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Page 8	Activities: demonstrate satisfactory work in all subject matters and be in good standing.	Eligibility requirements: KSHSAA requires that students pass at least 5 new classes each semester. At HMS weekly eligibility is based up on a 2 point system: Fs=2 points, Ds=1 point. If a student logs 2 points or more in a week they will be ineligible that week or until they have improved their grades.	
Page 8	May 1 physical date	change to April 1	
Page 8	Bag Policy	Remove (extra)	
Page 11	Dress Code	Include: Blankets and Coats are to remain in their lockers	
Page 12	OPT OUT notify the district in writing by September 8, 2023	Change to within 2 weeks of enrollment	Directory Change
Page 15	strongly encouraged students have ID worn on the outside of their clothes		
Page 16	Lunch	include, that Chromebooks may not be brought into the lunch room	
Page 17	If students are sent to the Library Media Center by themselves or in a small group, they MUST have their agenda or a pass which is signed by their teacher, and has the time that they left the classroom.		
Page 17-Personal Property	Cell phones are not necessary for educational purposes. Cell phones should not be heard or seen while at school.	**keep apprised of state law changes. SB passed in Senate, waiting on House vote.**	Do we still follow this? Or as long as it is off and stored away? Needs clarified. Also do we need to include the levels of consequences for cell phone violation. https://drive.google.com/file/d/1rRzYUa_4Kb70j7OEZpK9dMg8skZnbDbH/view?usp=sharing
Page 17	Personal Items list	Smart watches, Smart glasses, Airpods, Earbuds, Headphones	
Page 17	Bag Policy	remove duplicated	

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Page 18 Tardiness to Class	Consequences for tardies will be assigned according to the number of incidents recorded by the classroom teacher	After the third tardy, the student will be sent to ALC with an ODR to schedule lunch detentions with the ALC facilitator.	
Page 20	Pride Graphic	Update the graphic for formating and appeal	
Page 22	Drug Policy	Formatting issue for readability	
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Entire Publication	No page numbers	Add page numbers in the footer	