

SCORE SHEET - HONOR AWARD

ACTIVITIES

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HONOR ROLL

SCIENCE FAIR - Participation

Local winner

Dist. "

Nat. "

F.H.A./F.F.A - Membership

Local Off.

Area "

State "

Nat. "

OFFICERS -

Class

St. Cl. member

St. Cl. Officer

OTHER ACTIVITIES - Band

Bengal Belles

Concert Choir

Tigerettes

Yell Leaders

Plays

I.S.L. Spring Events:

ATHLETICS - Events:

Total points (Yr)

Name

Grade

ATHLETIC AWARD POLICIES

FOR

A & M CONSOLIDATED SCHOOLS

Effective September 1, 1961, the following athletic award policies have been approved by the Board of Trustees. Awards received prior to this date will not effect the eligibility of athletes for awards under these policies.

GENERAL POLICIES

Major Sports: Football, Basketball
Baseball, Track

Minor Sports: Golf, Tennis
Swimming

1. Athletes who satisfy the letter award requirements in one major sport or a major and a minor sport can receive one letter jacket award during his high school career. However, he or she may receive one letter award for each year he or she satisfies the letter award requirements.
2. Athletes who satisfy the letter award requirements for a minor sport can receive one letter sweater award during his high school career. However, he or she may receive one letter award for each year he or she satisfies the letter award requirements. If the participant is a State champion or runner-up he can receive one letter jacket during his or her high school career.
3. Athletes who satisfy the letter award requirements for football and satisfactorily participate the entire season in one or more other major sports, or the athletic physical development program can receive a letter jacket award each year he satisfies the requirements. However, Senior lettermen in football will not be required to participate in any other major sport or program to receive his award.
4. Athletes who satisfy the letter award requirements for basketball, baseball and track and satisfactorily participate the entire season in one or more other major sports or the athletic physical development program can receive one letter jacket during his high school career and a letter sweater award for each additional year he letters. Awards may be received in any order - sweater award first, then jacket award senior year, or reverse order. However, Senior lettermen will not be required to participate in any other major sport or program after he satisfies the letter requirements.
5. Girls who satisfy the letter award requirements for basketball can receive one letter sweater or letter jacket award during her high school career. She can receive a letter award each year she letters.
6. Athletes who receive a letter jacket award and also letter in another sport will receive a Certificate of Achievement for the second sport.
7. Athletes who satisfactorily participate on a B-team of any sport will receive a gold-filled emblem.
8. Athletes who fulfill one half of lettering requirements in any sport and receive an injury which in the judgement of a doctor should terminate participation

can be awarded a letter, if at the time of injury there are sufficient number of quarters remaining to be played in the season to afford him a chance of lettering.

9. Senior athletes who have participated three years faithfully in any sport can be awarded a letter jacket.
10. High School yell leaders can receive a letter sweater for each year of service.
11. The Senior manager-trainer will receive a letter jacket award if he has served at least three years as student manager.
12. Junior High School athletes will receive only letter awards and are eligible for one (only one) award per year.
13. Athletes who have received letter awards and bring discredit to the school or team on which he plays will be required to surrender their letter awards to their respective principals for a period of time to be determined by the principal, athletic director and interested coach.
14. Athletes who have received letter awards and who in turn let other students (girl friends, brothers or sisters) wear the award on the school ground will be required to surrender their award to their respective principals for a period of time to be determined by the principal, athletic director and interested coach.
15. The coach of each sport will submit to the athletic director a list of recommended lettermen as soon as possible after completion of the season for review and approval by the principal and athletic director.
16. All athletic awards will be purchased through the athletic director in order to maintain proper records and accounting procedures.
17. Purchase of additional jackets or sweaters by the school, athletic director, or any coach for a student will not be permitted.
18. Special awards for outstanding service (sports writer, scout, etc.) will be considered upon request, with approval to be made by athletic director and school officials.

