

SUMMER SCHOOL/EXTENDED YEAR

Summer School is a program of instruction offered by the district during the summer months after the close of the regular academic year. The program of instruction is designed for students who need extra time to complete course requirements and/or for students who wish to enroll in new courses/subjects.

Extended Year (“EY”) is a program of instruction offered by the district after the close of the regular academic year that is designed for students who need extra time to complete course objectives/requirements (not Extended School Year “ESY” provided through special education programs).

Summer school and extended year programs will meet all applicable requirements of the regular school program. Students enrolled in these programs will complete all remaining course/subject requirements and objectives before credit for the course or subject is issued. High school students enrolled in a summer program are limited to earning one Carnegie unit of credit during the traditional summer school session, which does not apply to extended year programs and approved virtual courses.

The approval of the principal of the home school must be documented before enrollment of a student from another school within or from outside the district is officially approved.

A student shall be allowed to enroll in a maximum of two courses annually under the extended year program. Seniors seeking to meet graduation requirements may enroll in more than two courses annually under the extended year program.

This policy is not applicable to the extended school year (ESY) provided to students through the special education programs.

The superintendent may promulgate procedures and regulations in accordance with this policy.

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LEGAL REF: Mississippi Public School Accountability Standard 13

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