

Sisters School District 6

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Special Instructional Programs

Recognizing that individual students may wish to participate in a nonschool program or activity which will take them outside the school environment during the school day for a sustained period of time during the school year, the Board establishes the following procedures for approval.

1. Student/parent submit a written request to the building principal outlining the program/activity and rationale for involvement at least one month prior to participation. Included in this request will be a proposed program for maintaining the student's academic progress.
2. The principal will review requests submitted on a case-by-case basis using the following criteria:
 - a. Proposed program indicates the student will make reasonable and timely progress toward graduation.
 - b. Alternative credit experiences proposed by student for acceptance by the school are of sufficient variety and challenge and may include independent study, correspondence courses and/or college courses through COCC for a total of five credits.
 - c. Program is based upon the district's graduation requirements for all students for a diploma from the district and/or state requirements.
 - d. Student currently in good academic standing with regards to being on track towards graduation.
 - e. Student currently maintaining and expected to maintain grades comparable to what is expected of those students participating in district sanctioned extracurricular activities.
3. Students wishing to pursue participation in a nonschool program/activity for more than one school year must resubmit their request in writing on an annual basis for review and approval by the principal.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)
[ORS 336.092 - 336.183](#)
[ORS 336.505 - 336.525](#)

[OAR 581-021-0071](#)
[OAR 581-022-1020](#)
[OAR 581-022-1210](#)
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