

EXTENDED LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES

It is the policy of the Windham School Board to allow extended learning opportunities at the high school level as a means of meeting the diverse instructional needs of students with different talents, interests, and development. The Board's intent is to allow opportunities for extensions beyond those addressed in the regular classroom.

All such opportunities must be aligned with the school's educational goals and objectives. Such opportunities may provide high school credit (under provisions of Policy IMBC) or supplement regular academic courses. Credits can be granted for extended learning activities, including, but not limited to, independent study, private instruction, team sports, performing groups, internships, non-required community service, and work study.

Where credit is not granted, such experiences may be used to fulfill prerequisite requirements for advanced courses. The granting of credit shall be based on a student's demonstration of mastery of core competencies, as approved by a certified District educator designated by the principal.

Credit earned will not be figured into the student's grade point average (GPA).

The Superintendent directs the Principal to establish regulations and procedures for the application, approval, and evaluation of Extended Learning Opportunities in accordance with Alternative Credit Options Policy, IMBC.

Unless otherwise recommended by the Superintendent and approved by the School Board, under ordinary circumstances students or their parents/guardians shall be responsible for all related expenses including tuition, transportation, and textbooks.

Legal References: NH Code of Administrative Rules, Section Ed 306.04(a)(13); Extended Learning Opportunities; NH Code of Administrative Rules; Section Ed 306.26(f); Extended Learning Opportunities – Middle School; NH Code of Administrative Rules; Section Ed 306.27(b)(4); Extended Learning Opportunitie; High School Appendix IHBH-R

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