

2014-2015

Appleton Area School District – DC Everest Area School District

66.0301 Cooperative Agreement

School Board Resolution

“Whereas the following school districts are responsible for the education of all children, and whereas it appears that the educational interests of all children in these school districts will be served by the districts joining together to offer special services, as authorized by the Department of Public Instruction, to meet the needs of these children.”

“Be it, and it is hereby resolved that the school boards of the Appleton Area School District and the DC Everest School District, agree to establish and maintain, on a cooperative basis, the following programs pursuant to Section 66.0301 of the Wisconsin Statutes for the 2014-2015 school year”:

Regular education curriculum for students designated by DC Everest School District; services to be provided by the Wisconsin Connections Academy (A charter school of the Appleton Area School District.)

APPLETON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
2014-15 COOPERATIVE CONTRACT
(SECTION 66.0301)
Wisconsin Connections Academy
Regular Education Program

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by each of the following districts:

Appleton Area School District
DC Everest Area School District

Said school districts hereby mutually agree, pursuant to Section 66.0301 of the Wisconsin Statutes, to the following conditions:

1. That said above parties agree and contract for the cooperation of an education program for students designated by DC Everest Area School District.
2. That the Appleton Area school District is to be the operator and fiscal agent of the regular education program. The program includes delivery of services via Wisconsin Connections Academy. Graduates will minimally meet Appleton Area School District credit requirements.
3. That the said above parties agree to follow 118.40(8) of the Wisconsin Statutes.
4. That the fiscal agent shall establish and maintain records in accordance with the Fund 10 series of the uniform financial accounting systems prescribed by the Department of the Public Instruction (DPI).
5. DC Everest Area School District students served by this program remain as full-time students of DC Everest Area School District.
6. That student membership for state aid purposes shall be counted by the DC Everest Area School District, as the students are residents of the DC Everest Area School District.
7. The Appleton Area School District and the DC Everest Area School District have agreed as part of this contract to base the cost of this program per Exhibit A.
8. Any special education services called for by an IEP remain the exclusive responsibility of the DC Everest Area School District. This includes but is not limited to services and the costs thereof.
9. Transportation is the responsibility of the parents. No reimbursement will be paid for transportation.
10. That variations from the budget will require approval of all school district parties hereto.
11. That DC Everest Area School District agrees to coordinate its student attendance with the Appleton Area School District's school calendar in the program area covered by this contract.
12. That the DC Everest Area School District agrees to offer elective classes and extracurricular activities on a space-available basis.

Dated _____, 20__

Dated _____, 20__

Member of Cooperative:
DC Everest Area School District

Operator of Cooperative:
Appleton Area School District

President

President

Clerk

Clerk

D.C. Everest Area School District and Wisconsin Connections Academy (WCA)

Proposal for D.C. Everest Area School District students 2014-2015

For each D.C. Everest student enrolling in the WCA program:

If the student is in
Year 1 of public
school attendance:

greater of 1/3 D.C. Everest Area School District revenue control per-pupil amount/or WCA's direct vendor cost for AASD (currently around \$4,445)

If the student is in
Year 2 of public
school attendance:

Lesser of 2/3 D.C. Everest Area School District revenue control per-pupil amount/or state tuition rate (2014-15 OE amount is estimated at \$6,635)

If the student is in
Year 3 or more of
public school attendance:

State tuition rate (2014-15 OE amount is estimated at \$6,635)