

Kimberly School District

INSTRUCTION 2411 Revised

Valedictorian and Salutatorian

The Board believes the Valedictorian and Salutatorian must represent the very best students Kimberly has each year in the graduating class. The following constitutes a policy to follow annually in determining the Valedictorian and Salutatorian.

1. The Valedictorian shall be the student with the highest grade point average (GPA) using the 4 point standard un-weighted grading scale calculated at the conclusion of the final semester of the senior year. Should there be more than one student with the highest GPA there shall be multiple valedictorians.
2. The Salutatorian shall be the student with the second highest GPA using the 4 point un-weighted standard grading scale calculated at the conclusion of the final semester of the senior year. Should there be more than one student with the second highest GPA, there should be multiple salutatorians.
3. An un-weighted grading scale based on a 4 point standard will be used to file transcript grades and communicate with colleges and universities.
4. A list of classes for those students "on track" to be the valedictorian(s)/Salutatorian (effective Class of 2014) is established as follows. In order for a student to be considered for valedictorian/Salutatorian (effective Class of 2014), he/she must successfully complete at least 5 of the 8 classes listed below and the current required curriculum and credits as stated in the current Kimberly High School Handbook.
 - Advanced Placement/Honors English (effective Class of 2012)
 - Anatomy and Physiology
 - Chemistry
 - Physics
 - Spanish III
 - Pre-Calculus
 - Calculus
 - Statistics (effective Class of 2012)

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2nd Reading: November 16, 2000

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