GENERAL LETTER AWARD REQUIREMENTS

1. Athletes must satisfy all interscholastic league rules and/or district rules.
2. Athletes must abide by all rules and regulations prescribed by the school, the Athletic Department and the respective coach.
3. Athletes must exhibit good sportsmanship on and off the playing field at all times and conduct himself in a manner as to bring credit to the school.
4. Athletes must exhibit an attitude of teamwork, tolerance, respect for others, courtesy, self-control, discipline, loyalty and humility both on and off the playing field.

LETTER AWARD REQUIREMENTS

High School Football

Participants must play in twenty (20) quarters or play twelve (12) full quarters.

High School Baseball

Participants must play in 50% of total innings played or forty-two (42) complete innings based on the twenty game schedule. Pitchers must appear in 36 innings.

High School Basketball

Participants must play in 50% of the total quarters played in regular season play or play thirty-six (36) full quarters for boys or sixteen (16) full quarters for girls.

High School Track

Participants must place first in the district track meet or accumulate in the district track meet points equivalent to a first place (10 points under the present scoring plan.) Participants may also letter under one of the following plans:

By placing second in the district track meet, or accumulating points equivalent to second place (8 points under the present scoring plan) after having placed in any position in any major invitational track meet.

In case of failure to participate in the district track meet through no fault of the participant (sickness, injury, etc.) by accumulating total points equivalent to two first places (20 points under the present scoring plan) in major invitational meets.

By scoring points in either the regional or State track meets. This could happen if a boy was an alternate representing the district if the representative was injured or sick.

High School Tennis

Participants must win first place in the district meet.

High School Golf

Participants must win first place in district meet.

High School Swimming

Participants must win first or second place in official State swimming meet.

Junior High School Football

Participants must play in 50% of the quarters played or ten full quarters.

Junior High School Basketball

Participants must play in at least 50% of the total quarters played and be recommended by the coach. If the team wins or ties for district championship, the number of lettermen may be increased (at the discretion of the coach) to a number not to exceed ten.

Junior High School Track

8th Grade - Participant must place first or second in any event in the district meet.

7th Grade - Participant must place first in any event in the district meet.

Junior High School Tennis & Golf

Participant must win first place in the district meet.

OUTSTANDING ORGANIZATIONS IN A & M CONSOLIDATED HIGH SCHOOL

The Student Council

The Student Council is made up of students' representatives from each homeroom in A & M Consolidated and is directed by Student Body Officers and a Sponsor appointed by the principal. All Student Council members must have been in the A & M Consolidated Schools the preceding year, and maintained a good passing grade to be eligible for this organization. Any student who is elected to the Council and does not maintain grade averages and proper attitudes may be removed from the Council. Regularly scheduled meetings will be held.

National Honor Society

The National Honor Society is the outstanding scholastic society of A & M Consolidated High School. It has a membership limited to the upper 10 percent of the Junior and Senior Class (combined). Membership is based on the four ideals of the organization: scholarship, character, leadership and service.

Interscholastic League Events

A & M Consolidated High School belongs to the Texas University Interscholastic League and plays under the rules and regulations of that body. A & M is a member of District 19-AA. Any high school student passing three full credit (solid) courses, the preceding semester and otherwise confirming to the regular eligibility and good citizenship rules may participate.

The Interscholastic League holds contests in the following fields:

Baseball	One-Act Play
Boys Basketball	Picture Memory
Choral Singing	Playground Ball
Debate	Ready Writing
Declamation	Shorthand
Extemporaneous Speech	Slide-Rule
Football	Spelling and Plain Writing
Girls Basketball	Story Telling
Golf	Tennis
Journalism	Track and Field
Music	Typewriting
Music Appreciation	Volleyball
Number Sense	

Activity Tickets

At the beginning of the school year, students may purchase season activity tickets which will admit them to all home football, basketball and baseball games. It also entitles the purchaser to admission to all junior high school athletic activities. 1962-63 student tickets \$3.00.

Please note that these tickets are not good for bi-district, regional or state contests.

