No Pass, No Play seems to be accepted in Rice District Schools

More than any one aspect of the educational changes created by the Texas legislature, "No Pass, No Play," seems to have received the lion's share of publicity.

In that one rule, the public has learned that not only do athletics, but all other extra-curricular activities have a power-hold on a student's school time. The legislature is attempting to reverse that hold and has been faced with adverse publicity and court suits.

In the Rice district, the rule seems to have been accepted as a matter of routine; at least it isn't being ignored or publicly undermined.

At the urging of athletic director Clifton Darden, who spoke against the rule last year, a new tutoring class has been established. While it will be handled by coaches, who of course also are teachers, it will be available to students who cannot attend tutoring classes scheduled for 7th period.

The special in-school tutoring class Darden suggested goes along with Rice High School principal Fred Grahmann's concept that "if you plan beforehand, you shouldn't" be hurt on the athletic field or any other out-of-school competition many students prepare for.

Last spring, several members of the baseball team, and other sports participants, were sidelined because of grades.

Darden said that this fall his football team will be complete, with all players eligible for competition. The hope is that through the 6th period tutoring classes, they will remain eligible.

The Houston television news programs last year focused on how "unfairly strict" the rule seemed to be. This year they have focused on results. Interviews with players now show they admit that if they want to play, they will have to "hit the books" harder. As educators have said, that's what the rule is all about.

Critics say the rule will undermine itself because marginal students who fear they may fail a course will not sign up for premium courses. Grahmann said there has been no evidence of that at Rice. In fact, he said he doesn't expect to see students switching classes into easier courses once school starts this fall.

The Rice district board of education, concerned that students will shy away from agriculture and FFA activities, have taken up the issue. Their fear is that a student who makes a large investment in an animal at the beginning of the year, may flunk a course and lose the investment come show and sale time. However, according to a report in Sunday's Houston Chronicle, the rules evolving from No Pass, No Play allow a relative or other student to sell an animal for a student ruled ineligible.

All in all, it appears that No Pass, No Play, if not liked, at least is being accepted, and local educators are working with it, rather than against it.

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ELMS Supply List

Listed below are the school supplies needed by Eagle Lake Middle School students upon the opening of the 1985-86 school term. Additional supplies may be requested by a teacher as they are needed throughout the year, announces Principal Charles Abel.

Fourth Grade: One standard size notebook, regular ruled paper, two No. 2 pencils, one pencil eraser, one bottle of Elmer's glue, one twelve inch ruler with metric system, one pair of pointed scissors, one box of sixteen crayons and six folders with brads and pockets, a box of Kleenex tissues. No special clothing is required for physical education classes. Fourth grade students will not suit out for P.E.

Fifth Grade: One standard size loose leaf binder, regular ruled paper (no college rule), two No. 2 pencils, one pencil eraser, one erasable pen (blue or black), one small bottle Elmer's glue, one box of pencil crayons (wooden pencils), one box regular Kleenex tissues, one twelve inch ruler with metric system, seven folders with brads and pockets, one pair pointed scissors, one sixteen box of crayolas. No special clothing is required for physical education classes. Fifth grade students will not suit out for P.E.

Sixth-Eighth Grades: One standard size notebook, spiral notebook (seventh grade only), regular ruled paper (no college rule), two No. 2 pencils, one blue, black and red ball point pens, one combination pencil and ink eraser, one twelve inch ruler with metric system and six folders with brads and pockets.

Special Education: Fat pencils, box of crayons, one standard size notebook, regular ruled paper (no college rule), pencil eraser, six folders with brads and pockets, one pair pointed scissors.

Sixth, Seventh, Eighth and Special Education Girls and Boys P.E.: Girls should have a white shirt, blue shorts, tennis shoes, white socks and one towel. Boys should have gym shorts for P.E. (available from A.J. Struss Auto Supply or Duncan and Son), a pair of tennis shoes, white tee shirt, white socks and a towel.

Garwood Kindergarten schedule

Below is the schedule for children in the Garwood area attending kindergarten this year:

Morning session (8-11 a.m.): Joshua Bures, Christie Cranek, Chianti Pratt, Chad Kallina, Petra Sewell, Zachery Daniels, Joseph Meismer, Adriana Rodriguez, Seneca Woods, Luke Gallagher, Norman Henderson, Charles Axel, Ronnie Pfeffer, Eric Johnson, Valerie Korenek, Irick Bachtell.

