

## EHAD (LOCAL) – BASIC INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM, ELECTIVE INSTRUCTION

This newly developed local policy is to help allowing students with *Language Other Than English (LOTE)* to earned credit through credentialing in cases where a student has earned credit for a higher level of LOTE course, either through taking and passing the course or through credit by exam. The opportunity is available under TEA rules given the level of prerequisite knowledge a student must have to be successful in a more advance course confirms their mastery of the TEKS of the lower-level courses.

The policy will be presented to the Board of Trustees at a duly called Board meeting for their consideration and approval.

- **Annotated version of EHAD (LOCAL) Policy is included** — to show you the suggested additions in (blue), deletions in (~~red~~) and text that have been *moved* without alteration are shown in green to distinguish ~~moved text~~ becomes moved text to the existing (LOCAL) policy.

**Credentialing**

The District shall award credit for a credentialed course in Languages other than English (LOTE) if a student earns credit by passing the higher level LOTE course in that language or has earned credit for a higher level LOTE course in that language through credit by exam.