

(1) Documentation on the official high school transcript of completion of any two units of high school social science course with no grade lower than a C and at least one grade of B or higher; and

(2) official documentation of achievement of at least one of the following:

(A) A score of three or higher in any of the following college board advanced placement (AP) courses:

- (i) Microeconomics;
- (ii) macroeconomics;
- (iii) comparative government and policies;
- (iv) United States government and policies;
- (v) European history;
- (vi) United States history; or
- (vii) psychology; or

(B) a grade of B or higher in a general education social science course taken before high school graduation and either offered by or accepted in transfer by a state educational institution.

(e) To demonstrate successful completion of the functional equivalent of all of the courses described in K.A.R. 88-29-11, each applicant who has attended an accredited high school located outside the United States shall provide official documentation of a study in mathematics, science, literature, and composition and completion of this study at a level that exceeds the minimum graduation standards of that accredited high school. (Authorized by and implementing K.S.A. 2010 Supp. 76-717; effective Aug. 1, 2007; amended, T-88-6-26-09, July 1, 2009; amended Nov. 13, 2009; amended July 22, 2011.)