Browning Public Schools 1 2 Policy # 3 **Policy Name:** Digital Academy Classes 4 Regulation: #2170P 5 6 7 **Digital Academy Classes** 8 The District will permit a student to enroll in Montana Digital Academy (MDA) classes in order that such 9 student may include a greater variety of learning experiences within the student's educational program or 10 enroll in a class for credit recovery. 11 12 The District will allow students in grades to enroll in the Montana Digital Academy program 13 under the following conditions: 14 15 1. The student must be an enrolled student in the District. 16 17 2. A part-time student must be enrolled for a minimum of 180 aggregate hours of instruction as provided in 20-9-311(4)(a)(i). This can be an onsite or an MTDA class. 18 19 20 3. Determination of Montana High School Association (MHSA) eligibility will be based on eligibility rules established by MHSA. Students who wish to take MTDA classes and participate 21 in MHSA activities must follow all extra-curricular eligibility rules. 22 23 4. The student will be required to take the class(es) during the Digital Academy course within the 24 25 schedule. 26 or, the student will have the option of taking the MTDA class(es) in the school building, during 27 28 school time, or outside of the school building at a remote location, depending how and when such MTDA class(es) is/are offered. 29 30 31 5. Each spring the administration will present the MTDA course offerings to the Board for approval. Any MTDA course offered may be made available to a student in the discretion of the 32 Superintendent or designee and all courses offered by MTDA shall be considered approved by the 33 Board of Trustees for the applicable school fiscal year. 34 35 6. The District shall pay fees for students enrolled in an MTDA class that are required for 36 37 graduation as specified in District policy or the student handbook or as determined by the Superintendent or designee. 38 39 7. The District shall not charge students a fee for an elective MTDA course or activity not required 40 for graduation. The Board of Trustees authorizes the Superintendent to waive the fee in cases of 41 financial hardship. 42 43 44 **Policy History:** 45 Adopted on: Reviewed on: 7/13/21, 8/25/21 46

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