

High School VIP Criteria

Our elementary and secondary students often experience school in different ways. The criteria and expectations are the same for all ages; it just looks slightly different following state guidelines. Qualifications to participate in the VIP program are:

- 1) Medical Condition
 - a. A Student may be admitted into the VIP program if he or she has a documented underlying medical condition(s). All documentation must be signed by a licensed medical provider.
- 2) Or meet the following criteria...

DISTRICT REQUIREMENTS

Student must ...

- have attended a Ouachita Parish school during the 2020 – 2021 school year
- agree to attend zoned school campus for ALL standardized and diagnostic testing
- have not been retained due to failure in any prior grade (7th – 12th grade)

DEMONSTRATE ACADEMIC MATURITY

Student must ...

- have a 2.5 GPA or higher in core subjects on most recent report card (20-21) and must have participated in LEAP testing during the Spring of 20-21 obtaining a score of Basic or above.
- have met attendance requirements for the prior year (No more than 10 unexcused full day absences)

FAMILY INVOLVEMENT

Parent/Guardian must ...

- have stable internet access and connectivity
- provide a room/location conducive to learning for their child
- agree to attend, with student, an orientation session at the beginning of the school year
- agree to attend academic conferences, when needed, throughout the school year

TEACHER RECOMMENDATION

The School Building Level Committee (SBLC) will provide a recommendation by scoring the student's performance from the 2020-2021 school year.

Student must have ...

- not had a major discipline infraction the previous school year
- followed all policies and requirements outlined in the student handbook(s) (VIP or brick & mortar)

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Student is aware that ...

- they will NOT be able to participate in athletics/band/choir/dance/cheer/clubs/assemblies
- they will NOT have access to Career and Technical Educational Courses that require hands-on participation, monitoring, and/or the acquisition of certifications that are not offered virtually

REMAINING IN THE VIP PROGRAM

Student must ...

- follow guidelines set forth in the VIP parent/student handbook
- maintain entrance criteria throughout the school year (If entrance criteria are not maintained, the student will be moved back to brick and mortar (the physical school) at the end of the 9 weeks and must remain there until the end of the school year)