



**OKALOOSA COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT
TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE MEMORANDUM
FINANCE**

FINANCE TAM: 2015-025
CONTACT: Debby Fetner, Payroll Supervisor
TELEPHONE: 833-5849

TO: Selected Principals
FROM: Rita R. Scallan, Chief Financial Officer
DATE: November 19, 2014
SUBJECT: AICE, AP, and IB Bonuses

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Pursuant to Florida Statutes (Section 1011.62), the District is statutorily required to pay bonuses to Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE), Advanced Placement (AP), and International Baccalaureate (IB) instructors (see attached Statutes). The amount which an instructor will be paid is based on the following criteria:

A. Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE)

1. A bonus in the amount of \$50 for each student taught by the AICE teacher in each full-credit AICE course who receives a score of E or higher on the AICE examination.
2. A bonus in the amount of \$25 for each student taught by the AICE teacher in each half-credit AICE course who receives a score of E or higher on the AICE examination.
3. An additional bonus of \$500 to each AICE teacher in a school designated with a grade of "D" or "F" who has at least one student scoring E or higher on the full-credit AICE examination, regardless of the number of classes taught or of the number of students scoring an E or higher on the full-credit AICE examination.
4. Additional bonuses of \$250 each to teachers of half-credit AICE classes in a school designated with a grade of "D" or "F" which has at least one student scoring an E or higher on the half-credit AICE examination in that class. The maximum additional bonus for a teacher awarded in accordance with this subparagraph shall not exceed \$500 in any given school year. Teachers receiving an award under subparagraph 3 above are not eligible for a bonus under this subparagraph.
5. Bonuses awarded to a teacher shall not exceed \$2,000 in any given school year and shall be in addition to any regular wage or other bonus the teacher received or is scheduled to receive.

B. Advanced Placement (AP)

1. A bonus in the amount of \$50 for each student taught by the AP teacher in each AP course who receives a score of 3 or higher on the College Board AP Examination.
2. An additional bonus of \$500 to each AP teacher in a school designated with a grade of "D" or "F" who has at least one student scoring 3 or higher on the College Board AP Examination, regardless of the number of classes taught or of the number of students scoring a 3 or higher on the College Board AP Examination.
3. Bonuses awarded to a teacher shall not exceed \$2,000 in any given school year. However, the maximum bonus shall be \$3,000 if at least 50 percent of the students enrolled in a teacher's course earn a score of 3 or higher on the examination in a school with a grade of "A," "B," or "C" or if at least 25 percent of the students enrolled in a teacher's course earn a score of 3 or higher on the examination in a school with a grade of "D" or "F." Bonuses awarded shall be in addition to any regular wage or other bonus the teacher received or is scheduled to receive. For

such courses, the teacher shall earn an additional bonus of \$50 for each student who has a qualifying score up to the maximum of \$3,000 in any given school year.

C. International Baccalaureate (IB)

1. A bonus in the amount of \$50 for each student taught by the IB teacher in each IB course who receives a score of 4 or higher on the IB examination.
2. An additional bonus of \$500 to each IB teacher in a school designated with a grade of "D" or "F" who has at least one student scoring 4 or higher on the IB examination, regardless of the number of classes taught or of the number of students scoring a 4 or higher on the IB examination.
3. Bonuses awarded to a teacher shall not exceed \$2,000 in any given school year. However, the maximum bonus shall be \$3,000 if at least 50 percent of the students enrolled in a teacher's course earn a score of 4 or higher on the examination in a school with a grade of "A," "B," or "C" or if at least 25 percent of the students enrolled in a teacher's course earn a score of 4 or higher on the examination in a school with a grade of "D" or "F." Bonuses awarded shall be in addition to any regular wage or other bonus the teacher received or is scheduled to receive. For such courses, the teacher shall earn an additional bonus of \$50 for each student who has a qualifying score up to the maximum of \$3,000 in any given school year.

Attached you will find copies of bonus forms for Advanced International Certificate of Education, Advanced Placement, and International Baccalaureate. You will also receive the Excel versions by e-mail. The Excel worksheet contains a tab for each program. **Please use Excel to complete the appropriate form(s) for your school. Excel will automatically tabulate the bonuses.**

If you are able to return the completed form(s) to Debby Fetner by December 4, 2014, the instructors will receive the bonus in their December paychecks. Should you have any questions or need additional information, please call Debby Fetner at 833-5849.

Attachments: Florida Statutes

C: Executive Staff
District AP Coordinator – Sheila Lightbourne
Payroll Supervisor – Debby Fetner
Budget Bookkeepers

School District of Okaloosa County
Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) Bonus
 Fiscal Year 2014-2015

School Name: _____

Center No. _____

A	B	C		D	E		F
		No. of Students Taught Scoring "E" or Higher		Bonus Amount Per Student			
Teacher Name	Employee ID	Full-Credit Courses	Half-Credit Courses	Full-Credit Courses	Half-Credit Courses	Calculated Bonus <small>(C x E) + (D x F)</small>	Actual Bonus Paid <small>Max \$2,000</small>
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I verify the above information to be correct as stated.

 Principal's Signature or Designee

 Date

All payments must be made in accordance with 2014 Florida Statutes 1011.62(m) Advanced International Certificate of Education. A copy of this statute has been provided with the Technical Assistance Memorandum accompanying this worksheet.

Bonuses awarded to a teacher shall not exceed \$2,000 in any given school year and shall be in addition to any regular wage or other bonus the teacher received or is scheduled to receive.

School District of Okaloosa County
Advanced Placement (AP) Bonus
 Fiscal Year 2014-2015

School Name: _____

Center No. _____

A Teacher Name	B Employee ID	C No. of Students Taught	D No. of Students Taught Scoring "3" or Higher	E Percentage of Students Earning a Score of "3" or Higher (D / C)	F Bonus Amount Per Student	G Calculated Bonus (D x F)	H Actual Bonus Paid E < 50% = Max \$2,000 E >= 50% = Max \$3,000
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All payments must be made in accordance with 2014 Florida Statutes 1011.62(n) Advanced Placement. A copy of this statute has been provided with the Technical Assistance Memorandum accompanying this worksheet.

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School District of Okaloosa County
International Baccalaureate (IB) Bonus
 Fiscal Year 2014-2015

School Name: _____

Center No. _____

A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H
Teacher Name	Employee ID	No. of Students Taught	No. of Students Taught Scoring "4" or Higher	Percentage of Students Earning a Score of "4" or Higher	Bonus Amount Per Student	Calculated Bonus	Actual Bonus Paid
				(D / C)		(D x F)	E < 50% = Max \$2,000 E >= 50% = Max \$3,000
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