

Relations with Home-Schooled Students**

The district recognizes the rights of parents to educate students at home and acknowledges the education service district's role in registering and monitoring test results for students who are being taught at home.

Home-schooled students may participate in interscholastic activities if the following criteria are met:

1. The student can meet the district eligibility requirements except the district or class attendance requirements;
2. The student need not meet class requirements of the voluntary association administering the interscholastic activities;
3. The student can achieve the minimum score on an examination from the list adopted by the State Board of Education. The minimum composite test score that a student must achieve shall place the student at or above the 23rd percentile based on national norms. The examination shall be taken at the end of each school year. (Students may participate while awaiting test results.);
4. The parent shall submit the examination results to the district; or the district may adopt alternative requirements, in consultation with the parent, that a student must meet to participate in interscholastic activities, including, but not limited to, a requirement that a student submit a portfolio of work samples to the district for review to determine whether a student is eligible to participate in interscholastic activities;
5. The student must fulfill the same responsibilities and standards of behavior and performance including related class or practice requirements of other students participating in the interscholastic activity. The student must meet the same standards for acceptance on the team or squad. The student must also comply with all public school requirements during the time of participation.
6. The student must reside in the attendance boundaries of the school for which the student participates.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 326.051	OAR 581-021-0026 to -0029
ORS 329.465	OAR 581-021-0033
ORS 339.030	OAR 581-021-0034
ORS 339.035	OAR 581-021-0071
ORS 339.430	OAR 581-021-0210
ORS 339.460	OAR 581-022-1350