



Credit by Examination

Credit by Exam for Acceleration provides a way for 1st through 5th grade students to take a test to move ahead one grade level. For 6th grade through high school students, Credit by Exam provides advanced students an opportunity to earn credit in a course that they have not taken in school. Students must be enrolled in BISD in order to be eligible for Credit by Exam for acceleration testing and must be attending classes.

[2016-2017 Testing Calendar](#)

Credit by Exam for Advancement Grades 1-5

Credit by Examination for Advancement (**Without Prior Instruction**) is available to first through fifth grade students who wish to test for advancement to the next grade level. Elementary students must take exams in Science, Mathematics, Social Studies and Language Arts. Students must demonstrate mastery of 80% or higher on each test to be eligible to take the next test. Students who demonstrate 80% or higher mastery on all four tests will be considered for advancement to the next grade level. Testing for fall placement is offered in June and July. Application should be made through the school counselor. Application deadlines for both test sessions are listed in the test calendar. Please submit application to the campus counselor.

[Registration Form: Grades 1-5](#)

Credit by Exam for Advancement Grades 6-12

Students in grade six – high school who wish to earn credit for a course in which they have had **no prior formal instruction may test through credit by exam**. Students must demonstrate 80% or higher mastery on the exam in order to earn credit. Applications are available from the school counselor and must be returned to the counselor for processing. There is no charge for testing BISD students. The results will be mailed to the parents and counselor after scoring is completed.

[Registration Form Grades 6-12](#)



Credit by Examination Calendar 2016-2017

October 1, 2016 – December 31, 2016 @ BISD

Testing Date:
Nov. 3, 2016
Nov. 5, 2016

Registration Deadline:
October 2, 2016
October 2, 2016

January 1, 2017 – March 31, 2017 @ BISD

Testing Date:
February 8, 2017
February 10, 2017

Registration Date:
January 13, 2017
January 13, 2017

April 1, 2017 – June 30, 2017 @ Region 7 in Kilgore

Testing Date @ Region 7
TBA

Registration Date:
TBA

July 1, 2017– September 30, 2017 @ Region 7 in Kilgore

Testing Dates @ Region 7
TBA

Registration Date:
TBA



Campus _____
Counselor's Name _____

BROWNSBORO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Grades Six (6) through Twelve (12)

CREDIT BY EXAM
Exams for Acceleration
Registration Form

Brownsboro Independent School District will provide Credit by Exam in grades one (1) through twelve (12) for the purpose of grade or course acceleration. Students in grades six (6) through twelve (12) may earn credit for an academic course upon successful completion of the exam and school recommendation.

Student _____ SS Number _____

Address _____ Current Grade _____

City _____ Zip _____ Home Phone _____

Campus _____ Alternate Phone _____

Email address: _____

Course(s) to be Accelerated (Name)	Semester (1) (Yes or No)	Semester (2) (Yes or No)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

I wish to register for Credit by Exam for the purpose of acceleration for my child for the course(s) indicated above. I understand a student in any of grades 6-12 must be given credit for an academic course in which he/she has had no prior instruction if the student scores 80% on a criterion-referenced test for the applicable course. The school district must enter the examination score on the student's transcript if the student is give credit in a course on the basis of the exam.

Parent Signature Date

Office Use Only	
_____	_____
CBE District Contact Signature	Date
_____	Testing Date _____

