

Recommendation		Administrative or Statutory Change Required?	Proposed Action	Next Step(s)	Comments
Simplify program eligibility					
1	Eliminate the distinction between CTE and academic eligibility	Statutory AS 14.43.820(3)			
2	Offer multiple pathways and opportunities to students to demonstrate academic rigor as an alternative to the current rigid curriculum requirements	Statutory AS 14.43.820(3)			
3	Base eligibility determinations on the first three years of high school so students have APS award information when they are making their decisions.	Statutory AS 14.43.820(3)			
4	Consider using round numbers for award levels to make them easier to remember and calculate	Statutory AS 14.43.825(a)			
Simplify and increase flexibility of APS awards					
5	Reduce continuing eligibility requirements, particularly the number of credits required per semester	Administrative 20 AAC 16.210			
6	Consider adopting Satisfactory Academic Progress standards or University Scholars standards to simplify continuing eligibility tracking	Administrative 20 AAC 16.210			
7	Increase the number of semesters and years students are allowed to use the award to enable Alaska's high proportion of nontraditional students	Statutory AS 14.43.825			
Increase access and commit to equity					
8	Eliminate standardized testing requirements	Statutory AS 14.43.820(5)			
9	If testing requirements are not eliminated, reestablish state policy requiring and paying for all Alaska high school students to take a standardized test	Statutory AS 14.43.820(5)			
10	Consider replacing numerical cut scores with qualitative criteria for establishing cut scores	Statutory AS 14.43.820(5)			
11	Ensure all students get early and ongoing academic counseling to meet eligibility requirements	Administrative/ Statutory			
12	Include disparity analysis in annual outcomes reports	Administrative			