

**Lake Oswego
School District 7J**

Code: **IGBB**
Adopted: 5/16/83
Readopted: 6/08/09
Orig. Code(s): 6620

Talented and Gifted Program

The goal of the district Talented and Gifted Program is to provide services that support opportunities for identified TAG students K-12 to reach their full potential. For TAG students to reach this potential, the Board recognizes that many academically talented and intellectually gifted students need special instructional services.

TAG Program Guiding Beliefs

1. Each TAG student possesses unique abilities and interests to be nurtured.
2. TAG students should have opportunities to interact with other students of similar abilities and interests.
3. The TAG program should consist of a variety of services that may include coordinator consultation, differentiated instruction, curriculum modifications, counseling and guidance support, and opportunities for acceleration.
4. Support services for regular classroom teachers are essential for a quality TAG program.
5. Parents have the right and responsibility to participate in their child's TAG program, both within the school and beyond the school setting.

The Board directs the superintendent or designee to develop a written identification process for identifying academically talented and intellectually gifted students K-12.

A written plan that identifies programs or services needed to address the assessed levels of learning and rate and level of learning of identified students shall be similarly developed.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 343.391](#)
[ORS 343.395](#)
[ORS 343.397](#)

[ORS 343.401](#)
[ORS 343.407](#)
[ORS 343.409](#)
[ORS 343.413](#)

[OAR 581-022-1310 to -1330](#)