

BOARD POLICY: INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAMS AVAILABLE
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Section A

The stated purpose of the Board of Education of District #225 is to provide educational programming for students in grades 9 through 12. On certain occasions, however, it may be appropriate to provide limited courses to students who have not yet graduated from middle school. The schools of District #225 will be permitted to provide such courses under the following conditions:

1. No existing high school course requires alteration, and instructional space and personnel are available.
2. Both the requests for such courses and the recommendations concerning specific students are initiated by the superintendent of the sending district.
3. A pro-rated tuition cost is charged the sending district.
4. There is no assumption of subsequent enrollment of students in courses beyond that specifically requested.
5. Such courses comply with state law and the policies of both District #225 and the sending district.

Section B

The superintendent of District #225 reserves the authority to approve/disapprove any such course requested. The superintendent, or designee, also retains the authority to discontinue course enrollment for individual students if in the superintendent's judgment the student is inappropriately placed or is no longer benefitting from the course offered.

Section C

Individual students who have not yet graduated from the middle school shall be permitted to attend summer school courses offered by District #225 under the following conditions:

1. No such program is offered at the middle school during the summer.
2. The superintendent of the sending district approves the enrollment of such student(s) in the District #225 summer school in advance.

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Section D

Grades assigned to middle school students enrolled in a high school course will be recorded on their high school transcripts in the same manner prescribed in board policy 7100.

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