

Tyrone Area School District

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: ACADEMIC STANDARDS

ADOPTED: FEBRUARY 10, 2015

<p>1. Purpose Title 22 Sec. 4.11, 4.12</p> <p>2. Definition Title 22 Sec. 4.3</p> <p>3. Authority Title 22 Sec. 4.2</p> <p>4. Guidelines Title 22 Sec 4.12 Pol. 105, 107</p> <p>Title 22 Sec. 4.12 Pol. 127, 213</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">102. ACADEMIC STANDARDS</p> <p>The Board recognizes the importance of developing, assessing, and expanding academic standards to challenge students to achieve at their highest level possible. To this end, the district shall establish rigorous academic standards in accordance with, and may expand upon, those adopted by the State Board of Education.</p> <p>The Board shall establish educational goals for the district. Such goals will consider suggestions by representatives of the community, students, district personnel and members of the Board.</p> <p>Academic Standards – shall be defined as what a student should know and be able to do at a specified grade level. For purposes of Board policy, the term academic standards shall be deemed to encompass Pennsylvania Core Standards, state academic standards, and local academic standards.</p> <p>The Board shall approve academic standards for district students to attain, in the following areas:</p> <p>SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - to include reading in science and technology, and writing for science and technology.</p> <p>SOCIAL STUDIES (History, Geography, Civics & Government, Economics) – to include reading in History and Social Studies and writing for History and Social Studies.</p> <p>The district’s curriculum shall be designed to provide students with the planned instruction needed to attain established academic standards.</p> <p>The district shall assess individual student attainment of established academic standards and provide assistance for students having difficulty attaining academic standards.</p> <p>Students with disabilities may attain academic standards by completion of their Individualized Education Programs (IEP) in accordance with law, regulations, and Board policy.</p> <p>REFERENCES:</p> <p>State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec, 4.3, 4.4, 4.11, 4.12 Board Policy – 105, 107, 113, 127, 213</p>
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