

Notus School District No. 135

INSTRUCTION

2700

High School Graduation Requirements

The Board shall award a regular high school diploma to every student enrolled in the District who meets the requirements of graduation established by the District. The official transcript will indicate the specific courses taken and level of achievement.

The Board shall establish graduation requirements which, as a minimum, satisfy those established by the Board of Public Education. Generally, any change in graduation requirements promulgated by the Board will become effective for the next class to enter ninth grade. Exceptions to this general rule may be made where it is determined by the Board that the proposed change in graduation requirements will not have a negative effect on students already in grades nine through twelve (9-12). The Board shall consider and vote on whether to approve graduation requirements as recommended by the Superintendent.

A student who has an Individualized Education Program (IEP) shall satisfy those competency requirements which are incorporated into the IEP. Satisfactory completion of the objectives incorporated into the IEP shall serve as the basis for determining completion of a course.

A student may be denied participation in graduation ceremonies. Such exclusion shall be regarded as a school suspension. In such instances, the diploma will be awarded after the official ceremony has been held.

Cross Reference:	2435	Advanced Opportunities
	2460	Extended Learning Opportunities
	2640	Mastery-Based Education
	2700P	High School Graduation Requirements

Legal Reference:	IC § 33-4601, et. seq.	Advanced Opportunities
	IC § 33-6101 et. seq.	Opportunities for College and Career Ready Students
	IC § 33-1614	Financial Literacy
	IDAPA 08.02.03.105	High School Graduation Requirements
	IDAPA 08.02.01.250.02	Required Attendance
	IDAPA 08.02.01.350	Early Graduation

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