

Division 22 Standards Assurances for the 2023-24 School Year

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Overview

What are the Division 22 Standards?



 All Oregon administrative rules (OARs) set out in Chapter 581, Division 22, Standards for Public Elementary and Secondary Schools.

Example: 581 - 022 - 0102 Definitions Chp. Div. Rule Title

- The standards that the Oregon legislature or the State Board has determined must be met in order to be a standard school district.
- Compliance with these rules ensures a baseline level of service across the state.

Division 22 Rule Categories

Division 22 standards include over 50 rules.

Teaching & Learning		
Curriculum & Instruction		
Assessment & Reporting		
Program & Service Requirements		
HS Diple	oma	
	Health & Safety	
Policies	& Practices	
Plans &	Reports	
Athletics	& Interscholastic Activities	
	District Performance & Accountability	
	Human Resources/Staffing	

What are the requirements for each of the rules?

Consult the following resources for information:

Resource	Description
ODE's Rules at a Glance Summary	Provides a high level summary of each rule
Secretary of State's Oregon Administrative Rules Database	Consult the text of the OAR for all of the specific details
ODE's Division 22 Standards Newsletter	Biannual publication that highlights new/revised rules, clarifies existing rules; provides insights on how the standards intersect with current issues and trends in K-12 education, as well as resources and promising practices

What are the Division 22 Standards Assurances?

Combined Accountability Model

Districts report annually on compliance with each of the standards and include an explanation and corrective action plan for any rule with which the district is out of compliance.

Local Accountability

Districts must:

- report to their local school board by Nov 1
- make a report available on the district website by Nov 1



State Accountability

- Districts must submit assurances to ODE by Nov 15
- ODE reviews all submissions and follows up with districts that have self-reported as being out of compliance

Division 22 Standards & Assurances of Compliance "Our Why"

- Signals our commitment to providing a high-quality educational experience and equitable opportunities for all students.
- Division 22 standards articulate the floor of the education to be provided to students, not the ceiling.
- Assurances process offers an opportunity for districts not in compliance to reflect on areas in need of attention and receive technical assistance.



What happens if the district is out of compliance?



- ODE reviews the district's proposed corrective action plan and either approves or rejects it.
- If the plan is not approved as submitted, ODE contacts the district and provides technical assistance and support.
- Once the district has an approved plan in place, ODE specialists may continue to provide support, as needed.
- The corrective action must be complete by the beginning of the next school year.
- If a district fails to come back into compliance after an opportunity for corrective action, ODE may withhold a portion of the district's State School Fund monies.

Report for the 2023-24 School Year

New Rule in Effect for the 2023-24 SY

OAR 581-022-2515 Menstrual Dignity for Students

- Adopted by State Board of Education in October 2023
- This is the first time districts are reporting on compliance with this rule
- Requires free and accessible menstrual products (tampons and pads) in every school bathroom K-12, instructions on use of menstrual products within bathrooms, and Menstrual Health education in the classroom as part of the health and sexuality education program.



District Report on Compliance with Division 22 Standards

 There are just under 60 standards and we are in compliance with all but 1 of them for this reporting year of 2023-2024.



Corrective Action Implemented

For the 2023-2024 reporting school year, we were out of compliance with rule # 581-022-2515 – Menstrual Dignity for Students.

The district will create a plan to be in compliance with this standard by the end of 2024-25 school year, which will include installation of dispensers in the required restrooms.

Looking Ahead: Compliance for the 2024-25 SY

New/Revised Rules & Requirements



OAR 581-022-2030 District Curriculum

Beginning in 2024-25, districts must have:

- a planned K-12 instructional program for Social and Emotional Learning; and
- a planned 9-12 instructional program which includes the Personal Financial Education and Higher Education and Career Path Skills content standards.

OAR 581-022-2000 Diploma Requirements

 Credit requirements for students who were first enrolled in grade 9 during the 2023-24 school year or first enrolled in grade 9 in any subsequent school year include 0.5 credit in Personal Financial Education and 0.5 credit in Higher Education & Career Path Skills (SB 3 – 2023).

New/Revised Rules & Requirements



Modified Diploma, Extended Diploma, and Certificate of Attendance

Districts must annually provide parents information about diploma availability and requirements, and disclosure about certificates of attendance. On-site access to all courses is required for a diploma at all high schools.

OAR 581-022-2045 Substance Use Prevention and Intervention Plan

Requires a comprehensive plan for substance use prevention and intervention. Includes K-12 substance use prevention education that meets the Health Education Standards; requires a minimum of 1 ODE Opioid Prevention Education lesson in grades 6, 7, and 8 and once in High School (SB 238 – 2023).