SAU #7 Policy: IHCD

ADVANCED COURSE WORK/ADVANCED PLACEMENT COURSES & STEM DUAL & CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT PROGRAM

Category: P See Also:

A. Advanced Course Work/Advanced Placement Courses/Dual Enrollment Courses

Any student who is capable of and wishes to do advanced course work to include Advance placement or dual enrollment classes while in high school and a student in grades 10-12 should be permitted to do so. School district administrators and school counselors will aid students who wish to enroll in such courses. If these courses are not available within the School District, administrators or school counselors are instructed to assist students in identifying alternative means of taking such classes. This may include taking courses at a different public school, a private school, through distance education courses, or other suitable means.

Any student whose eligibility for taking advanced course work is recommended by his/her counselor may enroll in a course. Credit may be given, provided the course comports with applicable District policies and state standards. The District will not be responsible for any tuition, fees, or other associated costs incurred by the student for enrollment in such courses.

The Superintendent or his/her designee shall establish regulations for the program which, among other things, will:

- 1. Require compliance with measurable educational standards and criteria;
- 2. Require that courses meet the same standard of quality and rigor as courses offered on campus, if applicable.;
- 3. Require that program and courses comply with the standards for accreditation and program development established by the National Alliance for Concurrent Enrollment Partnerships;
- 4. Establish criteria for student eligibility to participate in the program;
- 5. Establish standards for course content;
- 6. Establish standards for faculty approval;
- 7. Establish program coordination and communication requirements;
- 8. Address tuition, fees, textbooks and materials, course grading policy, data collection, maintenance, and security, revenue and expenditure reporting, and a process for renewal of the agreement;
- 9. Require annual notification to high school students and their parents of advanced course placement or dual enrollment opportunities.
- 10. Set out how any Dual and Concurrent Enrollment courses correlate with a Career Readiness Credential under Board policy IKFG.

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