Your support of CHS athletic activities is encouraged because they are primarily for your entertainment and enjoyment. Admission charges are necessary since no local tax funds are used to defray expenses. However, it is probable that you cannot attend all athletic events and other school activities because of study, church or home responsibilities. Do not neglect these responsibilities in order to attend school activities.

Publications

The Tigers' Tale is the school paper written by the Tigers' Tale staff. The purpose of this paper is to inform the students and the public of school activities and to give students training in journalism.

The Tigerland is the school yearbook, which is edited each year by a student annual staff and the sponsor. It provides a collection of pictures, stories and articles of the year's activities.

The annuals are usually distributed to students on a designated evening in August. The party is held on the slab, refreshments are served, the individual to whom the yearbook is dedicated is revealed, and the signing of yearbooks follows.

The Student Handbook, revised with the assistance of the Student Council, is edited for the purpose of familiarizing the student with the rules, regulations, activities and traditions of the A & M Consolidated Schools.

Awards

Merit awards shall be awarded to the most outstanding students in the following fields: Science, English, History, Math, Home Economics, Speech and Drama, Spanish, Latin, Commercial, Agriculture, Art, Craftsmanship, Slide Rule, Choral, Band and outstanding service to the school (sweaters with letter "C"). These awards are open to any student who exhibits the most achievement and promise in these respective fields.

SERVICES TO STUDENT AND FACULTY

Lost and Found

A lost and found box is kept in the library. Articles found are to be turned in immediately. If a student loses something, he should report it to the office at once and then check with the Lost and Found periodically to see if it has been turned in.

It is suggested that each student see that his name is plainly marked upon all articles such as jackets, raincoats, caps, fountain pens, etc. This will facilitate matters in getting the lost article back to the rightful owner. It is also recommended that teachers discourage students from bringing expensive articles

or large sums of money to school with them.

Library

All book shelves are open. Select the book you want, then take the book to the charging desk to be checked out. Most books may be kept for fourteen days, but overnight books must be checked out after school and returned before 8:15 the next morning. Reference books and current magazines may be used in the library without checking them out, but MAY NOT be taken from the library. Use the books and magazines at the tables, and before the end of the period please return them to the circulation desk. No book may be taken from the library unless it is checked out at the desk. Students must replace books which they have damaged or lost. Books must be returned on the specified date. Five cents per period is collected for overdue reserve books. Five cents per school day for other overdue books.

Treat the books with utmost care and respect. Books are public property and must serve and be shared by many people. If treated with care, they will last longer. As a result, the library will have more money to purchase other books.

Study Hall

Reasonable amount of quiet is necessary to enjoy reading or studying in the library. Enter the room quietly, take your seat and immediately go to work. Ask the librarian for help whenever needed.

Registration

Students are registered through the counselor and principal during the spring semester. Future plans and careers, scholastic grades and test information are discussed with the student; and suitable courses are selected for the next year. Parents are particularly welcome to assist in your selection of your courses.

Transcripts

Your transcript is an official record from the Principal's office of the credits earned and the grades made while in the high school. Seniors are entitled to copies of their transcript to be sent to the college of their choice.

GENERAL REGULATIONS

Attendance

Article No. 2892 of the Compulsory Education Law provides that every child in the state who is seven and not more than sixteen years of age shall be required to attend school, unless there is a lawful exemption.

Every effort should be made to secure regular attendance. Absence and tardiness become habitual and these habits go through life with the student. The State Department allots teachers according to the total number of days present of all students. We are certain that, in the past, had all parents realized the value

of each student's daily attendance, both to the school and, more important, to the student, they would have allowed no unexcused absences.

School work missed for unexcused absences cannot be made up. For the excused absences, the parent must notify the principal by telephone or in writing. Excused absences are for:

1. Personal illness.
2. Serious illness or death in the immediate family.
3. Doctor appointments when after school or Saturday appointments are not available.
4. Absences for school business, school activities, or participation in activities approved by the school.
5. Hardship cases are to be determined by the high school principal.

