

## **Policy Code: 3136 Homebound and Hospital Instruction**

The Board recognizes that medical circumstances arise that make it impossible for students to receive the opportunities of the educational program in the regular school environment. To this end, the Board will provide the opportunity for students to receive instruction at home or in a hospital. The superintendent and school principals will ensure that instruction provided at home or at an off campus site is consistent with the goals and objectives of the educational program. Site teachers are expected to provide and grade appropriate assignments while a student is receiving homebound instruction.

The school district will provide homebound instruction to any student who is expected to be confined for four weeks or longer at home for treatment or for a period of convalescence. A medical statement signed by the attending physician must be completed prior to any student receiving homebound instruction.

The school district operates a school at University of North Carolina Hospitals and provides instruction to students of all grade levels receiving services as patients at UNC Hospitals. Appropriate staff at the student's base school will communicate with the UNC Hospital School staff and will request and/or provide as needed academic information concerning the student.

Legal References: [G.S. 115C-47](#)

Cross References: Organization Structure of the District's Schools (Policy 1005), Goals and Objectives of the Educational Program (Policy 3000)

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