POLICY TITLE: Advancement Requirements (Grades 7 through 9)

The District has established a set of advancement requirements for 7th through 9th grade students which will act as a guide in helping students move methodically and purposefully on a course that will eventually lead to high school graduation. Therefore, the District sets the following advancement requirements:

- 1. To advance to the 8th grade, students must earn at least 80 percent of the credits attempted in 7th grade and be in compliance with the District's attendance policy.
- 2. To advance to the 9th grade, students must earn at least 80 percent of the credits attempted in 8th grade, complete instruction in career exploration, and be in compliance with the District's attendance policy; and
- 3. Students who have failed more than 20 percent of the courses attempted in the 7th, or eighth 8th grade may make up the credits needed to achieve the minimum portion of credits attempted by retaking the necessary course(s) during the summer, online, or through correspondence.

Legal Reference: IDAPA 08.02.03.107 Middle Level Credit System

IDAPA 08.02.02.104 Career Exploration Instruction

Policy History:

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