

# Myrtle Point School District 41

Code: **IL**  
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## Assessment Program\*\*

The Board supports the use of standardized tests as one indication of the success and quality of the educational program. In the case of individual students, standardized tests, in combination with other criteria, can provide an indication of student achievement.

Therefore, the Board will:

1. Provide for an ongoing standardized testing program which will test each student each year. The program will be subject to regular review and evaluation.;
2. Require careful evaluation of all proposed testing instruments and periodic evaluation of the results.;
3. Provide for the inservice education of teachers and other staff members in the use of standardized tests and interpretation of test results.

The district shall review the educational program in light of the standardized testing and shall initiate curriculum program changes or improvements to achieve desired educational goals.

In keeping with requirements of the State Board of Education, the district will administer tests of basic competencies in the enabling skill areas to students at particular levels periodically.

The basic competencies tested will be those defined by the State Board of Education; however, the testing program and method of deciding whether a pupil has achieved functional literacy in the particular basic competencies will be developed by the professional staff and approved by the Board.

END OF POLICY

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### Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 40.245](#)  
[ORS 326.565](#)  
[ORS 326.575](#)  
[ORS 329.485](#)  
[ORS 336.187](#)  
[ORS 659.870](#)

[OAR 581-021-0030](#)  
[OAR 581-022-0606](#)  
[OAR 581-022-0610](#)  
[OAR 581-022-1140](#)  
[OAR 581-022-1210](#)

[OAR 581-022-1510](#)  
[OAR 581-022-1670](#)

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g (2006); Family Educational Rights and Privacy, 34 C.F.R. Part 99 (2006).

Protection of Pupil Rights, 20 U.S.C. § 1232h (2006); Student Rights in Research, Experimental Programs and Testing, 34 C.F.R. Part 98 (2006).

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. §§ 1400 - 1427 (2006).

No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, 20 U.S.C. §§ 6311-6322 (2006).