PROGRAM FOR AT-RISK STUDENTS

The board recognizes some students require additional assistance in order to graduate from the regular education program. The board shall provide a plan to encourage and provide an opportunity for at-risk students to achieve their potential and obtain their high school diploma.

It shall be the responsibility of the superintendent to develop a plan for students at-risk which provides for identifying students, for program evaluation, and for the training of employees.

Alternative Education programming must be publicized to all students of the District and outlined in the District's High School Planning Guide.

It is the responsibility of the Superintendent or designee to develop a plan for at-risk students which will include the following components:

- Strategies for identifying at-risk students;
- Objectives and strategies for providing services to at-risk students;
- In-service training for all school personnel;
- Strategies and activities for involving and working with parents;
- Provisions for monitoring the behavioral, social, and academic improvements of at-risk students;
- Provisions for appropriate counseling services;
- Strategies for coordinating school programs and community-based support services; and
- Maintain integrated education (environments in compliance with federal and state nondiscrimination legislation).

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