



**FOREST LAKE AREA SCHOOLS  
FOREST LAKE, MN 55025**

**April 5, 2018**

**AGENDA ITEM: 9.6**

**TOPIC: School District Ensurance of Preparatory and High School Standards Policy #617**

**BACKGROUND:** The purpose of this policy was to ensure that all locally adopted preparatory and high school content standards of the Profile of Learning are addressed directly in both curriculum and assessment for all students, including those with special needs.

**PROCESS:** This policy has become obsolete and the School Board Policy Committee is recommending that it be discontinued.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approval to discontinue this policy.

**I. PURPOSE**

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that all locally adopted preparatory and high school content standards of the Profile of Learning are addressed directly in both curriculum and assessment for all students, including those with special needs.

**II. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY**

- A. It is the policy of the school district to implement the Minnesota Graduation Standards, including local adoption of the former Profile of Learning content standards, during the transition to the implementation of the required Minnesota Academic Standards.
- B. This policy ensures that all students who qualify and elect to satisfy their graduation requirements through the Profile of Learning content standards will receive instruction, curriculum and assessment which address the preparatory and high school content standards of the Profile of Learning. This policy also defines how technology will be integrated across student learning areas. In implementing the preparatory and high school content standards, the school district will work to improve the scope and sequences of curriculum, research-based instructional skills of teachers and other district staff who work with students, and alternative assessments of student achievement while making the transition to the required Minnesota Academic Standards.

**III. ESTABLISHMENT OF CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION**

- A. Preparatory Content Standards: Refer to the Transition Plan for Forest Lake Area Schools, District #831, June 12, 2003 – submitted to the Department of Children, Families & Learning.
- B. High School Content Standards: Refer to the Transition Plan for Forest Lake Area Schools, District #831, June 12, 2003 – submitted to the Department of Children, Families & Learning.

The school district will follow Policy 613 Graduation Requirements as it implements the graduation standards. This policy ensures that all students will receive instruction, curriculum and assessment which addresses the high school content standards of the Profile of Learning in all learning areas and that the uses of technology are integrated across student learning areas.

- C. Assessment of Content Standards

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AND HIGH SCHOOL STANDARDS**

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2003 – submitted to the Department of Children, Families & Learning.

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