

# Stewart County Board of Education

Monitoring: <b>Review: Annually, in December</b>	Descriptor Term: <b>Accelerated and Advanced Credit</b>	Descriptor Code: <b>4.604</b>	Issued Date: <b>09/13/18</b>
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1 Students enrolled in grades 9-12 who have taken the equivalent of a high school level course in middle  
2 school may earn high school credit for graduation, except in American History, under the following  
3 guidelines:<sup>1,2</sup>

- 4 1. Students shall be given the same comprehensive examination for the course as required for  
5 students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) who earn credit for graduation;
- 6 2. The examination shall provide evidence that a student has mastered all of the terminal objectives  
7 in the applicable curriculum framework adopted by the State Board of Education and shall be  
8 scored and graded on the same scale as for students who are enrolled in the course;
- 9 3. Students must have earned a grade of “B” or better in the course in order to qualify to take the  
10 examination; and
- 11 4. Students must score a “B” or better on the examination in order to receive credit toward high  
12 school graduation.

13 The Director of Schools shall develop procedures for:

- 14 1. Making application for credit;
- 15 2. Administering and scoring the examination; and
- 16 3. Record keeping to ensure that proper credit is given.

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#### Legal References

1. TRR/MS 0520-01-03-.06(2)
2. TCA 49-6-1202