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ALTERNATIVE CREDIT OPTIONS

Credit may be earned through alternative methods outside of regular classroom-based instruction offered by the Oyster River Cooperative School district schools. Awarding of credits to be applied toward high school graduation will be determined by the high school principal.

The Board supports nontraditional educational options for all students. Students earning credit via alternative methods will participate in all assessments required by the statewide education improvement and assessment program or nationally or internationally recognized assessment tool.

If a student demonstrates knowledge and abilities on a placement pre-test developed by the school district for a particular course, the student shall not receive credit for the course, but shall be allowed to take a more advanced level of the subject or an elective.

Funding

Unless otherwise recommended by the Superintendent, under ordinary circumstances students or their parents/guardians are responsible for all related expenses including tuition and textbooks. The District may pay the fee for expelled students who are permitted to take courses in alternative settings. If paid by the district and the course is not completed, the student must reimburse the district for the expenses.

Cross Reference:

- IHBH – Extended Learning Opportunities
- IHBI - Alternative Learning Plans
- IMBA – Distance Learning
- IK - Graduation
- IMBD – High School Credit for 7/8 Grade Advanced Coursework

Legal References:

NH Code of Administrative Rules, Section Ed. 306.04(a)(13), Alternative Means of Earning Credit