

**PROPOSED NEW POLICY:**

**Middle school students in grades 7 and 8 may receive high school credit(s) for successfully completing high school level course(s) taken at the high school, taken at the middle school, or taken via virtual learning if all three of the following conditions are met:**

- 1. Prior to enrolling in the course the student's performance on the state-mandated academic assessments or a similar examination approved by the school board demonstrates that the students is academically prepared for the coursework that is offered in the high school grades;**
- 2. The credit is earned in a course taught by a teacher licensed to teach the subject in the high school grades; and**
- 3. The credit is earned in a course that is taught using a curriculum and assessments that are equivalent to the curriculum and assessments used to teach the subject in the high school grades.**

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Legal Reference: WI Stats. Section 118.30; WI Act 138

Cross Reference: 345.7R – High School Credits Earned by Middle School Students-Rule

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