Afternoon session (12:15-3:15 p.m.): Isley Edwards, Kyle Korenek, Cynthia Stevens, Stephanie Labay, Guadalupe Gonzales, Matthew Popp, Chazara Scott, Amanda Weishuhn, Ryan Till, Shundrika Tolliver, Rosalind Bell, Brook Cranek, Brad Wiebert, Roberto Hernandez, Delana Smith.

Primary School room assignments listed for grades One, Two and Three

FIRST GRADE

Moody, Room 2: Bridgett Baird, Christina Blount, Michael Brown, Josefino Castillo, Willie Cleveland, Isis Diaz, Billy Ferguson, Tony Garcia, Graciela Hernandez, Maria Hernandez, Angelica Martinez, Jason McRae, Arthur Medina, Marco Munoz, Sharon Pavlicek, Antonio Puente, Michael Rico, Oliver Shorter, Warren Smith, Guadalupe Villarreal, Brian Wied.

Shorter, Room 4: Kelly Almanza, Roderick Banks, Shonda Black, Bennie Brown, Jose Castillo, Adriana Cordova, Chris Dietsch, Nicholas Garza, Shara Glaiser, Jeremy Gonzales, Lance Grigar, Andrea Grounds, Derrick Henderson, Misty Lujan, Darilyn Norris, Diana Pantoja, Jaime Pena, Kendrick Pipkins, Justin Rodgers, Robyn Rucka, Gina Sides.

Keuneke, Room 3: Zulema Abrego, John Easley, Michael Garza, Adrian Gonzales, Russell Graham, Joy Hengst, Dustin Hruzek, Dana Kelley, Christopher Kuykendahl, Tim Luedecke, Sabrina Matura, Mathalee Miramontes, Masion Pratt, Manuela Rodriguez, Rhonda Rodriguez, Mary Salinas, Jackie Schmidt, Norman Shropshire, Cynthia Torres, Ryan Torres, Jason Webb, Nelson Ybarbo.

Leopold, Room 5: Veronia Amador, Sam Evatt, Kyle Fink, Antonio Fuentes, Ruben Gonzales, Trey Kucherka, Connie Longoria, Rocio Lugo, Alexis Marshall, Briana Moreida, Jason Noaks, LaShanda Rainey, Araceli, Rodriguez, Luis Rodriguez, Manuel Rodriguez, Termika Shropshire, Bernard Sosa, Christopher Soto, Latashia Stovall, Sylvester Torres, Christopher Ward, Erma Williams.

Johnson, Room D: Royce Ashton, Robin Buitrago, Natalie Cardenas, Nicole Chamberlain, Sean Dulany, Erica Fields, Sunny Gertson, Ivoone Gonzales, Christian Hernandez, Julia Hernandez, Treesy McGowan, Joe Navarro, Arcelia Osornio, Liliana Pena, Timothy Powers, Mandy Ramirez, Phillip Saucedo, Hollis Shorter, Nathaniel Shropshire, Leon Taylor, Aaron Wilson.

SECOND GRADE

Brown, Room 8: Jessica Amos, Paula Barrow, Jesse Bishop, Rebecca Burrow, Laulita Cunningham, Kristi Gertson, Steven Grant, Jodi Heard, Dean Hengst, Brandon Mathis, Sarah Matthews, Rachel Matthys, Barbara Matura, Marton Mendoza, Cortney Parker, Wesley Perry, Peyton Powers, Jill Satsky, Jeremy Stevens, Carlos Tovar, Bradley Wiese.

Smith, Room 1: Brian Avery, Blake Canaris, Christian Cordova, Candy Cordova, Robin Donner, Gary Ferguson, Del Fruka, Desiderio Gutierrez, Marcela Guzman, Jorge Hernandez, Cathy Leal, Rossi Lujan, Antonia Moreida, Erlinda Navarro, Anna Perez, Alberto Rodriguez, Billie Salazar, Osvaldo Silva, Gabriel Sims, Victor Tavera, Chris Toliver, Jared Vawter.

Bruzzer, Room 6: Caesar Buitrago, Adrian Carroll, Misty Duncan, Ana Esparza, Jennifer Estlinbaum, Amy Frick, Cynthia Gonzales, Yesenia Gonzales, Keith Graham, Ronnie Kuykendall, Elizabeth Martinez, Melanie Medina, Valerie Moreno, Jesse Munoz, Andre Plata, Maris Rodriguez, Anna Schmidt, Urbana Vasquez, Joseph Villalovos, Richard Williams.

