

# SUSQUEHANNA TOWNSHIP SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: ACADEMIC STANDARDS

ADOPTED: April 23, 2012

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| 102. ACADEMIC STANDARDS  |  |
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| <p>1. Purpose<br/>Title 22<br/>Sec. 4.4, 4.12,<br/>4.13<br/>Pol. 100</p> | <p>The Board recognizes that education is a vital function of the state and community. The school community, through the strategic planning process, shall be encouraged to participate in the development of the educational goals and academic standards established for this school district.</p>   |
| <p>2. Definition<br/>Title 22<br/>Sec. 4.3, 4.11</p>                     | <p><b>Academic standards</b> - shall be defined as what a student should know and be able to do at a specified grade level; they shall describe the knowledge and skills students will be expected to demonstrate in order to graduate.</p>  |
| <p>3. Authority<br/>Title 22<br/>Sec. 4.12, 4.13<br/>Pol. 100</p>        | <p>The Board recognizes academic standards for district students to attain, in accordance with those adopted by the State Board of Education, in the following content areas:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Reading, Writing, Speaking and Listening.</li><li>2. Mathematics.</li><li>3. Science and Technology.</li><li>4. Environment and Ecology.</li><li>5. Social Studies - to include history, geography, civics and government, and economics.</li><li>6. Arts and Humanities.</li><li>7. Career Education and Work.</li><li>8. Health, Safety and Physical Education.</li><li>9. Family and Consumer Science.</li></ol> |

References:

State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 4.3, 4.4, 4.11, 4.12, 4.13

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