

Procedure for Awarding High School Credit for Middle School Students

In accordance with Board Policy IKHA, the following procedures have been established for awarding high school credit for middle school students.

1. Procedure for identifying district courses offered at the middle school and eligible for high school credit attainment:
 - a. The Superintendent, or designee, will work with content area teachers to identify "common" courses offered across the middle and high school levels.

Courses may be considered "common" if they share the same standards, curriculum and assessments regardless of the grade level.
 - b. Only courses with common assessments and common procedures for delivering and scoring those assessments will be considered.
 - c. The Superintendent will make the final determination on assigning a middle school course for potential high school credit.
 - d. Students will still be required to earn the requisite number of credits in each subject area during their high school years (grades 9-12) as required by the Board in Policy IKF to earn a diploma in the Hood River County School District.
 - e. Credits earned during middle school will be transcribed as elective credit at high school as a P (Pass).

2. Procedure for requesting high school credit for middle school students in eligible courses:
 - a. To be eligible to earn High School credit student must earn an A or B on each Quarter Grade within a given Semester.
 - b. Student completes Middle School Course for High School Credit form.

Due by:

 - (1) Semester 1 -- due within two weeks of the end of the 1st Semester.
 - (2) Semester 2 -- due within two weeks of the end of the 2nd Semester.

3. Middle school students taking high school credit course (s) onsite at the Hood River Valley High School will earn credits in accordance with policy IKHA and this administrative rule.

HRCSD Middle School Course for High School Credit Form

Part I -- STUDENT INFORMATION

Student Name: _____ SSID Number: _____

Current School: _____ Grade Level: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Part II -- COURSE INFORMATION

Please indicate the course the student will take for high school credit during the _____ school year.

Algebra

Geometry

Part III -- CREDIT REGULATIONS (Board Policy IKHA, Administrative Regulation IKHA-AR)

Students taking courses for high school credit must follow the same guidelines as high school students. The grade received in the course will be transcribed on the student's high school transcript as an elective credit as a P (Pass).

Students will still be required to earn the requisite number of credits in each subject area during their high school years (grades 9-12) as required by the Board in policy IKF - Graduation Requirements to earn a diploma in the Hood River County School District.

Procedure for requesting high school credit for middle school students in eligible courses:

1. To be eligible to earn High School credit student must earn an A or B on each Quarter Grade within a given Semester.
2. Student completes Middle School Course for High School Credit form.

Due by:

- a. Semester 1 – due within two weeks of the end of the 1st Semester.
- b. Semester 2 – due within two weeks of the end of the 2nd Semester.

I have read and understand the credit regulations.

Parent Signature

Date

Student Signature

Date