

Township of Union Public Schools
Criteria for Honors/AP Program Placement
SCIENCE DEPARTMENT (MS & HS)
 Total Possible Points: 24

Student Name: _____ ID# _____
 Current Grade: _____ Current Course & Teacher: _____
 Current School: _____ Counselor: _____
 Course Applying For: _____

	4 points	3 points	2 points	1 point	0 points
PARCC Scores* most recent administration OR PARCC Replacement Exam**	790 or higher	750-789	725-749	700-724	699 or below
Math Department Course Average (MP 1 & 2)	93 – 100	83 – 92	73-82	65 – 72	0 - 64
Science Department Course Average (MP 1 & 2)	93 – 100	83 – 92	73-82	65 – 72	0 - 64
Teacher Recommendation	The student is organized, diligent and demonstrates mastery and enthusiasm for the subject matter. He or she contributes often with pertinent information and questions to the class discussions. The student has the academic capability to succeed.	The student is generally organized, diligent and demonstrates understanding and enthusiasm for the subject matter. He or she occasionally contributes with pertinent information and questions to the class discussions. The student most likely has the academic capability to succeed.	The student has the potential to succeed but lacks organization and study skills, or the student is extremely organized and hard-working but may have difficulty with the content.	The student lacks organization and/or academic ability to succeed. The skills required for a high level course may not yet be fully developed. The student does inconsistent work.	Student is not making adequate academic progress.
Previous Department Course Final Grade	A- and above	B to B+	B- to C	C-	Below C-
Current Department Course Midterm	A- and above	B to B+	B- to C	C-	Below C-

* ELA scores will be considered on ELA, SS, WL, and Sci applications; Math scores will be considered on Sci and Math applications

** PARCC Replacement Exam will be used when a student has no valid PARCC score

Requirements for Admittance	Number of Points Earned
Regular to Honors	22 to 24 points
Honors to Honors	19 to 24 points
Honors to AP	22 to 24 points
AP to AP	19 to 24 points

Points earned on Rubric Above:

Placement for SY 18-19: