

REGULAR BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

Wednesday, January 8, 2025 6:15 PM

South Umpqua School District, 558 Chadwick Ln, Myrtle Creek, OR 97457

1. **Call to Order / Roll Check**

2. **Flag Salute**

3. **Adoption or Adjustment of Agenda**

4. **Citizens Request of the Board**

5. **Superintendent Communication**

5.1. Enrollment report

6. **Financial Report**

7. **Facilities update**

8. **Policy updates**

9. **Board Appreciation**

10. **Consent Agenda** *(All items may be adopted by a single motion unless pulled for special consideration.)*

10.1. Approve board minutes from December 04, 2024. board meeting

10.2. Employment of Dawn Dunlap Temporary Counselor at South Umpqua High School

10.3. Second reading and approval of board policy EFA and DI

11. **Announcements**

12. **Executive Session**

13. **Adjourn Meeting**



Superintendent's Reports

January 8, 2025

To: Board of Directors
From: Superintendent, Erika Bare
Subject: Superintendent Reports
Date: January 8, 2025

Summary:

Superintendent Erika Bare will provide announcements/reports to the Board on items of interest.

Strategic Planning Update: Strategic Planning remains on target! Gayle was here on January 6th to continue to gather information from staff to inform the plan and then returns again on the 16th to meet with the steering committee. We are looking forward to presenting the proposed plan at the February board meeting.

January 6th Professional Development Day: All staff participated in a professional development day on January 6th. There was a workshop style collection of trainings for Classified staff to choose from so they could identify something that was a good fit for what they need. At the elementary level, licensed staff continued with their focus on Literacy, Middle School teachers dove into the effective use of data and a new progress monitoring tool, and the high school did some work in departments on curriculum and standards alignment in relation to assessment.

First Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee: This group had its first committee meeting this past Tuesday. I will share details of our meeting.

First Licensed Evaluation Committee Meeting: This group launched on January 6th as well. I will share details of this meeting as well.

Recent Activities:

- CTC training in our elementary and middle school sites as well as with Classified on 1/6/26
- Attending the various sporting and school events
- Lots of Holiday programs and assemblies, as well as participating in Clothe a Child and Operation Christmas
- Getting prepared for the new year!

SUSD Enrollment Report

19-20	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June
Cberry (303)	309	311	313	308	309	311	Enrollment frozen at February numbers due to COVID-19 Pandemic.			
Cville (208)	205	206	202	198	201	203				
HS (387)	407	402	405	392	392	389				
MCE (347)	300	302	302	304	292**	287				
MCE Pre-K*	19	19	19	19	20	19				
TCE (307)	309	308	303	300	308	302				
Total (1552)	1549*	1548	1544	1521	1522	1511				

20-21	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June
Cberry (316)	314	310	309	311	312	311	312	311	308	308
Cville (197)	152	159	161	162	162	163	162	163	165	164
HS (414)	414	397	398	400	393	391	391	384	379	379
MCE (291)	270	261	264	266	267	265	269	275	275	275
MCE Pre-K*	12	12	12	12	16	15	15	14	14	14
TCE (306)	282	278	282	285	281	282	280	277	273	273
Total (1524)	1444	1417	1426	1436	1431	1427	1429	1424	1414	1413

21-22	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June
Cberry (309)	282	281	282	282	282	288	285	289	281	277
Cville (172)	155	159	159	160	164	162	164	166	164	164
HS (398)	420	404	406	407	402	408	405	399	399	396
MCE (264)	303	292	291	286	291	285	283	295	294	293
TCE (282)	260	265	267	264	264	264	261	263	268	267
SU OLA	58	56	45	42	36	35	32	30	30	30
Total (1425)	1478	1457	1450	1441	1439	1442	1430	1442	1436	1427

22-23	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June
Cberry (301)	286	288	286	284	286	281	277	272	264	265
Cville (164)	172	170	173	174	179	175	170	169	166	166
HS (398)	449	442	444	442	434	426	428	415	414	414
MCE (286)	274	279	284	285	283	287	285	287	290	290
TCE (268)	293	286	285	286	286	283	282	283	282	281
SU OLA (25)	12	13	13	13	13	13	13	12	12	12
Total (1442)	1486	1478	1485	1484	1481	1465	1455	1438	1428	1428

23-24	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June
Cberry	288	283	282	284	285	278	273	268	263	260
Cville	165	165	166	169	170	166	168	168	168	168
HS	453	444	438	438	433	427	425	415	409	405
MCE	273	272	270	270	280	280	277	270	267	261
TCE	273	275	272	271	269	271	268	270	269	269
SU OLA	11	11	11	11	9	14	12	12	12	12
Total (1465)	1463	1450	1439	1443	1446	1436	1423	1403	1388	1375

24-25	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June
Cberry	270	273	275	273						
Cville	186	184	180	188						
HS	444	447	447	441						
MCE	268	259	256	258						
TCE	250	251	252	256						
SU OLA	0	0	0	0						
Total (1431)	1418	1414	1410	1416						



Superintendent's Reports

January 8th, 2025

To: Board of Directors
From: Superintendent, Erika Bare
Director of Fiscal Services, Shy Chapman
Subject: **Superintendent Reports – Fiscal Responsibility (Board Goal)**
Date: December 19, 2024

Summary:

Superintendent Erika Bare and Director of Fiscal Services Shy Chapman will provide announcements/reports to the Board on Fiscal Responsibility.

Financial Report: Attached is our financial statement through December 19th, 2024. December marks the midpoint of our fiscal year, and our financial position remains solid and secure, showing a projected ending fund balance on June 30th, 2025, of \$3,850,970.

Audit: Umpqua Valley Financial has completed SUSD's Financial Audit Report for the 2023-24 fiscal year. No findings were reported. Two documents are attached, The Summary of Auditors' Results & Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances. The full audit report is available for review on our district office website. The ending fund balance for the 2023-2024 fiscal year was \$5,076,392. I will inform the board when the single audit focused on Title I is complete.

Estimate of Membership & Revenues 2024-25: The changes we made were not reflected on the December State School Fund payment as expected. ODE determined that there was not enough change at the state level to do an update. ODE will roll in 2nd Period ADM in February and produce new estimates in March.

Garrett Hemann Robertson: At the July 2024 board meeting, GHR was appointed as the district's legal counsel at the approved rate of up to \$275 per hour for services. We received a letter informing us that as of January 1st, 2025, they would be raising the hourly rate to \$300.

South Umpqua School District #19
Estimated 2024-2025 Revenues and Expenditures
As of December 19, 2024

2024-2025 Fiscal Year

	<i>Prior Year Actual Audited</i>	2024-25 Budget	Actual YTD 12/19/2024	Total Projected for the Year	Net Difference
REVENUE					
Taxes, Current & Prior	3,971,604	4,105,724	3,687,988	4,105,724	-
Interest on Investments	564	500	-	500	-
Student Activities	54,111	58,000	7,580	58,000	-
Miscellaneous Local Sources	120,672	114,800	36,317	114,800	-
County School Fund	19,922	30,000	-	30,000	-
Other Intermediate Sources	4,359	2,456	2,277	2,456	-
ESD Flow Through	125,740	125,798	-	125,798	-
State School Support Fund	13,792,903	14,317,860	8,299,194	14,230,439	(87,421)
Common School Fund	193,908	194,000	-	194,000	-
Other State Grants In Aid	1,003	-	-	-	-
Federal Forest Fees	164,200	152,000	-	152,000	-
Other Miscellaneous Sources	37,722	-	-	-	-
TOTAL REVENUE	18,486,708	19,101,138	12,033,355	19,013,717	(87,421)
ESTIMATED BEGINNING FUND BALANCE	4,349,812	4,109,745	5,076,392	5,076,392	966,647
TOTAL REVENUE & BEG. FUND BALANCE	22,836,519	23,210,883	17,109,747	24,090,109	879,226
EXPENDITURES					
Instruction					
Salaries	5,130,478	5,412,445	1,677,753	5,217,812	194,633
Associated Payroll Costs	2,741,036	3,677,414	934,288	2,904,974	772,440
Purchased Services	529,946	470,339	172,780	470,339	-
Supplies & Materials	126,285	788,685	330,274	788,685	-
Capital Outlay				-	-
Other Objects	10,990	26,650	6,787	26,650	-
Total Instruction	8,538,735	10,375,533	3,121,881	9,408,461	967,072
Support Services					
Salaries	2,916,261	3,403,130	1,300,401	3,298,222	104,908
Associated Payroll Costs	1,532,563	2,424,379	780,666	1,899,195	525,184
Purchased Services	2,438,618	2,819,856	1,016,325	2,819,856	-
Supplies & Materials	757,497	939,897	485,005	939,897	-
Capital Outlay	88,793	126,770	54,058	126,770	-
Other Objects	251,149	298,712	288,892	298,712	-
Total Support Services	7,984,880	10,012,744	3,925,347	9,382,652	630,092
Community and Enterprise Services					
Associated Payroll Costs	1,291	7,692	4,444	7,692	-
Transfers to Other Funds	1,235,220	1,440,334	1,411,376	1,440,334	-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	17,760,127	21,836,303	8,463,049	20,239,139	1,597,164
ESTIMATED ENDING FUND BALANCE	5,076,392	1,374,580	8,646,699	3,850,970	2,476,390

South Umpqua School District No. 19

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs **For the Year Ended June 30, 2024**

Section I—Summary of Auditor’s Results

1. The auditor’s report expresses an unqualified opinion on the financial statements of South Umpqua School District No. 19 in accordance with GAAP.
2. No material weaknesses or significant deficiencies in internal control related to the financial statement audit were identified which are required to be reported.
3. No instances of noncompliance material to the financial statements of South Umpqua School District No. 19 were disclosed during the audit.
4. The auditor’s report on compliance for the major federal award program expresses an unmodified opinion.
5. The audit did not disclose any findings that are required to be reported.
6. The programs tested as a major program were the
 - o Grants to Local Education Agencies (Title I) AL# 84.010
7. The threshold for distinguishing between Type A and B programs was \$750,000.
8. The District was determined to be a low-risk auditee.

Section II—Financial Statements Findings

No findings related to the financial statements are reported in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* for the year ended June 30, 2024.

Section III—Findings and Questioned Costs for Federal Awards.

No matters were reported relating to significant deficiencies, material weaknesses, or instances of noncompliance related to the financial statements that are required to be reported in accordance with paragraphs 5.18 through 5.20 of *Government Auditing Standards*.

Section IV—Summary Schedule of Prior Audit Findings

There were no findings for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2024.

SOUTH UMPQUA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 19

**STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES, AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCES
GOVERNMENTAL FUNDS**

For the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 2024

	General Fund #100	Special Revenue Fund #200	Debt Service Fund #300	Capital Projects Fund #400	Total Governmental Funds
<u>REVENUES:</u>					
Taxes	\$ 3,971,604	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 3,971,604
Earnings on Investments	564	16	624,769	-	625,349
Fees and Charges	54,111	492,675	-	-	546,786
Miscellaneous Revenue	120,672	-	1,649,533	47,227	1,817,432
Intermediate Government Aid	150,021	-	-	-	150,021
State Aid	13,987,814	2,199,131	-	-	16,186,945
Federal Aid	201,922	3,453,568	2,716	-	3,658,206
Total Revenues	18,486,708	6,145,390	2,277,018	47,227	26,956,343
<u>EXPENDITURES:</u>					
Current:					
Instruction	8,538,735	2,779,640	-	-	11,318,375
Support Services	7,984,880	1,864,617	-	-	9,849,497
Enterprise and Community Services	1,291	1,252,480	-	-	1,253,771
Capital Outlay:					
Facilities Acquisition and Construction	-	233,765	-	448,774	682,539
Debt Service	-	-	2,043,979	-	2,043,979
Total Expenditures	16,524,906	6,130,502	2,043,979	448,774	25,148,161
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	1,961,802	14,888	233,039	(401,547)	1,808,182
<u>OTHER FINANCING SOURCES (USES):</u>					
Interfund Transfers In	-	-	585,220	650,000	1,235,220
Interfund Transfers Out	(1,235,220)	-	-	-	(1,235,220)
Total Other Financing Sources (Uses)	(1,235,220)	-	585,220	650,000	-
Net Change in Fund Balance	726,582	14,888	818,259	248,453	1,808,182
Beginning Fund Balance	4,349,812	538,161	3,959,241	1,265,654	10,112,868
Ending Fund Balance	\$ 5,076,394	\$ 553,049	\$ 4,777,500	\$1,514,107	\$ 11,921,050

The accompanying notes to the basic financial statements are an integral part of this statement.



Superintendent's Reports

January 8th ,2025

To: Board of Directors
From: Superintendent, Erika Bare
Facilities Manager – Joe Motta
Subject: **Superintendent Reports – Facilities Update**
Date: December 11th, 2024

Summary:

Superintendent Erika Bare and Facilities Manager Joe Motta will provide district facility updates/reports to the Board.

Facilities Updates:

1. Maintenance Ticketing System



Superintendent's Reports

January 08, 2025

To: Board of Directors

From: Superintendent, Erika Bare

Subject: Review of Board Policy- AC, GCBDA/GDBDA, GCBDC/GDBDC, IKF, IKFB, JHCD

Summary:

Superintendent Erika Bare will provide policy updates for review.

AC – Nondiscrimination and Civil Rights- Required Policy

Summary of Changes: The Oregon State Board of Education recently adopted rules implementing ORS 332.505 regarding civil rights coordinators. These rules outline policy and practice requirements. Additional language has been added to policy.

GCBDA/GDBDA- Family and Medical Leave- Highly Recommended

Summary of Changes: Policy updates to align with changes in Oregon law regarding leave. This includes changes from SB 1515 (2024) and numerous rule changes to match.

The biggest change governs what conditions qualify for leave taken through the Oregon Family Leave Act (OFLA) and Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance (PFMLI). While these leave allotments used to run concurrently in many situations, they now cannot be taken concurrently.

GCBDC/GDBDC- Domestic Violence, Harassment, Sexual Assault, Bias, or Stalking Leave (Safe Leave) - Highly Recommended

Summary: This is a new highly recommended policy. Applies to employers who employ six or more employees in Oregon and meet the definition of "covered employer. Having policy and an administrative regulation in place will assist with compliance.

IKF- Graduation Requirements- Required and IKFB- Graduation Exercises- Optional

Summary: Senate Bill (SB) 992 (2023) replaced the “Alternative Certificate” with a “Certificate of Attendance.”

Additionally, SB 3 (2023) added one-half credit each of higher education and career path skills and personal financial education to the diploma and the modified diploma, therefore, reducing the number of elective credits by 1 to maintain the 24 credits. Both of these are effective for students who began grade 9 in the 2023-2024 school year.

The State Board of Education adopted the half credit for civics passed in SB 513 (2021) into OAR 581-022-2000. This is effective for students who began grade 9 in the 2022-2023 school year. Additional rules adopted by the State Board affect a variety of changes in policy which include language on additional credit requirements, Essential Skills, and updated parent notice requirements.

Also of note is the requirement for a district board to define criteria for the issuance of a certificate of attendance to a student in their district when they do not satisfy the requirements to receive a diploma.

JHCD- Medications- Required Policy

Summary of Changes:

The changes in the policy state that A non-injectable short-acting opioid antagonist may be administered to any student or other individual by district personnel whether or not they have received training on administering medications on district premises who the individual administering the short-acting opioid antagonist believes in good faith is experiencing an opioid overdose.

A school administrator, teacher or other school employee, may administer a short-acting opioid antagonist to a student who experienced or is experiencing an opioid overdose without written permission and instructions of the student’s parents or guardian

Nondiscrimination and Civil Rights

{Required policy. 34 CFR § 106.45 requires grievance procedures for complaints of sex discrimination. OAR 581-021-0655(3) requires policy regarding civil rights coordinators.}

The district does not discriminate on any basis listed below and prohibits discrimination and harassment on any basis protected by law, including but not limited to, an individual’s perceived or actual race¹, color, religion, sex², sexual orientation, gender identity, national or ethnic origin, marital status, age, mental or physical disability, pregnancy, familial status, economic status, or veterans’ status, or because of the perceived or actual race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national or ethnic origin, marital status, age, mental or physical disability, pregnancy, familial status, economic status, or veterans’ status of any other persons with whom the individual associates.

The district prohibits discrimination and harassment in, but not limited to, employment, assignment and promotion of personnel; educational opportunities and services offered students; student assignment to schools and classes; student discipline; location and use of facilities; educational offerings and materials; and accommodating the public at public meetings.

The Board encourages staff to improve human relations within the schools, to respect all individuals and to establish channels through which patrons can communicate their concerns to the administration and the Board.

~~{The Board designates the [insert position title(s)] as the district’s civil rights coordinator.} {The Board directs the superintendent to designate the district’s civil rights coordinator and make contact information available to staff, students and parents.} {³}~~

The superintendent shall appoint individuals at the district to contact on issues concerning the Americans with Disabilities Act and Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act (ADA), Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, Titles VI and VII of the Civil Rights Act, Title IX of the Education Amendments, and other civil rights or discrimination issues, and notify students, parents, and staff with their names, office addresses, and phone numbers. The district will publish complaint procedures providing for prompt and equitable resolution of complaints from students, employees and the public, and such procedures will be available at the district’s administrative office and available on the home page of the district’s website.

The district prohibits retaliation and discrimination against an individual who has opposed any discrimination act or practice; because that person has filed a charge, testified, assisted or participated in an investigation, proceeding or hearing; and further prohibits anyone from coercing, intimidating,

¹ Includes discriminatory use of a Native American mascot pursuant to OAR 581-021-0047. “Race” also includes physical characteristics that are historically associated with race, including but not limited to natural hair, hair texture, hair type and protective hairstyles as defined by ORS 659A.001 (as amended by House Bill 2935 (2021)).

² 34 CFR § 106.10 provides “discrimination on the basis of sex includes discrimination on the basis of sex stereotypes, sex characteristics, pregnancy or related conditions, sexual orientation, and gender identity.”

³ ~~{For additional information regarding civil rights coordinators and their responsibilities, see ORS 332.505(2).}~~

threatening or interfering with an individual for exercising any rights guaranteed under state and federal law.

Any complaint alleging discrimination may be made to any civil rights coordinator and will be processed in accordance with administrative regulation AC-AR(1) - Discrimination or Civil Rights Complaint Procedure. Depending on the nature of the complaint, additional requirements may apply.

The district will document and track:

1. All reports of discrimination received by the district and all responses to those reports issued by the district, including any investigations completed and remedies provided; and
2. The training completed by each civil rights coordinator.

Civil Rights Coordinator

[The Superintendent is the district's civil rights coordinator.]

The civil rights coordinator(s) will:

1. Be knowledgeable of the requirements in OARs 581-021-0038, 581-021-0045, 581-021-0046, and 581-021-0660;
2. Have the independence and authority necessary to carry out the provisions of OAR 581-021-0660;
3. Monitor, coordinate, and oversee district compliance with state and federal laws prohibiting discrimination in education, including ensuring the availability of, and providing to students and staff:
 - a. The notice of nondiscrimination⁴ required by OAR 581-021-0045; and
 - b. The district written complaint process for making reports of discrimination.
4. Oversee and ensure the resolution of district investigations of complaints alleging and substantiating discrimination, including the provision of remedies designed to restore or preserve equal access to an education program or activity;
5. Provide guidance to district staff on civil rights issues in the district;
6. Respond to questions and concerns about civil rights in the district;
7. Coordinate efforts to prevent civil rights violations from occurring in the district; and
8. ^{5}[Satisfy the training requirements in OAR 581-021-0660 (2)-(3)] [Satisfy the following training requirements:

⁴ The notice of nondiscrimination will include the name or title, work address, email address, and phone number of each civil rights coordinator.

⁵ {OAR 581-021-0655(3)(a) requires the district adopt a policy including the requirements in OAR 581-021-0660, including the training requirements referenced and listed here. The district can meet this requirement by choosing either of the two bracketed options.}

- a. Upon initial designation, a civil rights coordinator must receive the following training in accordance with a schedule established by the Oregon Department of Education (ODE):
- (1) The meaning of discrimination under state and federal nondiscrimination law, including ORS 659.850, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 Title IX of Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990;
 - (2) The duties of districts under state and federal nondiscrimination law, including ORS 342.700 to 342.708, ORS 659.850 and 659.855, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title II of the American’s with Disabilities Act of 1990, those statutes’ implementing rules and regulations, and determinations made by the Oregon Department of Education and the United States Department of Education’s Office for Civil Rights;
 - (3) The coordinators required by Title IX of Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and those coordinators’ duties;
 - (4) Identifying discrimination and reports of discrimination;
 - (5) Responding to reports of discrimination;
 - (6) Conducting civil rights investigations, including identifying conflicts of interest, and using strategies to mitigate conflicts of interest;
 - (7) Preventing discrimination in public school programs and activities;
 - (8) Identifying retaliation taken in response to reports of discrimination, responding to reports of such retaliation, and preventing such retaliation in public school programs and activities;
 - (9) Tracking and documenting reports of discrimination.
- b. In years subsequent to being designated a civil rights coordinator, a civil rights coordinator must annually receive the following training in accordance with a schedule established by ODE:
- (1) The meaning of discrimination under state and federal nondiscrimination law, including ORS 659.850, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 Title IX of Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990;
 - (2) The duties of districts under state and federal nondiscrimination law, including ORS 342.700 to 342.708, ORS 659.850 and 659.855, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title II of the American’s with Disabilities Act of 1990, those statutes’ implementing rules and regulations, and determinations made by the Oregon Department of Education and the United States Department of Education’s Office for Civil Rights;
 - (3) The coordinators required by Title IX of Education Amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and those coordinators’ duties;
 - (4) Reporting discrimination, and responding to reports of discrimination, including through complaint processes and investigations.⁶

END OF POLICY

⁶ Training must first be completed by June 30, 2025.

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 174.100	ORS 659A.006	ORAR 581-002-0001—002-0005
ORS 192.630	ORS 659A.009	OAR 581-021-0045
ORS 326.051(1)(e)	ORS 659A.029	OAR 581-021-0046
ORS 332.505	ORS 659A.030	OAR 581-021-0047
ORS 408.230	ORS 659A.040	OAR 581-021-0650 - 0665
ORS 659.805	ORS 659A.103 - 659A.145	OAR 581-022-2310
ORS 659.815	ORS 659A.230 - 659A.233	OAR 581-022-2370
ORS 659.850 - 659.860	ORS 659A.236	OAR 581-075-0001 - 075-0005
ORS 659.865	ORS 659A.309	OAR 581-075-0901
ORS 659A.001	ORS 659A.321	OAR 839-003
ORS 659A.003	ORS 659A.409	

Age Discrimination Act of 1975, 42 U.S.C. §§ 6101-6107 (2018).

Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967, 29 U.S.C. §§ 621-633 (2018); 29 C.F.R Part 1626 (2019).

Americans with Disabilities Act ~~of 1990~~/Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101-12112 (2018); 29 C.F.R. Part 1630 (2019); 28 C.F.R. Part 35 (2019).

Equal Pay Act of 1963, 29 U.S.C. § 206(d) (2018).

Rehabilitation Act of 1973, 29 U.S.C. §§ 791, 793-794 (2018); 34 C.F.R. Part 104 (2019).

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. §§ 1681-1683, 1701, 1703-1705, 1720 (2018); Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance, 34 C.F.R. Part 106 (~~2020~~2024).

Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 42 U.S.C. § 2000d (2018); 28 C.F.R. §§ 42.101-42.106 (2019).

Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 42 U.S.C. § 2000e (2018); 29 C.F.R. § 1601 (2019).

Wygant v. Jackson Bd. of Educ., 476 U.S. 267 (1989).

~~Americans with Disabilities Act Amendments Act of 2008, 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101-12133 (2018); 29 C.F.R. Part 1630 (2019); 28 C.F.R. Part 35 (2019).~~

The Vietnam Era Veterans' Readjustment Assistance Act of 1974, 38 U.S.C. § 4212 (2018).

Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008, 42 U.S.C. § 2000ff-1 (2018); 29 C.F.R. Part 1635 (2019).

Family and Medical Leave *

(Version 1)

{The law does not require districts to have a board-adopted policy, but the district is required to follow the law; having policy and an administrative regulation in place can assist with compliance. This policy is intended for districts with 50 or more employees as counted in accordance with ORS 659A.153. If the district has between 25 and 50 employees, the district should use version 2 of GCBDA/GDBDA – Family Leave *. If the district does not have 25 employees, the district should not adopt this policy.}

When applicable, the district will comply with the provisions of the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA)^{1}, the Oregon Family Leave Act (OFLA)^{2}, the Oregon Military Family Leave Act (OMFLA), Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance (PFMLI) and other applicable provisions of state and federal law, Board policies and collective bargaining agreements regarding family medical leave.

In order for an employee to be eligible for the benefits under FMLA, the employee must have been employed by the district for at least 12 months, have worked at least 1,250 hours during the past 12-month period and worked at a worksite that employs 50 or more district employees within 75 miles of the worksite.

Generally, in order for an employee to be eligible for the benefits under OFLA, the employee must work an average of 25 hours or more per week during the 180 calendar days immediately prior to the first day of the start of the requested leave. ~~For parental leave purposes, an employee becomes eligible upon completing at least 180 calendar days immediately preceding the date on which the parental leave begins; there is no minimum average number of hours worked per week.~~ Special requirements apply during public health emergencies.

OMFLA applies to employees who work an average of at least 20 hours per week; there is no minimum number of days worked when determining an employee’s eligibility for OMFLA.

¹ {Generally, FMLA applies only to entities with 50 or more employees, however, FMLA applies to all public elementary and secondary educational institutions. See 29 CFR 825.600(b). The rule regarding individual employee eligibility does apply: an employee is only eligible if the employee “is employed at a worksite where 50 or more employees are employed by the employer within 75 miles of that worksite.” See 29 CFR 825.110(a)(3). Consequently, FMLA applies to districts with fewer than 50 employees, but individual employees will not be eligible to receive benefits.}

² {OFLA applies to employers with 25 or more employees in Oregon (ORS 659A.153) and OMFLA applies to all public-sector employers in Oregon. (ORS 659A.090(2)) (Oregon BOLI Leave Laws – 2023 Edition)}

PFMLI is generally available to district employees who have earned \$1,000 in subject wages or taxable income during the alternate or base years³, contributed to the PFMLI fund in the alternate or base years and are otherwise eligible.⁴ PFMLI can be taken for family leave, medical leave or safe leave.⁵

~~Federal and state leave entitlements generally run concurrently.~~ Leave taken under OFLA is in addition to leave taken under PFMLI and cannot be taken concurrently; however, OFLA leave or PFMLI may run concurrently with leave available under ORS 653.601 - 653.661, FMLA, and other types of leave if provided by the district. Any leave taken under PFMLI must be taken concurrently with any leave taken under FMLA when for the same purpose.

The superintendent [or designee] will develop administrative regulations as necessary for the implementation of the provisions of both federal and state law.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.507](#)
[ORS 657B.010](#)
[ORS 657B.025](#)
[ORS 659A.090](#)
[ORS 659A.093](#)
[ORS 659A.096](#)
[ORS 659A.099](#)
[ORS 659A.150 - 659A.186](#)
[OAR 839-009-02000210 - 03200460](#)

³ The wages are not required to have been earned for work in the district.

⁴ See OAR 471-070-1010 for additional information.

⁵ Time to effectuate the legal process for the placement of a child in foster care or a child being adopted qualifies for PFMLI starting January 1, 2025. Until then, leave is available through OFLA. {See SB 1515 (2024) Sections 4, 13, 21 and 25.}

~~Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101-12213; 29 C.F.R. Part 1630 (2017); 28 C.F.R. Part 35 (2017).~~
Family and Medical Leave Act, 29 U.S.C. §§ 2601-2654; 5 U.S.C. §§ 6381-6387 (~~2012~~2018); Family and Medical Leave Act,
29 C.F.R. Part 825 (~~2017~~2023).
Americans with Disabilities Act, 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101-12133 (2018); 29 C.F.R. Part 1630 (~~2019~~2023); 28 C.F.R. Part 35
(~~2019~~2023).
Escriba v. Foster Poultry Farms, Inc. 743 F.3d 1236 (9th Cir. 2014).
~~Senate Bill 999 (2023).~~
Senate Bill 1515 (2024).

Domestic Violence, Harassment, Sexual Assault, Bias, or Stalking Leave (Safe Leave) *

{Applies to employers who employ six or more employees in Oregon and meet the definition of “covered employer.”}

Definitions

1. ~~“Covered employer” means an employer who employs 6 or more individuals in the state of Oregon for each working day through each of 20 or more calendar workweeks in the year in which the eligible employee takes leave to address domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault or stalking, or in the year immediately preceding the year in which an eligible employee takes leave for domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault or stalking.~~
2. ~~“Eligible employee” means an employee who is a victim of domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault or stalking or is the parent or guardian of a minor child or dependent who is a victim of domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault or stalking.~~
3. ~~“Protective order” means an order authorized by Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) 30.866, 107.095(1)(c), 107.700 – 107.735, 124.005 – 124.040 or 163.730 – 163.750 or any other order that restrains an individual from contact with an eligible employee or the employee’s minor child or dependent.~~
4. ~~“Victim of domestic violence” means an individual who has been a victim of abuse as defined by ORS 107.705; or any other individual designated as a victim of domestic violence by rule adopted under ORS 659A.805.~~
5. ~~“Victim of harassment” means an individual against whom harassment has been committed as described in ORS 166.065 and any other individual designated as a victim of harassment by rule adopted under ORS 659A.805.~~
6. ~~“Victim of sexual assault” means an individual against whom a sexual offense has been committed as described in ORS 163.467 or 163.525; or any other individual designated as a victim of sexual assault by rule adopted under ORS 659A.805.~~
7. ~~“Victim of stalking” means an individual against whom stalking has been committed as described in ORS 163.732; or an individual designated as a victim of stalking by rule adopted under ORS 695A.805; or an individual who has obtained a court’s stalking protective order or a temporary court’s stalking protective order under ORS 30.866.~~
8. ~~“Victim services provider” means a prosecutor-based victim assistance program or a nonprofit program offering safety planning, counseling, support or advocacy related to domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault or stalking.~~

When applicable, the district will comply with the provisions of protected leave identified in ORS 659A.272 to address domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias, or stalking.

The district (covered employer¹) shall allow an (eligible) employee² to take reasonable leave from employment for any of the following reasons:

1. To seek legal or law enforcement assistance or remedies to ensure the health and safety of the employee or the employee's minor child or dependent, including preparing for and participating in protective order proceedings or other civil or criminal legal proceedings related to domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias, or stalking;
2. To seek medical treatment for or to recover from injuries caused by domestic violence or sexual assault to, ~~or~~ harassment or stalking of, or the commission of a bias crime against the eligible employee or the employee's minor child or dependent;
3. To obtain, or to assist a minor child or dependent in obtaining counseling from a licensed mental health professional related to an experience of domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias, or stalking;
4. To obtain services from a victim services provider for the eligible employee or the eligible employee's minor child or dependent; or
5. To relocate³ or take steps to secure an existing home to ensure health and safety of the eligible employee or the employee's minor child or dependent.

The district may limit the amount of leave, if the eligible employee's leave creates an undue hardship on the district.

The district shall not deny leave to an eligible employee or discharge, threaten to discharge, demote, suspend or in any manner discriminate or retaliate against an employee with regards to promotion, compensation or other terms, conditions or privileges of employment as a result of taking such leave because the employee makes inquiries about, applies for, or takes such leave.

The eligible employee shall give the district reasonable advanced notice of the employee's intention to take leave unless giving advance notice is not feasible.

The district may require the eligible employee to provide certification that:

1. The employee or employee's minor child or dependent is a victim of domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias, or stalking; and

¹ "Covered employer" means an employer who employs six or more individuals in the State of Oregon for each working day during each of 20 or more calendar workweeks in the year in which an eligible employee takes leave to address domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias or stalking, or in the year immediately preceding the year in which an eligible employee takes leave to address domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias or stalking.

² "Eligible employee" means an employee who is a victim of domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias or stalking or is the parent or guardian of a minor child or dependent who is a victim of domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias or stalking.

³ "Relocate" is described in OAR 839-009-0345 (5).

2. The leave is taken for one of the identified purposes in this policy.

The eligible employee shall provide a certification within a reasonable time after receiving the district's request for the certification.

Sufficient certification to support a request for such leave includes:

1. A copy of a report from law enforcement indicating the eligible employee or the employee's minor child or dependent was a victim of domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias, or stalking;
2. A copy of a protective order or other evidence from a court, administrative agency, or attorney that the eligible employee appeared in or ~~was~~ preparing for a civil, or criminal ~~or~~ administrative proceeding related to domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias, or stalking; or
3. Documentation from an attorney, law enforcement officer, health care professional, licensed mental professional or counselor, member of the clergy, employee of the Department of Justice division providing victim and survivor services or ~~a~~ victim services provider that the eligible employee, or the employee's minor child or dependent was undergoing treatment or counseling, obtaining services or relocating as a result of domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias, or stalking.

All records and information kept by the district regarding the employee's leave under ORS 659A.270 - 659A.285, including the fact the employee has requested or ~~obtaining of~~ obtained such leave, ~~is~~ are confidential and may not be released without the express permission of the employee unless otherwise required by law. [This information will be kept in a file separate from the employee's personnel file.]

The employee may use any accrued paid leave, including ~~personal~~, sick leave, ~~or accrued~~ vacation leave or any other paid leave offered by the district. [The ~~employer~~ district may choose the order in which paid accrued leave is to be used when more than one type of paid leave is available, consistent with Board policies, ~~and/or~~ any applicable collective bargaining agreement or other agreement.]

Definitions

1. "Protective order" means an order authorized by ORS 30.866, 107.095 (1)(c), 107.700 to 107.735, 124.005 to 124.040, 163.730 to 163.750 or 163.760 to 163.777 or any other order that restrains an individual from contact with an eligible employee or the employee's minor child or dependent.
2. "Victim of bias" means an individual who has been a victim of a bias crime as defined in ORS 147.380; or any other individual designated as a victim of bias by rule adopted under ORS 659A.805.
3. "Victim of domestic violence" means an individual who has been a victim of abuse, as defined in ORS 107.705; or any other individual designated as a victim of domestic violence by rule adopted under ORS 659A.805.
4. "Victim of harassment" means an individual against whom harassment has been committed as described in ORS 166.065; or any other individual designated as a victim of harassment by rule adopted under ORS 659A.805.

5. “Victim of sexual assault” means an individual against whom a sexual offense has been committed as described in ORS 163.305 to 163.467, 163.472 or 163.525; or any other individual designated as a victim of sexual assault by rule adopted under ORS 659A.805.
6. “Victim of stalking” means an individual against whom stalking has been committed as described in ORS 163.732; an individual designated as a victim of stalking by rule adopted under ORS 659A.805; or an individual who has obtained a court’s stalking protective order or a temporary court’s stalking protective order under ORS 30.866.
7. “Victim services provider” means a prosecutor-based victim assistance program or a nonprofit program offering safety planning, counseling, support or advocacy related to domestic violence, harassment, sexual assault, bias or stalking.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 192.355\(38\)](#)

[ORS 659A.270 - 659A.290](#)

[OAR 839-009-0325 - 0365](#)

OSBA Model Sample Policy

Code: IKFB
Adopted:

Graduation Exercises

The Board believes that completion of the requirements for a diploma, a modified diploma, an extended diploma or ~~an alternative certificate~~ a certificate of attendance from public schools is an achievement that improves the community as well as the individual. The Board wishes to recognize this achievement in a publicly celebrated graduation exercise.

Accordingly, appropriate graduation programs may be planned by the [school] on the date selected by [the District].

The [district] [school]'s valedictorian(s), salutatorian(s) or others, at the discretion of the principal or designee, may be permitted to speak as part of the district's planned graduation program. Selection of speaker will be made by the principal or designee. All speeches will be reviewed and approved in advance by the building principal or designee.

All students [in good standing]^[1] who have successfully completed the requirements for a high school diploma, or qualify to receive or receives a modified diploma, an extended diploma or ~~an alternative certificate~~ a certificate of attendance, including [a-students participating in a district-sponsored alternative education program and] a-students with disabilities receiving a document certifying successful completion of program requirements, shall have the option to participate in graduation exercises.

A student shall be allowed to wear a dress uniform issued to the student by a branch of the U.S. Armed Forces if the student:

1. Qualifies to receive a high school diploma, a modified diploma, an extended diploma or ~~an alternative certificate~~ a certificate of attendance; and
2. Has completed basic training for, and is an active member of, a branch of the U.S. Armed Forces.

Graduating students will be allowed to wear ²“Native American [or other] items of cultural significance”³ [or other items of cultural significance]⁴.

END OF POLICY

¹ [A student may be denied participation in graduation exercises for conduct that violates board policy, administrative regulation and/or code of conduct provisions.]

² “Native American items of cultural significance” means items or objects that are traditionally associated with a Native American or that have religious or cultural significance to a Native American.

³ {ORS 332.112 requires that districts allow students to wear “Native American items of cultural significance” to graduation and other school events. Districts can choose to allow students to wear items of significance to other cultures.}

⁴ The district may prohibit an item or object that: a) is likely to cause a substantial disruption of, or material interference with the graduation ceremony, or b) replaces a cap or gown customarily worn at a graduation ceremony.

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 329](#).451
[ORS 332](#).107
[ORS 332](#).112
[ORS 339](#).505
[ORS 343](#).295

[ORS 659.850](#)
[OAR 581](#)-021-0050
[OAR 581](#)-021-0055
[OAR 581](#)-021-0060
[OAR 581](#)-022-2000

[OAR 581](#)-022-2010
[OAR 581](#)-022-2015
[OAR 581](#)-022-2020
[OAR 581](#)-022-2505

31 OR. ATTY. GEN. OP. 428 (1964)

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972, 20 U.S.C. §§ 1681-1683 (2018); Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities Receiving Federal Financial Assistance, 34 C.F.R. Part 106 (2020).

Kay v. David Douglas Sch. Dist. No. 40, 1987); cert. den., 484 U.S. 1032 (1988).

Doe v. Madison Sch. Dist. No. 321, 177 F.3d 789 (9th Cir. 1999).

Lee v. Weisman, 505 U.S. 577 (1992).

Hazelwood Sch. Dist. v. Kuhlmeier, 484 U.S. 260 (1988).

Medications/***

{Required policy. The requirement for policy comes from ORS 339.866 (2).}

The district recognizes administering a medication to a student and/or permitting a student to administer a medication to themselves, may be necessary to allow the student to attend school. Therefore, the district allows medication, including injectable medications, to be administered to a student by designated personnel and the administration of medication by a student to themselves without assistance from designated personnel, subject to criteria established by the district and in accordance with Oregon law.

The district shall designate personnel authorized to administer medications to students. Medications, including injectable medications, may be administered by designated district personnel as part of a formal delegation by a registered nurse. Annual training shall be provided to designated personnel in accordance with law. The training will align with the ODE Medication Administration Training and include discussion of this policy, procedures and materials, including but not limited to, procedures outlined in administrative regulation JHCD-AR - Medications.

When a licensed health care professional is not immediately available, trained personnel designated by the district may administer epinephrine, glucagon, treatment for adrenal insufficiency, or another medication to a student as prescribed and/or as otherwise allowed by Oregon law.

A current first-aid/CPR/AED card is required for designated personnel.

The district reserves the right to reject a request for administration of medication at school, either by district personnel or student self-administration, if the medication is not necessary for the student to remain in school.

The district may revoke permission given to a student to self-administer medication if the student does not responsibly self-administer the medication or abuses the use of the medication, as determined by district personnel.

Medications will be handled, stored, monitored, disposed of and records maintained in accordance with law and established district procedures governing the administration of prescription or nonprescription medications to students, including procedures for the disposal of sharps and glass.

A process shall be established by which, upon parent or guardian written request, a backup medication is kept at a reasonably, secure location in the student's classroom as provided by state law.

A premeasured dose of epinephrine may be administered by trained, designated personnel to any student or other individual on district premises who the person believes in good faith is experiencing a severe allergic reaction, regardless of whether the student or individual has a prescription for epinephrine.

[¹] A non-injectable short-acting opioid antagonist may be administered to any student or other individual by district personnel (whether or not they have received training on administering medications) on district premises who the individual administering the short-acting opioid antagonist believes in good faith is experiencing an opioid overdose.

A school administrator, teacher or other school employee, may administer a short-acting opioid antagonist to a student who experienced or is experiencing an opioid overdose without written permission and instructions of the student’s parents or guardian.]

This policy shall not prohibit, in any way, the administration of recognized first aid to a student by district employees in accordance with established state law, Board policy and administrative regulation.

The superintendent shall develop administrative regulations to meet the requirements of law and the implementation of this policy.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)
[ORS 339.866 - 339.871](#)
[ORS 433.800 - 433.830](#)
[ORS 689.800](#)
[OAR 166-400-0010\(17\)](#)
[OAR 166-400-0060\(29\)](#)
[OAR 333-055-0000 - 0035](#)
[OAR 581-021-0037](#)
[OAR 581-022-2220](#)
[OAR 851-047-0000 - 0030](#)

¹ {The district is not required to provide or administer this medication. If the district is going to provide for, and administer this medication, this policy language is required. If the district does not intend to provide or administer this medication, there is no requirement to include this language in this policy.}

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g (2018); Family Educational Rights and Privacy, 34 C.F.R. Part 99 (2019).
OREGON HEALTH AUTHORITY AND OREGON DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, *Medication Administration: A Manual for School Personnel*.
House Bill 1552 (2024).

OSBA Model Sample Policy

Code: IKF
Adopted:

Graduation Requirements**

{If the district has additional credit or graduation requirements above the state requirements, the district is required to include those additional credits and graduation requirements in policy (see OAR 581-022-2000(1)). OAR 581-022-2115(13) requires districts to also have a policy on student-initiated test impropriety (model language to meet this requirement is also in policy IL – Assessment Program); OAR 581-022-2120 requires districts to have a policy about proficiency in Essential Skills in student languages of origin (currently waived through the 2027-28 school year); OAR 581-022-2020(3) requires districts to establish criteria for the certificate of attendance in policy.}

The Board establishes graduation requirements for awarding of a high school diploma, a modified diploma, an extended diploma and ~~an alternative certificate~~ a certificate of attendance which meet or exceed state requirements.

A student may satisfy graduation requirements in less than four years. The district will award a diploma to a student fulfilling graduation requirements in less than four years if consent is given by the student’s parent or guardian or by the student if the student is 18 years of age or older or emancipated.

If the district requires diploma requirements beyond the state requirements, the district shall grant a waiver for those requirements to any student who, at any time from grade 9 to 12, was:

1. ~~A foster child~~ In foster care¹;
2. Experiencing houselessness²;
3. A runaway;
4. A child in a military family covered by the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children;
5. A child of a migrant worker;~~or~~
6. Enrolled in the Youth Corrections Education Program or the Juvenile Detention Education Program;
or
7. ³Enrolled in an approved recovery school under ORS 336.680.

For any student identified above, the district shall accept any credits earned by the student in an educational program⁴ in this state, applying those credits toward the state requirements for a diploma if the credits satisfied those requirements in that educational program in this state.

¹ ~~As~~ “Foster child” is defined in ORS 30.297.

² {ORS 329.451(2) and OAR 581-022-use the term “homeless.”} See OAR 581-022-2000 for additional information.

³ Applies to high school diplomas awarded on or after January 1, 2026.

⁴ “Educational program in this state” means an educational program that is provided by a school district, a public charter school, an approved recovery school (applies to diplomas awarded on or after January 1, 2026), the Youth Corrections Education
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Diploma

A high school diploma will be awarded to students⁵ in grades 9 through 12 who complete a minimum of {⁶}24 credits which include at least:

1. Three credits in mathematics (shall include one unit at the Algebra I level and two units that are at a level higher than Algebra I);
2. Four credits in language arts⁷ (shall include the equivalent of one unit in written composition);
3. Three credits in science;
4. Three credits in social sciences (~~including~~ shall include 0.5 unit of US civics⁸ credit in addition to at least 2.5 units of credit aligned to the Oregon State Board adopted standards for US and world history, ~~civics,~~ geography, ~~and~~ economics (~~including personal finance~~) and ⁹financial literacy);
5. ¹⁰One-half credit of higher education and career path skills;
6. ¹¹One-half credit of personal financial education;
7. One credit in health education;
8. One credit in physical education; and
9. Three credits in career and technical education, the arts or world languages¹² (units shall be earned in any one or a combination).

Program or the Juvenile Detention Program, or funded as provided by ORS 343.243 for students in a long-term care or treatment facility described in ORS 343.~~962~~⁹⁶¹ or a hospital identified in ORS 343.261.

~~[⁵ Students who were first enrolled in grade 9 during the 2022-2023 school year or first enrolled in grade 9 in any previous school year.](#)~~

⁶ {If the district has additional credit or graduation requirements beyond the state minimum of 24, the district is required to include those additional credits and graduation requirements in the following list.}

⁷ “Language arts” includes reading, writing and other communications in any language, including English.

⁸ Civics becomes a half-credit requirement beginning on January 1, 2026 (ORS 329.451).

⁹ This requirement is replaced with a one-half credit of personal financial education requirement for students who were first enrolled in grade 9 during the 2023-2024 school year or first enrolled in grade 9 in any subsequent school year.

¹⁰ Higher education and career path skills becomes a one-half credit graduation requirement for students who were first enrolled in grade 9 during the 2023-2024 school year or first enrolled in grade 9 in any subsequent school year (a requirement for a high school diploma awarded on or after January 1, 2027; a district may request a one-year waiver in accordance with law).

¹¹ Personal finance education becomes a one-half credit graduation requirement for students who were first enrolled in grade 9 during the 2023-2024 school year or first enrolled in grade 9 in any subsequent school year (a requirement for a high school diploma awarded on or after January 1, 2027; a district may request a one-year waiver in accordance with law).

¹² “World languages” includes sign language, heritage languages and languages other than a student’s primary language.

The district shall offer students credit options provided the method for obtaining such credits is described in the student’s personal education plan and the credit is earned by meeting requirements described in Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 581-022-2025.

To receive a diploma, in addition to credit requirements outlined in OAR 581-022-2000 above, a student must^[13]:

1. ¹⁴Demonstrate proficiency in the Essential Skills of reading, writing and apply mathematics in a variety of settings;
2. Develop an education plan and build an education profile;
3. Demonstrate extended application of standards through a collection of evidence (or include evidence in existing collection(s)); and
4. Participate in career-related learning experiences.

Modified Diploma

A modified diploma will be awarded only to students who have demonstrated the inability to meet the full set of academic content standards adopted by the State Board of Education for a high school diploma while receiving reasonable modifications and accommodations. A modified diploma may only be awarded to a student who meets the eligibility criteria below and other criteria, if applicable, outlined in OAR 581-022-2010 (3):

1. The student H has a documented history of an inability to maintain grade level achievement due to significant learning and instructional barriers; or
2. The student H has a documented history of a medical condition that creates a barrier to achievement.

Having met the above eligibility criteria, a modified diploma will be awarded to students who, while in grade nine through completion of high school, complete 24 credits which shall with at least 13 of those credits to include:

1. Three credits in language arts;
2. Two credits in mathematics;
3. Two credits in science;
4. Two credits in social sciences (which may include history, civics, geography and economics (including personal finance));

¹³ [The proficiency in Essential Skills requirement has been waived and is not a condition of receiving a high school diploma during the 2021-2022, 2022-2023 or 2023-2024 school year (Senate Bill 744, 2021).]

¹⁴ The State Board of Education has waived this requirement in Essential Skills for students graduating through the 2027-2028 school year.

5. ¹⁵One-half credit in personal financial education;
6. ¹⁶One-half credit in higher education and career path skills;
7. One credit in health education;
8. One credit in physical education; and
9. One credit in career technical education, the arts or world languages (units may be earned in any one or a combination).

Students may earn additional credits to earn a modified diploma pursuant to OAR 581-022-2010.

In addition to credit requirements as outlined in OAR 581-022-2010, a student must:

1. ¹⁷Demonstrate proficiency in the Essential Skills of reading, writing and apply mathematics in a variety of settings;
2. Develop an education plan and build an education profile; and
3. Demonstrate extended application of standards through a collection of evidence (or include evidence in existing collection(s)).

Districts may make modifications to the assessment for students who seek a modified diploma when the following conditions are met:

1. For a student on an individualized education program (IEP) or Section 504 plan, any modifications to work samples must be consistent with the requirements established in the IEP or 504 plan. Modifications include practices and procedures that compromise the intent of the assessment through a change in ~~learning expectations~~ the achievement level, construct, or ~~content that is to be measured, grade level standard, or~~ measured outcome of the assessment. This means that IEP or 504 school teams responsible for approving modifications for a student's assessment may adjust the administration of the assessment and/or the assessment's achievement standard. The IEP or 504 team must inform the student's parent that the use of a modification on an assessment will result in an invalid assessment;
2. For a student not on an IEP or 504 plan, any modifications to work samples must have been provided to the student during their instruction in the content area to be assessed and in the year in which the student is being assessed, and modifications must be approved by the school team that is responsible for monitoring the student's progress toward the modified diploma.

Students not on an IEP or a Section 504 Plan may not receive a modified ~~Smarter-Balanced~~ statewide assessment.

¹⁵ This unit of credit applies to all students who are awarded a modified diploma on or after January 1, 2027.

¹⁶ This unit of credit applies to all students who are awarded a modified diploma on or after January 1, 2027.

¹⁷ The State Board of Education has waived this requirement in Essential Skills for students graduating through the 2027-2028 school year.

A student's school team (which must include an adult student, parent/guardian of the student) shall decide ~~that if~~ a student ~~should~~ will work toward a modified diploma no earlier than the end of grade six and no later than two years before the student's anticipated exit from high school.

A student's school team may decide to revise a modified diploma decision.

A student's school team may decide that a student who was not previously working toward a modified diploma should work toward one when the student is less than two years from anticipated exit from high school if the documented history has changed.

~~Beginning in grade five or beginning after a documented history to qualify for a modified diploma, the district shall annually provide to the parents or guardians of the student, information about the availability and requirements of a modified diploma.~~

For students with a documented history as described above, the district shall annually provide the parents or guardians of students, beginning in grade five or after such documented history has been established, the following:

1. Information about the availability of high school diplomas, modified diplomas and the requirements for such diplomas; and
2. A disclosure that students awarded a certificate of attendance will not be counted as a high school graduate in any reporting for the State or district and that such students awarded a certificate of attendance may not indicate they received a high school diploma on applications for employment, military service, financial aid, admittance to an institution of higher education or any other purpose.

[¹⁸] Essential Skills

The district [will] [will not] allow English Language Learner (ELL) students to demonstrate proficiency in Essential Skills in the student's language of origin for a high school diploma or a modified diploma.

The district will develop procedures to provide local performance assessment options as described in the *Local Performance Assessment Manual*, in the ELL student's language of origin, and will develop procedures to ensure that locally scored assessment options administered in an ELL student's language of origin are scored by a qualified rater.

Essential Skills Appeal

The district will [establish an appeal process] [follow Board policy KL - Public Complaints] in the event of an appeal for the denial of a diploma based on the Essential Skills graduation requirement. The district will retain student work samples and student performance data to ensure that sufficient evidence is available in the event of an appeal.]

Extended Diploma

¹⁸ {[OAR 581-022-2120(2) requires districts to have "policy whether to allow ELL students to demonstrate proficiency in all required Essential Skills in the students' language of origin." OAR 581-022-2120(4) waives this requirement through the 2027-28 school year.] Therefore, these two sections, i.e., Essential Skills and Essential Skills Appeal, are not required to be in policy at this time. The district could elect to keep the language and the bracketed portion of this footnote.}

An extended diploma will be awarded only to students who have demonstrated the inability to meet the full set of academic content standards adopted by the State Board of Education for a high school diploma while receiving reasonable modifications and accommodations.

To be eligible for an extended diploma, a student must:

1. While in grade nine through completion of high school, complete 12 credits, which may not include more than six 6 credits in a self-contained special education classroom, and will include:
 - a. Two credits in mathematics;
 - b. Two credits in language arts;
 - c. Two credits in science;
 - d. Three credits in history, geography, economics or civics;
 - e. One credit in health;
 - f. One credit in physical education; and
 - g. One credit in the arts or a world language; and
2. Have a documented history of:
 - a. An inability to maintain grade level achievement due to significant learning and instructional barriers;
 - b. A medical condition that creates a barrier to achievement; or
 - c. A change in the student's ability to participate in grade level activities as a result of a serious illness or injury that occurred after grade eight.

~~Beginning in grade five or beginning after a documented history to qualify for an extended diploma, the district shall annually provide to the parents or guardians of the student, information about the availability and requirements of an extended diploma.~~ For students with a documented history, the district shall annually provide the parents or guardians of such students, beginning in grade five or after such documented history has been established, the following:

1. Information about the availability of high school diplomas, modified diplomas and the requirements for such diplomas; and
2. A disclosure that students awarded a certificate of attendance will not be counted as a high school graduate in any reporting for the state or district and that such students awarded a certificate of attendance may not indicate they received a high school diploma on applications for employment, military service, financial aid, admittance to an institution of higher education or any other purpose.

Alternative Certificates

~~Alternative certificates will be awarded to students who do not satisfy the requirements for a diploma, a modified diploma, or an extended diploma if the students meet minimum requirements established by the district.~~

~~Beginning in grade five or beginning after a documented history to qualify for an alternative certificate, the district shall annually provide to the parents or guardians of the student, information about the availability and requirements of an alternative certificate.~~

Certificate of Attendance

A ^{19}certificate of attendance²⁰ will be awarded to students who:

1. [Have maintained regular full-time attendance²¹ for at least four years beginning in grade nine;
2. Do not satisfy requirements for a high school diploma, modified diploma or extended diploma; and
3. Have a documented history²².]

For students with a documented history²³, the district shall annually provide the parents or guardians of such students, beginning in grade five or after such a documented history has been established, the following:

1. Information about the availability of high school diplomas, modified diplomas and the requirements for the diplomas; and
2. A disclosure that students awarded a certificate of attendance will not be counted as a high school graduate in any required reporting for the State or district and that such students awarded a certificate of attendance may not indicate they received a high school diploma on applications for employment, military service, financial aid, admittance to an institution of higher education or any other purpose.

Other District Responsibilities

The district will ensure that all students have onsite access to the appropriate resources and courses to achieve a high school diploma, a modified diploma, an and extended diploma, ~~or an alternative certificate~~ at each high school in the district. The district will provide [age-appropriate and developmentally appropriate] literacy instruction to all students until graduation.

The district may not deny a student ~~the opportunity to pursue a diploma with more stringent requirements than a modified diploma or an extended diploma for the sole reason the student~~ who has the documented history listed under the ~~above~~-modified diploma or extended diploma requirements outlined above the

¹⁹ {The Board shall define criteria for a certificate of attendance. OAR 581-022-2200 (3). See the Oregon Department of Education's [Certificates for School Completion: Questions and Answers Related to the Implementation of SB 992](#).}

²⁰ A student who began grade 9 before July 1, 2020, may be awarded an alternative certificate if the student satisfies the requirements for an alternative certificate which are in effect on the day before July 1, 2024.

²¹ {There is no established definition of "regular full-time attendance. The district should review any existing attendance definitions, consider the needs of students in the district and establish clear criteria. This should include how excused and unexcused absences are counted. A few options are provided.}

["Regular full-time attendance" means not being absent for more than 10 percent of school days that the student is enrolled in a school year. See OAR 581-020-0631 for definition of chronic absenteeism. Excused absences [are considered absences for this purpose] [will not be counted against a student.]]

["Regular full-time attendance" means not having eight or more unexcused absences in any four-week period during which school is in session. See ORS 339.065 for definition of irregular attendance. This will be calculated on an annual basis and equates to having unexcused absences for less than 20 percent of the days or class periods during which school is in session.]

²² "Documented history" means evidence in the cumulative record and education plans of a student that demonstrates the inability over time to maintain grade level achievement even with appropriate modifications and accommodations.

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opportunity to pursue a diploma with more stringent requirements, for the sole reason the student has the document history.

The district may award a modified diploma or an extended diploma to a student only upon the written consent of a student who is an emancipated minor or who has reached the age of 18 (adult student) at the time the modified or extended diploma is awarded, or the student's parent or guardian. The district shall must receive the written consent during the school year in which the modified diploma or the extended diploma is awarded.

A student shall have the opportunity to satisfy the requirements for a modified diploma, an extended diploma or an alternative certificate a certificate of attendance in the later of 4 years after starting the ninth grade 9, or until the student reaches the age of 21 years if the student is entitled to a public education until the age of 21 under state or federal law.

A student may satisfy complete the requirements for a modified diploma, an extended diploma or an alternative certificate a certificate of attendance in less than four years but not less than three years. To satisfy the requirements for a modified diploma, an extended diploma or an alternative certificate a certificate of attendance in less than four 4 years, the student's parent or guardian or a student who is emancipated or has reached the age of 18 must provide written consent which clearly states the parent, guardian or student is waiving the fourth year and/or years until the student reaches the age of 21. A copy of the consent will be forwarded to the district superintendent who will annually report to the Superintendent of Public Instruction the number of such consents.

A student who qualifies to receive or receives a modified diploma, an extended diploma, or an alternative certificate a certificate of attendance shall have the option of participating in a high school graduation ceremony with the student's class.

A student who receives a modified diploma, an extended diploma, or an alternative certificate a certificate of attendance shall have access to instructional hours, hours of transition services and hours of other services that are designed to meet the unique needs of the student and. w When added together, the district will provide a total number of hours of instruction and services to the student that equals at least the total number of instructional hours that are is required to be provided to students who are attending a public high school. The district may not unilaterally decrease the total number of hours of instruction and services to which the student has access regardless of the age of the student.

The district will award to students with disabilities a document certifying successful completion of program requirements. No document issued to students with disabilities educated in full or in part in a special education program shall indicate that the document is issued by such a program. When a student who has an IEP completes high school, the district will give the student an individualized summary of performance.

Eligible students with disabilities are entitled to a free appropriate public education (FAPE) until the age of 21, even if they have earned a modified diploma, an extended diploma, an alternative certificate a certificate of attendance or completion of a General Education Development document. The continuance of services for students with disabilities for a modified diploma, extended diploma or alternative certificate a certificate of attendance is contingent on the IEP team determining the student's continued eligibility and special education services are needed.

Students and their parents will be notified of graduation and diploma requirements.

The district may not deny a diploma to a student who has opted out of statewide assessments if the student is able to satisfy all other requirements for the diploma. Students may opt-out of the ~~Smarter Balanced or alternate Oregon Extended Assessment~~ Oregon statewide assessments in language arts and/or mathematics by completing the Oregon Department of Education’s Opt-out Form²⁴ and submitting the form to the district.

The district will issue a high school diploma ~~pursuant to Oregon law (ORS 332.114)~~ to a veteran if the veteran resides within the boundaries of the district or is an Oregon resident and attended a high school of the district, or to a deceased veteran, upon request from a representative of the veteran, if the deceased veteran resided within the boundaries of the district at the time of death or was an Oregon resident at the time of death and attended a high school of the district.

The act of student-initiated test impropriety is prohibited. A student that participates in an act of student-initiated test impropriety will be subject to discipline. “Student-initiated test impropriety” means student conduct that is inconsistent with the *Test Administration Manual* or accompanying guidance; or results in a score that is invalid.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 329.007](#)
[ORS 329.045](#)
[ORS 329.451](#)
[ORS 329.479](#)
[ORS 332.107](#)
[ORS 332.114](#)
[ORS 336.585](#)
[ORS 336.590](#)
[ORS 339.115](#)
[ORS 339.505](#)
[ORS 343.295](#)

[OAR 581-021-0009](#)
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[OAR 581-022-2000](#)
[OAR 581-022-2005](#)
[OAR 581-022-2010](#)
[OAR 581-022-2015](#)
[OAR 581-022-2020](#)
[OAR 581-022-2025](#)
[OAR 581-022-2030](#)
[OAR 581-022-2115](#)
[OAR 581-022-2120](#)
[OAR 581-022-2505](#)

²⁴ Oregon Department of Education page for: [30-day notice and opt-out form](#)

Test Administration Manual, published by the OREGON DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Certificates for School Completion: Questions and Answers Related to the Implementation of SB 992, published by the OREGON DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

Local Wellness

The district is committed to the optimal development of every student and believes that a positive, safe and health-promoting learning environment is necessary for students to have the opportunity to achieve personal, academic, developmental and social success.

To help ensure students possess the knowledge and skills necessary to make healthy choices for a lifetime, the superintendent shall prepare and implement a comprehensive district nutrition program consistent with state and federal requirements for districts sponsoring the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) and/or the School Breakfast Program (SBP). The program shall reflect the Board's commitment to providing adequate time for instruction that fosters healthy eating through nutrition education and promotion, serving healthy and appealing foods at district schools, developing food-use guidelines for staff and establishing liaisons with nutrition service providers, as appropriate.

POLICY IMPLEMENTATION, MONITORING, ACCOUNTABILITY AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Implementation

The district shall manage and coordinate the implementation of this local wellness policy.

Implementation will consist of, but not be limited to, the following:

1. Delineating roles, responsibilities, actions and timelines specific to each school;
2. Generating and disseminating information about who will be responsible to make what change, by how much, where and when;
3. Establishing standards for all foods and beverages provided (but not sold) to students during the school day on participating school campuses;
4. Establishing standards and nutrition guidelines for all foods and beverages sold to students during the school day on participating school campuses that meet state and federal nutrition standards for NSLP and SBP, competitive foods, permit marketing of same that meets the competitive food nutrition standards, and promotes student health and reduces child obesity; and
5. Establishing specific goals for nutrition promotion and education, physical activity, physical education and other school-based activities that promote student wellness.

The Board designates the principal(s) to be responsible for ensuring each school meets the goals outlined and complies with this policy.

Record Keeping

The district will retain the following records to document compliance with the local wellness policy requirements at the district's administrative offices:

1. The written local wellness policy;
2. Documentation to demonstrate the policy has been made available to the public;
3. Documentation of efforts to review and update the local wellness policy, including an indication of who participates in the update and the methods the district uses to make stakeholders aware of their ability to participate;
4. Documentation to demonstrate compliance with the annual public notification requirements;
5. Documentation of the district's most recent assessment on the implementation of the local wellness policy;
6. Documentation to demonstrate the most recent assessment on the implementation of the local wellness policy has been made available to the public.

Notification of Policy

The district will inform the public about the content and implementation of the local wellness policy and post the policy and any updates to the policy on the district website annually. Included will be, if available, the most recent assessment of the implementation, and a description of the progress being made in attaining the goals of the policy.

The district will publicize the name and contact information of the district or school official(s) leading and coordinating the policy and information on how the public can get involved with the local wellness policy. This information will be published on the district's website and in district communications.

Triennial Progress Assessments

At least once every three years, the district will evaluate the implementation of this policy and its progress with a triennial assessment and produce a progress report that will include:

1. The extent to which schools under the jurisdiction of the district are in compliance with the policy;
2. The extent to which the district's policy compares to model local school wellness policy; and
3. A description of the progress made in attaining the goals of the district's policy.

The district will publish the triennial progress report on the district website when available. The district will update or modify the policy based on results of the triennial assessment.

Community Involvement, Outreach and Communications (Review of, and Updating Policy)

The district will actively communicate ways in which the community can participate in the development, implementation and periodic review and update of the local wellness policy. The district will communicate information about opportunities on the district's website, on school websites, and/or in district or school

communications. The district will ensure that communications are culturally and linguistically appropriate to the community.

Parents, students, representatives of the school food authority, teachers of physical education, school health professionals, the Board, school administrators, and the general public will be solicited to participate in the periodic review and update of the local school wellness policy.

NUTRITION PROMOTION AND NUTRITION EDUCATION

Nutrition promotion and nutrition education positively influence lifelong eating behaviors by using evidence-based strategies and techniques and nutrition messages and by creating food environments that support healthy nutrition choices.

Nutrition promotion and nutrition education shall be a sequential and integrated focus on improving students' eating behaviors, reflect evidence-based strategies and be consistent with state and local district health education standards.

To promote nutrition education in the schools, the principal is responsible for ensuring the following goals are implemented:

1. Students and staff will receive consistent nutrition messages throughout the school environment;
2. Nutrition education is provided throughout the student's school years as part of the district's age-appropriate, comprehensive nutrition program[(which includes the benefits of healthy eating, essential nutrients, nutritional deficiencies, principles of healthy weight management, the use and misuse of dietary supplements, safe food preparation, and handling and storage related to food and eating)], and is aligned and coordinated with the Oregon Health Education Standards and school health education programs;
3. Nutrition education will include culturally relevant, participatory activities that include social learning strategies and activities that are aligned and coordinated with the Oregon Health Education Standards and school health education programs;
4. Teachers will receive curriculum-specific training;
5. Parents and families are encouraged through school communications to send healthy snacks/meals and reusable water bottles with their student to school;
6. Families and community organizations are involved, to the extent practicable, in nutrition education;
7. Nutrition education homework that students can do with their families is assigned (e.g., reading and interpreting food labels, reading nutrition-related newsletters, preparing healthy recipes);
8. Materials on how to assess one's personal eating habits, set goals for improvement and achieve those goals.

Nutrition promotion, including marketing and advertising nutritious foods and beverages to students, will be implemented consistently through a comprehensive and multi-channel approach, (e.g., in the classroom, cafeteria and at home) by staff, teachers, parents, students and the community.

To ensure adequate nutrition promotion, the following goals will be implemented:

1. Information about available meal programs is distributed prior to or at the beginning of the school year and at other times throughout the school year;
2. Information about availability and location of a Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) is distributed;
3. Nutrition promotion materials are sent home with students, published on the district website, and distributed at parent-teacher conferences;

School Meals

Schools within the district participate in U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) child nutrition program(s), administered through the Oregon Department of Education (ODE). Which may include the NSLP, and Summer Food Service Program (SFSP), or others. The district also operates additional nutrition-related programs and activities including Farm-to-School programs.

The district's available meal program(s) will operate to meet meal pattern requirements and dietary specifications in accordance with the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act and applicable federal laws and regulations.

Water

Free, safe, unflavored, drinking water will be available to all students throughout the school day and throughout every school campus. The district will make drinking water available where school meals are served during mealtimes.

Competitive Foods and Beverages

The district controls the sale of all competitive foods. All foods and beverages outside the reimbursable school meal programs that are **sold** to students on the school campus during the school day will meet or exceed Smart Snacks Standards. These standards will apply in all locations and through all services where foods and beverages are sold, which may include, but are not limited to, à la carte options in cafeterias, vending machines, school stores, snack or food carts and fund raising.

Celebrations and Rewards/Incentives

All foods and beverages offered on the school campus are encouraged to meet the nutrition standards set by the USDA and the Oregon Smart Snacks Standards. This includes, but is not limited to, celebrations, parties, and classroom snacks brought by parents. This information will be conveyed to staff and parents.

Fund Raising

Foods and beverages that meet or exceed the nutrition standards set by the USDA and the Oregon Smart Snacks Standards may be sold through fund raisers on the school campus during the school day. Such requests to conduct a fund raiser will be submitted to the principal for approval before starting.

Food and Beverage Marketing in Schools

Any foods and beverages marketed or promoted to students on the school campus during the school day will meet or exceed the nutrition standards for competitive foods set by the USDA.

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

A quality physical education program is an essential component for all students to learn about and participate in physical activity. The district will develop and assess student performance standards and program minute requirements in order to meet ODE's physical education content standards and state law.

Physical activity should be included in the school's daily education program for grades K through 12 and include regular, instructional physical education, as well as co-curricular activities and recess.

In order to ensure students are afforded the opportunity to engage in physical education and physical activity in the school setting, the following goals are established:

1. Physical education will be a course of study that focuses on students' physical literacy and development of motor skills;
2. Staff encourages and provides support for parental involvement in their children's physical education;
3. Physical education courses will be the environment where students learn, practice and are assessed on developmentally appropriate knowledge, skills and confidence to become physically literate;
4. Instruction, provided by adequately prepared teachers, i.e., licensed or endorsed to teach physical education, will meet the state adopted academic content standards for physical education (Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) 329.045). Teachers of physical education shall regularly participate in professional development activities annually;
5. Every public school student in [pre-]kindergarten through grade 8 shall participate in physical education for the entire school year. Students in kindergarten through grade 5 shall participate for a least 150 minutes during each school week, and students in grades 6, 7 through 8 for at least an average of 150 minutes during each school week, as calculated over the duration of a school year;
6. Physical activity will be integrated across curricula and throughout the school day. Movement will be made a part of all classes or courses as part of a well-rounded education;
7. Physical activity during the school day (including, but not limited to, recess, classroom physical activity breaks or physical education) will not be used as a punishment or a reward;
8. At least 50 percent of the weekly physical education class time in grades K through 8 shall be devoted to actual physical activity;
9. Physical activity is a planned part of all school-community events.
10. Materials promoting physical activity are sent home with students and published on the district website.

A student with a disability shall have suitably adapted physical education incorporated as part of their individualized education program (IEP) developed under ORS 343.151. A student who does not have an IEP but has chronic health problems, other disabling conditions or other special needs that preclude them from participating in regular physical education instruction, shall have suitably adapted physical education incorporated as part of their individualized health plan, developed by the district.

Other Activities that Promote Student Wellness

The district will integrate wellness activities throughout the entire school environment (districtwide). The district will coordinate and integrate other initiatives related to physical activity, physical education, nutrition and other wellness components so all efforts are complementary, not duplicated and work toward the same set of goals promoting student well-being, optimal development and strong educational outcomes.

The district will provide the following activities and encourage the following practices which promote local wellness:

1. Nonfood-related fundraisers;
2. Monthly/Weekly school walks;
3. Assemblies which focus on wellness issues such as the importance of breakfast, healthy beverages, and how students and staff can incorporate 60 minutes of physical activity into their day;
4. Use of alternates to food as rewards in the classroom;
5. Integration of social, emotional and mental health supports into school programs (e.g., promote a positive school climate where respect is encouraged and students can seek help from trusted adults);

DEFINITIONS

1. “Competitive food” means all food and beverages other than meals reimbursed under programs authorized by the Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act and the Child Nutrition Act available for sale to students on the school campus during the school day.
2. “Food and beverage marketing” is defined as advertising and other promotion in schools. Food and beverage marketing often includes an oral, written or graphic statement made for the purpose of promoting the sale of a food or beverage product made by the producer, manufacturer, seller or any other entity with a commercial interest in the product.
3. “Oregon Smart Snacks Standards”¹ means the State’s minimum nutrition standards for competitive foods and beverages (ORS 336.423).
4. “School day” means, for the purpose of competitive food standards implementation, the period from the midnight before, to 30 minutes after the end of the official school day, i.e., at the conclusion of afternoon student activities, such as athletic, music or drama practices, clubs, academic support and enrichment activities.
5. “School campus” means, for the purpose of competitive food standards implementation, all areas of property under the jurisdiction of the school that are accessible to students during the school day.

END OF POLICY

¹ Oregon Department of Education, [Oregon Smart Snacks Standards](#)

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 327.531](#)

[ORS 327.537](#)

[ORS 329.496](#)

[ORS 332.107](#)

[ORS 336.423](#)

[OAR 581-051-0100](#)

[OAR 581-051-0305](#)

[OAR 581-051-0306](#)

[OAR 581-051-0310](#)

[OAR 581-051-0400](#)

Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010, 42 U.S.C. §1758b (2018).

National School Lunch Program, 7 C.F.R. Part 210 (2022).

School Breakfast Program, 7 C.F.R. Part 220 (2022).

Fiscal Accounting
(Version 2)

Accounting procedures shall show a detailed and meaningful analysis of both receipts and expenditures. This analysis should be adequate for study and evaluation by the Board and school management, and will serve as a basis to make financial and related educational decisions, to formulate future plans, to safeguard public funds and to ensure adequate financial accountability.

Payment on all district accounts, including the general fund and special accounts, shall operate according to established accounting procedures.

All cash received is to be properly receipted. Money received shall be placed on deposit daily when amounts in custody are in excess of \$2,000. Otherwise deposits shall be made weekly.

The superintendent shall be the lawful custodial officer of all district funds and shall demand receipt for, and safely keep according to law, all bonds, mortgages, notes, moneys, effects, books and papers belonging to the district. Funds may be commingled in the depository so long as they are budgeted and accounted for separately.

From time-to-time, funds may become available to the district prior to the time they are needed to offset current expenditures. The custodial officer shall forward all such receipts to the Local Government Investment Pool or other investment instrument as authorized by the district's investment policies. Funds that are not currently needed for the operation of the district will be invested with the interest from these funds being credited to the same account as that to which the invested funds revert.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 294.305 to -294.565](#)

[OAR 581-023-0035](#)

OR. DEP'T OF EDUC, PROGRAM BUDGET AND ACCOUNTING MANUAL.