

SUMMER PROGRAMS

The Board does not operate summer programs for students. It shall, however, encourage attendance at a state-approved summer high school for the following reasons:

1. To provide students the opportunity to review a subject previously studied for credit toward graduation, or to improve a grade. Students wishing to review courses previously studied must have completed the full section of the course.
2. To provide students the opportunity to develop mastery in a particular subject or area.
3. To provide students the opportunity to take a subject not previously taken but found to be necessary or desirable by reason of a change in area or goal, or for other good reasons.

In keeping with regulations of the State Department of Education, high school students attending a state-approved summer school and wishing to review and receive credit for courses previously studied shall be limited to 60 hours of classroom instruction per course. Students wishing to enroll in courses not previously studied, for which they will receive credit, shall be required to have 120 hours of classroom instruction.

Students shall receive credit only for attendance at a summer School that is approved by the State Department of Education. The guidance office shall maintain a list of New Jersey accredited summer schools.

Enrollment in summer school must be approved by the high school administration or designee, prior to the student's attendance. Failure to obtain such prior approval may result in no credit for the course. The guidance office shall provide the necessary forms.

Upon completion of the course, the grade and course title shall appear on the permanent record with proper credits and notations. Class rank, with regard to a review course, will be figured by the average grade of the two courses.

Students missing more than 18, but no more than 30 school days, who remain in class throughout the regular school year, may complete the course requirements in an approved summer school. Grades achieved in the regular class will be recorded on the transcript, along with the student's final summer school grade.

Students in a noncredit status obtaining parent/guardian permission to withdraw from a course will have a "withdrawal passing" (WP) or "withdrawal failure (WF) recorded on their permanent record. If a student has been withdrawn from a course, the student may not make up the work in a remedial summer school program.

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Legal References:

N.J.A.C. 6:27-3.3

Approval Admission of pupils

N.J.A.C. 6:27-7.1

Approval of schools

Cross References:

5113 Absences and excuses

6146 High school graduation requirements

6154 Homework/make-up work