BOARD POLICY

No. 6146a

6000 INSTRUCTION

6146a Credit Accrual in the Middle School

Course work taken for credit in the middle school should benefit the student by allowing advanced placement in the high school. It should not make a requisite that a higher level ultimately be achieved. Time so used in the middle school should be used to benefit the student through increased flexibility of the high school schedule.

Credit for the successful completion in grade seven or eight of any course, the primary focus of which corresponds directly to the subject matter of a specified course requirement in grades nine to twelve may be accrued.

Credits accrued in the middle school may be used to meet distribution requirements in the high school, freeing the student for increased electives in the high school. The student must accumulate in grades 9 through 12 the minimum number of credits for graduation per Policy 6146.

Legal Reference: Conn. Gen. Stat. 10-221a(e)

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