Ceffia, Room 9: Jimmy Aubrey, John Cardenas, Miguel Castillo, Rachel Evatt, Will Frazer, Aundre Hatton, Stevie Hernandez, Robert LeBlanc, Trinity Leon, Victor Liscano, Alwin Milligan, Draper Parker, Michell Parker, Sophia Rodriguez, Brad Shane, Patrick Shropshire, Lakeshia Sims, Lance Spears, Juanita Tillman, Tysha Tyler.

THIRD GRADE

Kucherka, Room 11: Meredith Anderson, Shannon Bolen, Neil Broesche, Max Delgado, Amy Dornak, Eddie Esparza, Jeremy Ferguson, Denise Forteson, Kimberly Henske, Roberto Hernandez, John Kaluza, Christal Lockett, Kimberly Marsalis, Shea McClanahan, Donny Obenhaus, Guadalupe Ramirez, Christina Rodriguez, Josh Romo, Ricardo Roque, William Schmidt, Kelly Thomson, Becky Waddell, Breana Wood, Brandy Zbranek.

Ardis, Room 10: Freddie Aviles, Elias Balderas, Anthony Barrios, Corey Brown, Brandie Contreras, Heriberto de la Garza, Melanie Duke, Melinda Estlinbaum, Mary Evatt, Michelle Frick, Lakessia Fry, Belinda Gonzales, Rosalinda Granillo, Shawn Hurd, Jason Lange, Alicia Morehead, Sonia Rodriguez, Ricky Schmidt, Jill Stephens, Camille Tillman, Mandy Torres, Marcus Torres, Regina Valdez, Sarah Wightman.

Klekar, Room 14: Melvin Brown, Joe Cantu, Ana Castillo, Rose Clark, Bernita Fry, Fernando Garcia, Bennie Gonzales, Marcus Gonzales, Gregory Hernandez, Nancy Hernandez, Dominque Kimble, Leticia Lozoya, Annette McTeer, Melissa Medina, Manuel Rodriguez, Derek Soss, Ramiro Rico, Maribel Valles, Kristie Vargas, Christopher Weeks, Ramon Zarate.

Dietz, Room 15: Amanda Alaniz, Alesia Aldridge, James Cotton, Miguel DeSantiago, Haydee Garcia, Michelle Grissom, Tamra Hemphill, Belinda Hernandez, Noel Hernandez, Victor Hernandez, Melanie Israel, Timothy Jones, Kevin Middleton, Roy Morales, Sebastian Munoz, Trinidy Parker, Jessica Rodriguez, David Salinas, Ginger Thorpe, Guadalupe Ybarbo.

EARLY CHILDHOOD

Darnell, Room 12: Richard Cardenas, Patrick Hodges, Sumeka Hodges, Daniel Gonzales, Eric Gonzales, Eric Guthrie, Edwin Holloway, Sandra Shorter.

SPECIAL EDUCATION

Darnell, Room 12: Jaime Gonzales, Demont Holloway, Judy Holloway, James Lewis, Melinda Salinas, Lacretia Sims.

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Garwood School supply list

Listed below are the school supplies needed by Garwood school students for the 1985-86 school term.

Kindergarten: two pencils, small box of crayons, small bottle Elmer's school glue, small box Kleenex.

First Grade: Nifty first grade writing tablet, one eraser, one box Kleenex, one pair blunt edge scissors, one box crayons (no more than 24), two No. 2 pencils, bottle of Elmer's school glue.

Second Grade: Nifty primary composition book 36 sheets (½ inch rule, 10"x8"), one eraser, two No. 2 pencils, one 12 inch ruler, bottle of Elmer's school glue, crayons, scissors, small box of Kleenex.

Third Grade: composition book, loose-leaf notebook binder, loose-leaf notebook paper, one eraser, two No. 2 pencils, 12 inch ruler, Elmer's school glue, crayons, scissors, small package Kleenex.

Fourth Grade: notebook binder and paper, No. 2 pencils, two folders, red ball point and blue ball point pen, 12 inch ruler, one spiral notebook, glue, scissors, crayons, small box Kleenex.

Fifth Grade: Two No. 2 pencils, one protractor, one 12 inch ruler, one red pen or pencil, one notebook and paper (not college ruled), two erasers, one small box Kleenex, one box crayons, one small glue, one pair scissors.

Sixth-Eighth Grade: two hole notebook binder and paper (not college ruled), three folders, three red grading pens, two No. 2 pencils, one black or blue pen, protractor, compass, scissors, 12 inch ruler with centimeters, map colors, typing paper.

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