

## **Procedure - Science Mastery-Based Credit**

The district will manage the assessment process so that students seeking mastery-based credit can demonstrate mastery/proficiency in science. Mastery-based credit can be used either for awarding credit in place of a traditional course, or for credit recovery purposes.

Students may recover credit by demonstrating competence in the following ways:

- The student may recover 1 science credit following a failed or incomplete science course if the student meets standard on a state assessment in science; or
- The student may recover 1 science credit following a failed or incomplete science course if the student meets standard on another approved state alternative that meets the graduation requirement.

Equivalency course of study: Students may receive credit for learning experiences outside of school that align to state learning standards, in accordance with Board Policy 2413 – Equivalency Credit Opportunities and WAC 392-410-300.

The district collects and annually reviews disaggregated data to see which subgroups of students are receiving mastery-based credit. If disproportionality is found, the district takes appropriate actions to ensure equitable access to these crediting opportunities.

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