# **Cobb Middle School: LCS Pupil Progression Plan**

Middle school students in Leon County schools are expected to meet state and local performance standards as follows: Earn a yearly final grade of "D" *or better* in language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies.

A yearly final grade of "D" or better is determined by Quality Points. A student must earn four or more grade points in a year in a middle school course, at least one of which must be earned during the second semester. Student points earned are aligned to the grade earned each nine weeks.

Quality Points								
A = 4 points	B = 3 points	C = 2 points	D = 1 point	F = 0 points				
Semester 1 – no requirement			Semester 2 – must earn at least 1 point					
Whole Year – Must have a combined total of AT LEAST 4 points.								

## Middle School Students must meet the following requirements to be promoted to the next grade:

#### Promotion to Grade 7 (current 6<sup>th</sup> grader students)

A sixth-grade student must have earned a final grade of "D" or better in **two of the four** core courses: English Language Arts, mathematics, science, or social studies. Students who are retained and completely recover the failed course may have the opportunity for midyear promotion as determined by the school principal, subject to state statute, the rules of the State Board of Education and/or the Leon County School Board.

#### <u>Promotion to Grade 8</u> (current 7<sup>th</sup> grade students)

A seventh-grade student must have earned a final grade of "D" or better in **two of four core seventh grade courses**; English, mathematics, science, or social studies *and all required sixth grade courses*. Students must earn a passing final grade in all previous academic courses. Students who are retained and completely recover the failed course may have the opportunity for midyear promotion as determined by the school principal, subject to state statute, the rules of the State Board of Education and/or the Leon County School Board. Leon County Schools Student Progression Plan Page 41

# <u>Promotion to Grade 9</u> (current 8<sup>th</sup> grade students)

An eighth-grade student must earn a final grade of "D" or better in three (3) yearlong courses taught at the middle school level or higher in each of the following areas: • English (emphasizing literature, composition, and technical text) • Mathematics • Science • Social studies, one (1) semester of which must include the study of state, federal, and civics education



MIDDLE SCHOOL REQUIRED COURSES FOR PROMOTION						
6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade				
1. ELA*	1. ELA*	1. ELA*				
2. Math*	2. Math*	2. Math*				
3. Science*	3. Science*	3. Science*				
4. World History*	4. Civics*	4. US History/Career*				

<sup>\*</sup>Core Subjects – Required to pass for promotion.

## SAMPLE REPORT CARD

Name: Elizabeth Cobb Student ID: 171000000 Grade 8

Subject					Total	Pass/Fail
ELA*	D = 1	F = 0	F = 0	D = 1	2	FAIL
Math*	F = 0	F = 0	F = 0	A = 4	4	PASS
World History*	B = 3	C = 2	F = 0	F = 0	5	FAIL
Science*	A = 4	A = 4	A = 4	A = 4	16	PASS
STEM/Tech	A = 4	A = 4	A = 4	A = 4	16	PASS
PE	C = 2	D = 1	D = 1	F = 0	4	PASS

<sup>\*</sup>Core Subject

6<sup>th</sup> Grade: Must pass 2 of 4 core subjects for promotion to 7<sup>th</sup> Grade.

7<sup>th</sup> Grade: Must pass 2 of 4 core subjects AND all of 6<sup>th</sup> grade core subjects for promotion to 8<sup>th</sup> grade.

8<sup>th</sup> Grade: Must pass ALL 12 core subjects (6<sup>th</sup>/7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup>) for promotion to 9<sup>th</sup> grade.