

INDEPENDENT STUDY PROGRAM

The Independent Study Program at Ellington High School will provide credit for independent work in an area of special interest to a student in grades 10, 11 or 12. Either ½ credit for a semester or 1 credit for a year's study will be awarded upon successful completion.

This program is designed for the student who is broadly and deeply curious about a particular subject which he/she cannot pursue in a formal course and who can benefit from the experience of developing, organizing and pursuing to successful completion, a project that he/she finds stimulating. The following conditions must be met to receive credit.

1. Students interested in Independent Study will make application to the Principal indicating what type of study they want to undertake. The application should be completed by September 30 for the current academic year.
2. Before approval, the student is responsible for finding a faculty advisor.
3. The application will be reviewed by the Principal with the advice and assistance of the Guidance Department and the department in which the topic for study falls.
4. In the event the student fails to complete the agreed upon project within the prescribed time or to the satisfaction of the advisor, the student will forward to the Principal a notice of withdrawal from the Independent Study Program.

APPLICATION FOR INDEPENDENT STUDY

NAME _____ YEAR OF GRADUATION _____

ADDRESS _____
(Street) (Town) (State) (Zip)

TELEPHONE _____ DATE OF APPLICATION _____

AREA OF STUDY _____ FACULTY ADVISOR _____

PROJECT TITLE _____ CREDIT .5 _____ 1.0 _____

COMPLETION DATE _____

GRADING SYSTEM: PASS/FAIL

I declare that I intend to complete the project described on the attached sheet within the stated time; that I will make no significant changes in my projected study plan. Finally, I will make an appropriate final presentation upon the completion of my work.

(Parent or Guardian)

(EHS Principal)

(Faculty Advisor)

(Date of Approval)

INDEPENDENT STUDY QUARTERLY REPORT

NAME _____

PROJECT TITLE _____

Activities completed towards the accomplishment of my goals:

Amount of time spent during the past 5 weeks _____.

My project is now $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{3}{4}$ totally complete. (Circle one.)

(Faculty Advisor Signature)

(Student Signature)

NAME _____

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AREA OF STUDY _____ FACULTY ADVISOR _____

TITLE OF PROJECT _____ CREDIT _____

1. Why do you wish to undertake Independent Study?

2. Describe the goals you hope to achieve in your Independent Study project.

3. How do you plan to accomplish these goals? List the activities and sequence of events along with the time line involved.

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