Policy of the Lancaster Board of Education

Students

DEFINITION OF A "FULL-TIME" STUDENT

Each student must carry a minimum program as follows:

A. High School students (Grades 9-12) - 6 academic subjects (a course that meets 5 days per week plus physical education) or 7 academic subjects as a senior.

B. Middle School students (Grades 5-8)
In Grades 5 & 6 - 7 subjects plus physical education
In Grades 7 & 8 - 6 subjects plus physical education

C. Elementary Students (Grades K-4)
A required full day course of study within the hours listed in the Board Policies relative to the state standards.

Special Items:

A. Students with disabilities may have a modified program if IEP prescribed.

School-Age parents, students at risk and/or GO Program students, students with a 504 plan, homebound students, or students in danger of academic failure may have a modified program if recommended by the counselor and approved by the principal.

B. If a student is involved in a school-sponsored and supervised work experience program, the equivalent credit toward the fulfillment of the minimum program must be identified and approved by the principal.

C. Youth Options students must carry a course load equivalent to 3 or more high school credits.

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