

# Condon School District 25J

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## Early Graduation

Increasingly diverse learning opportunities for high school students now make it possible for some students to complete graduation requirements in less than twelve years. Conversely more than 12 years of school experience may be equally desirable for some students.

Both educational and personal considerations suggest that most students should remain in the public schools through 12 years while completing graduation requirements. Premature transition to post high school experiences may require career skills or academic maturity beyond that which students ordinarily possess at the end of grade 11. Enrichment experiences available within the high school during the senior year and off-campus experiences may complement school course work, fulfill graduation requirements and enhance the student's growth in the areas of vocational choice of community service. Nevertheless, early graduation and in some instances delayed graduation is appropriate and desirable for a limited number of students.

Early graduation is defined to mean the completion of all graduation requirements for graduation in less than four years. The district will award a diploma to a student fulfilling graduation requirement in less than four years upon the student's request and if the student's parent or guardian consents, if required.

Delayed graduation means the completion of all requirements for graduation in more than 12 years. Students who have successfully completed the junior year with fewer than the required credits for graduation and are then accepted at accredited colleges may receive their high school diplomas if, at the completion of the first semester, they are in good scholastic standing at the college.

The superintendent will develop procedures for the implementation of early and delayed graduation progress for district students.

END OF POLICY

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### Legal Reference(s):

<a href="#">ORS 329.447</a>	<a href="#">OAR 581-022-0102(18)</a>
<a href="#">ORS 329.465</a>	<a href="#">OAR 581-022-1130</a>
<a href="#">ORS 339.030</a>	<a href="#">OAR 581-022-1210</a>
<a href="#">ORS 339.115</a>	<a href="#">OAR 581-022-1350</a>
<a href="#">ORS 343.295</a>	

### Cross Reference(s):

IKF - Graduation Requirements