Excuse Slips

All excuses and requests should be taken to the office before school in the morning and after lunch in the afternoon. When the pupil returns to school after an absence, he must bring an excuse signed by a parent or guardian explaining the absence, and obtain a permit from the office to return to classes. This permit should be shown to each classroom teacher and should be left with the last-period teacher at the end of the day. If a pupil wishes to leave school during the day to visit a doctor, dentist, etc, he must bring a request by parent or guardian and obtain a permit from the office. If it becomes necessary for a student to leave a class or study hall, he should obtain a permit signed by his teacher.

Students who fail to bring the excuse from home will have "excuse pending" written on their admission slip. Failure to bring one within three school days will forfeit right to student to have absence excused. No changes will be made after the grades are posted on the school grade sheets.

Tardiness

A pupil who is not seated in his chair in class when the bell rings will be counted tardy. Tardiness will be considered by the teacher in evaluation of the student's work and will be reported to parents.

The only excused tardiness will be for those students riding school buses, and then only if the bus is late because of weather or breakdown. This excuse must be obtained from the office before going to class. The office issues no excuses for tardiness from one class to another.

School Day

Pupils are not to be taken out of scheduled classes for other activities.

1. Exception is made in case of contestants in approved inter-school contests, taking place during school hours or at such a distance that contestants cannot leave after school and arrive in time to play.

2. Exception may be made when students are on a field trip or engaged in some other authorized activity.

Corridor Pass

A corridor pass must be in the hand of any student who is out of the classroom after the tardy bell sounds. The study hall and library are considered classrooms. (This rule does not apply to students going to or from club meetings, assembly programs and class meetings.)

Passing Period Rules

During this period the student may talk to his friends, but must make no loud noises. Pupils are asked to keep to the right and not to block traffic. Sufficient time is allotted to get from one class to another.

Discipline

There will be little need for rules and penalties if the student will remember that they are citizens of a community and have duties as well as rights. The student who has consideration for the other person will not find himself in trouble. He will find the administrative staff and teachers are older friends who are eager to help in every way.

The most severe penalty the school will impose is to deny a student the privilege of attending school. This penalty will be imposed for repeated violations of the rules, regulations, or for complete indifference to the objectives of the school.

Punishment or severe penalty may result immediately if a student is apprehended for disobedience, quarreling, stealing, truancy, profane or unchaste language, continued idleness, forging names of parents or guardians to excuses, offering as genuine excuses those signed by unauthorized persons, for persistent violation of any of the other regulations of the schools. For any action that will bring discredit to the school or whose presence in the school would be detrimental to the educational program.

One of our chief aims is to teach students self-control. Inasmuch as some students have not learned discipline themselves, it is necessary for the school to do whatever is needed to assist the student to form habits of self-control.

Care of School Property

Students are responsible for any damage they do to the buildings, furnishings, and books. Bills for damage must be paid before the student receives credit for his work.

Violations of Laws - Good Citizenship

Any student found guilty of an infraction of civic laws, other than minor traffic violations, shall be suspended from all extracurricular activities until such time as a panel consisting of representatives of the Faculty shall meet to determine if his/her actions warrant re-instatement.

Textbooks

All books must be kept neatly and substantially covered. These books are issued to you free of charge and you are responsible for them and their care until they are checked back to the issuing teacher. If text books are lost or damaged, they must be paid for by the student before any exam or credits are given.

Appropriate Dress for School

Students should present a clean, neat appearance at all times. Fridays have been set aside as "Sport Clothes" day. Girls may wear Bermuda shorts or slacks only on Friday.

Campus

The campus should be kept beautiful. Special care should be taken of flowers and shrubs. Use the sidewalks. No paper or rubbish of any kind should be dropped on the campus. Trash receptacles will be placed in designated areas.

Transportation Regulations

Unnecessary conversation with the driver is prohibited. Outside of ordinary conversation, classroom conduct is to be observed. Students must not throw things on the floor or out of the windows. Students must remain seated while the bus is in motion. Students must not place objects or their feet in the aisles as this might cause someone to fall in getting on or off the bus. Students must board and leave the bus in an orderly manner. No smoking will be allowed on the bus. No open knives or sharp-pointed articles should be held by any student while on the bus. Bus drivers have same authority as a regularly assigned teacher.

