

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES OF THE MILWAUKEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURE 7.17

SUMMER ACADEMY

(1) It is the intention of the Milwaukee Board of School Directors to provide the resident students (~~grades K5-12~~K5 through grade 12) of Milwaukee with summer-enrichment, remediation, and accelerated opportunities. Based on the availability of funds, a sSummer-aAcademy program could include one option or a combination of options, such as programs for students who:

- (a) wish to strengthen basic skills such as reading or mathematics ~~in order~~ to bring achievement to a point ~~to~~ of ensured d success in subsequent work;
- (b) have ~~exceptional~~ special education needs;
- (c) wish to continue their bilingual/bicultural multicultural education;
- (d) need to learn English as a second language;
- (e) have failed a grade or a course (U), or almost have failed a course (D), and wish to make up the grade or course by repeating the course, ~~either~~ traditionally, online, or in a blended model;
- (f) wish to continue their GEDO #2 or competency-based program ~~option~~ for a diploma;
- (g) wish to participate in credit acceleration;
- (h) wish to complete or demonstrate proficiency in coursework; or
- (i) wish to participate in enhanced learning opportunities.

(2) All plans for sSummer aAcademy shall be subject to annual approval by the Board. Summer programs are also subject to approval by the State Superintendent of the Department of Public Instruction for reimbursement.

(3) The calendar shall generally provide for 20 days of student attendance at the secondary and elementary levels; additional time for teacher orientation and planning shall also be provided.

(4) The Board shall periodically approve and issue regulations governing student attendance and conduct in sSummer aAcademy if regulations are different from the Code of School/Classroom Conduct.

(5) Students who are absent from credit-bearing classes for ~~five~~ (5) consecutive days anytime during sSummer aAcademy or ~~four~~ (4) days within the first two weeks of sSummer aAcademy without notification from a parent or guardian ~~from credit-bearing classes that use face-to-face instruction~~ will be dropped from sSummer aAcademy.

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