

# Central School District 13J

Code: **IKAD**  
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## Grade Reduction/Credit Denial

Grade reduction or credit denial determinations may include student attendance. Student attendance may not be a sole criterion. If attendance is a factor, prior to a grade reduction or credit denial the following shall occur:

1. The teacher will identify how the attendance and class participation is related to the instructional goals of the subject or course;
2. Parents and student will be informed in writing at the beginning of the school year/course;
3. Due process procedures are available to the student when the grade is reduced or credit denied for attendance rather than academic reasons;
4. Reasons for non-attendance are considered. The grade shall not be reduced or credit denied based upon absences due to:
  - a. Religious reasons;
  - b. A student's disability; or
  - c. An excused absence.

END OF POLICY

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### Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 339.260](#)  
[ORS 339.280](#)