



Iberville Parish School Board Senior Portfolio

Overview:

The Senior Portfolio is a graduation requirement for the Iberville Parish School District. It is designed to provide an opportunity for students to demonstrate their college/career readiness and the skills necessary to move successfully from high school to continued education or the world of work. The portfolio is kept at school and will be worked on periodically throughout the year during their senior English classes. However, Career Compass will also assist in helping seniors to build the portfolios. Portions of this portfolio will be due every 9 weeks. The final product will be submitted in the 4th 9 weeks prior to graduation for a grade, during which students will complete a Senior Exit Interview and present their portfolio. A team of teachers and/or community members, which will be put together by each school, will conduct this interview. Portfolios will be returned to students following the interview so that they may use them as they continue on to post-secondary endeavors.

Senior Portfolio Requirements:

To ensure that students complete post high school explorations along with college and career research, the **minimum requirements** (including the period in which they will be submitted and graded) for the portfolio are as follows:

	Requirement	Due:
1	Goal Setting	1 st 9 weeks
2	Career Interest Survey	
3	Resume and 2 Job Applications	
4	Register and Obtain FSA ID for Financial Aid	2 nd 9 weeks
5	2 Letters of Recommendation	
6	Community Service Project	3 rd 9 weeks
7	FAFSA Completion or Waiver	
8	Minimum of 1 Postsecondary School Application	4 th 9 weeks
9	Copy of H.S and/or Dual Enrollment Transcript	
10	Copy of Industry-Based Certification	
11	Copy of ACT/ACT Work Keys Score	

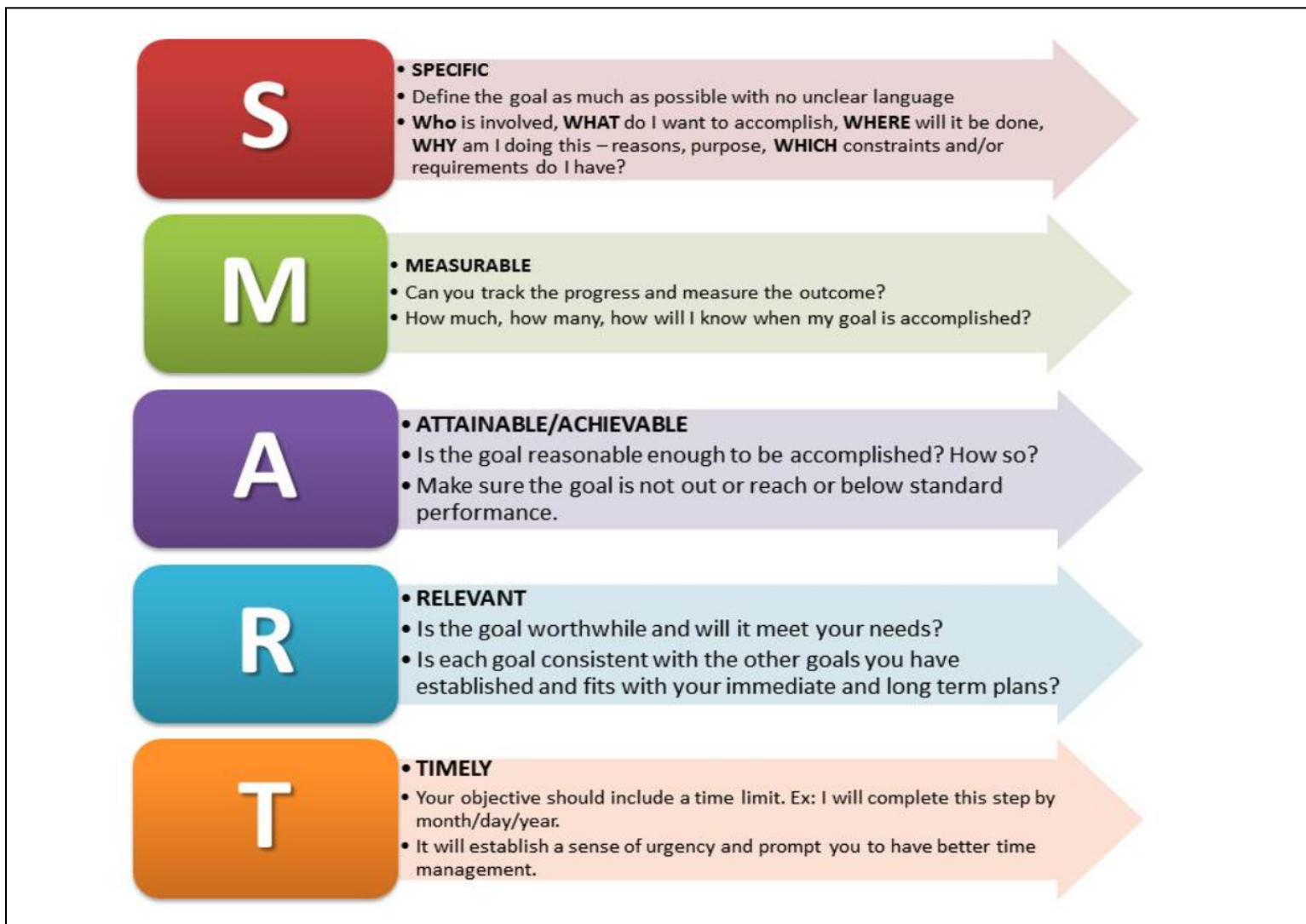
Schools may opt to add more requirements; however, these are the minimum requirements for the district.

Senior Contract:

All of our seniors are required to sign a senior contract each year. The portfolio will also be made a requirement in the Senior Contract.

Goal Setting:

All seniors will be required to set long-term and short-term goals that are attainable during or at the culmination of their Senior Year. To make sure that student goals are clear and reachable, seniors will use the **SMART Goal Template** to set two (2) long-term goals and two (2) short-term goals. SMART goals are: Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant, and Timely.



Smart Goal Example: (Long-term)

By February 1, 2018, I will have researched and applied for two colleges that I want to attend so that I may select one of the colleges I am accepted to and register for orientation in order to prepare to attend in August of 2018.

Smart Goal Example: (Short-term)

By the end of the first semester, I will get at least a B average in all of my core 4 classes. In order to do so, I plan to take careful notes and review before tests so that I can ask the teacher questions. I will also do all of my homework and inquire about anything that I do not understand in order to get at least a B on all of my tests and quizzes.

If you have any questions regarding the Senior Portfolio, please contact Chandler Smith, Supervisor of Secondary and Magnet Programs, (225) 687-4341 ext. 2106 or chandlersmith@ipsb.education.