

## **ACADEMIC STANDARDS**

Teachers will assign grades and confer academic credit for work and activities performed by students in accordance with objective and generally accepted instructional and grading standards, applicable laws and regulations, and criteria hereinafter specified.

1. **Report Cards:** Report cards reflecting student progress will be provided to the parents or legal guardians of students on a regularly scheduled basis.
2. **Promotion:** Students are promoted from grade to grade on the basis of academic credit earned during the school year, in summer school programs, or in such other academic programs as may be approved or recognized by the Board. The determination of whether to promote or retain a student will be made by school officials.
3. **Credit Recovery:** The Superintendent is authorized to develop procedures for a program through which a student may recover credits in one or more failed courses, in compliance with regulations promulgated by the State Department of Education. The curriculum will align with the State Board of Education course of study and study content standards in which the student seeking credit recovery is deficient.

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