

Santiam Canyon School District 129

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Evaluation of Instructional Programs

The district, cooperatively with local district staff and advisory groups, will regularly seek to determine effectiveness of educational programs. All programs will be subject to systematic review for the purpose of assessing their quality in terms of stated objectives. A system for program revision and improvement will be established.

District administration, with the input of staff, students, parents and the local community, will be responsible for a self-evaluation and development and implementation of a written improvement plan for the district and each school that meets the requirements of applicable Oregon Revised Statutes and Oregon Administrative Rules.

District professional staff will be responsible for documenting and reporting needs for program improvement, staff development, program expansion, reduction or elimination.

Program renewal will be based on an evaluation by professional staff or by an approved consultant.

Advisory committees, consisting of professional educators and/or community members may be used to assist in the program development and evaluation activities, as recommended by the superintendent and approved by the Board.

District administrative staff will determine which program needs have highest priority and the decision, based on documentation, will affect program development or reconstruction.

Curriculum coordinators may be appointed by the superintendent to provide leadership in curriculum development. Normally, these appointments will coincide with the cycle of the school improvement biennial review.

Within budget limitations, the district will provide funds for program revision and improvement.

The superintendent will annually review and report test results and district improvement plan progress to the community. The district's review plan will be revised and updated on a biennial basis, made available for public inspection and submitted to the Oregon Department of Education upon request.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 329.095](#)
[ORS 329.155](#)

[OAR 581-022-0606](#)
[OAR 581-022-1020](#)
[OAR 581-022-1130](#)

[OAR 581-022-1210](#)
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