

Banks School District 13

Code: JEAA
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Orig. Code(s): JEAA

Attendance - Seniors

The district, consistent with ORS 339.010, requires that a student be in attendance until 18 years of age or until he/she has completed the 12th grade. Freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors will be enrolled in eight classes, one of which, with administrative permission, may be a study hall.

Seniors may petition for an early release or late arrival option. Reasons for granting this option follow: a major family illness or emergency, a skill building job leading to a self-supporting career, a home school plan on file with the NWRES D or enrollment in an accredited program as part of an IEP.

In the spring before the senior year, seniors will be scheduled for eight full periods. If a senior wishes an early dismissal or late arrival, he/she must complete a petition before deadlines established by the head counselor. The counselor will conference with the student and make a recommendation to the administration about the petition. If the student does not meet one of the criteria listed above, the counselor and student will initiate a parent conference that may involve an administrator.

All petitions will require counselor, principal and legal guardian signature.

For a senior to receive a Banks High School diploma, he/she must be enrolled in at least four courses for credit each semester during his/her senior year. Any exceptions will be through a petition for early graduation with the principal before the senior year commences.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 336.010

ORS 339.020

ORS 339.030

ORS 339.065

ORS 339.260

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