



DUNCANVILLE ISD

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Regular Board Meeting

January 21, 2025

AGENDA SECTION: Action Agenda

SUBJECT: Dual Credit Waiver

BOARD POLICY: EHDD (LEGAL and LOCAL)

STRATEGIC GOAL(S):

FISCAL NOTE: N/A

PREPARED/PRESENTED BY: Tellauance Graham, Chief of Student Services and Campus Support

Background Information

Duncanville High School Collegiate Academy provides 11th and 12th-grade students the opportunity to attend dual credit courses at Mountain View College as part of the district’s commitment to college and career readiness. Mountain View College operates on a modified instructional calendar with fewer than the state-required 75,600 instructional minutes, including intermissions and recesses. To align with this schedule and ensure compliance with attendance accounting regulations under Education Code 48.005(g) and 48.007(a), Duncanville ISD seeks approval for a waiver.

This waiver allows instructional time spent in dual credit courses to count toward the minimum instructional hours required for students to be considered full-time for Average Daily Attendance (ADA) funding. Board Policy EHDD supports students earning high school and college credits simultaneously, enhancing opportunities for academic achievement and postsecondary success.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Board approve the submission of the waiver to the Texas Education Agency to ensure dual credit course time at Mountain View College counts toward state-required instructional minutes.

Communication Deployment

- District Website – Board Minutes

Suggested Motion

I move that the Board approve the submission of the waiver to the Texas Education Agency to align Duncanville ISD’s instructional calendar for dual credit students at Mountain View College with the state’s attendance accounting requirements.

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Respectfully submitted,

Dr. T. Lamar Goree
Superintendent