

ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY TALENTED AND GIFTED (TAG)

SUMMARY

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INSTRUCTION

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2. The Superintendent is directed to develop a process for identification of talented and gifted students in grades K through 12.
3. The district will develop a written plan of instruction for talented and gifted students that:
 - a. Includes a statement of the district policy on the education of talented and gifted students;
 - b. States goals related to providing such services, including timelines for achievement;
 - c. Describes the services intended to accomplish stated goals;
 - d. Describes how the district provides parents an opportunity to discuss and to provide input on services for their child;
 - e. Describes how the district will evaluate progress of the plan; and
 - f. States the name and contact information for the individual responsible for talented and gifted services for the district.
4. The district shall submit such plan to the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) as directed.
5. This plan will be published on the district's website. The district website shall provide the name and contact information for the individual responsible for talented and gifted services for the district. The district will annually report this information to ODE.
6. Complaints regarding programs and/or services can be filed in accordance with the [District Complaint Process](#)

ASSOCIATED DOCUMENTS

- TAG-P001
- ADM-A005-Complaints Public
- ADM-P008-Complaints, Public Process for Resolving

APPROVAL AUTHORITY

- Cabinet

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