REFUSAL TO ABIDE BY RULES IS SUFFICIENT CAUSE FOR A STUDENT TO BE BARRED FROM RIDING THE BUS AND/OR SUSPENDED FROM SCHOOL!

Special Bus Trips

The same rules above apply on special trips, except that students may sing. Students may be required to sweep and clean the bus if it is left unclean.

Students who ride a school bus to football games, basketball games, and other school activities, must return on that bus. The only exceptions to this rule are:

1. Parents may ask the bus sponsor for permission to bring their own child home with them after a game.
2. Parents may send bus sponsor a written request, signed by them, stating that their child may return with a designated party.
3. No shorts or blue jeans will be worn on out-of-town trips when representing our school

Only students and designated adults are allowed to ride school buses.

Student Vehicles

1. Students who drive cars to school will not circle the campus during the noon hour, before or after school, as the added traffic in the school zone endangers student pedestrians.
2. Students are not allowed to sit in parked cars on or at the campus.
3. High school students may park in the parking lot provided for them east of the covered slab or on Holik Street. High school students will not be permitted to park in the gym area except when they are attending games and other affairs being held there.
4. Cars will not be driven by students going to or returning from a class in the gymnasium or some other area. Special permission may be obtained from the principal only in hardship cases.

Smoking

Students shall not smoke in the school or on the campus.

Noon Hour

Students may leave the school grounds during the noon hour only when the pupil's parents have filed their written consent with the principal. Conduct of students during the noon hour, whether on or off the campus, must be in accord with school regulations and policies. Any failure to abide by these can result in a loss of the students privilege to leave the campus during the noon hour.

School Cafeteria

Hot lunches will be served in the School Cafeteria located in the Elementary School. Single tickets may be purchased from the first period teacher; a month's or two weeks' supply of tickets may be purchased from the school secretary.

Students bringing lunches to school should eat in designated areas. On good days students should eat outside the building and remain outside during the noon hour.

Money Raising Projects

Entertainment and assemblies sponsored within the school system must have the authorization of the principal and superintendent of schools. Money raising projects should be held to a minimum. All money raising projects should be agreed upon by faculty sponsors and submitted to the administration for approval.

Nothing shall be sold in the school building during the school day except with special permission.

The use of money in connection with the election of any student to school office is prohibited.

Use of The Public Address System

Announcements for the day are made at the beginning of the school each morning, immediately before the first afternoon period and just before school is dismissed in the afternoon. If one wishes to make an announcement he should write out the announcement and have it signed by the sponsoring teacher. All announcements should be in the office not later than 5 minutes before they are to be made.

Fire Drill

Fire drills are conducted for two purposes:

1. To train occupants to leave the building orderly in case of fire.
2. To teach self-control in time of emergencies in later life.

These aims can be accomplished only when military discipline is required of all occupants. Teachers and janitors, as well as pupils, must take part in the drills.

Signals

Fire	3 bells
March out of building	
Halt	1 bell
Stop where you are and remain quiet and alert	
Return	2 bells
March back to rooms	

Response to Fire Signal

When the alarm sounds, everyone should march quickly and orderly out of the building through his respective exit. There should be no running, talking or pushing in the halls. Students should not stop to get wraps or books. In the safety zone all should turn, face the building and remain in line until the return signal is given.

Withdrawing from School

Students who move out of the A & M Consolidated School District or who wish to withdraw from school for any reason will proceed as follows:

1. Pick up clearance sheet from Principal's office;
2. Clear his record with every subject teacher (return all books);
3. Clear his record with club sponsor;
4. See his homeroom teacher and clear with him;
5. See school librarian and clear with her;
6. Return clearance sheet to the principal. If all records are clear, the principal will issue the student his book record card, which he will need to enter another school.