

## SUMMER SCHOOLS

### Within the School System:

When funding for such programs is available, the school system will conduct summer sessions for enrichment, remediation, and course credit as a supplement to the instruction offered during the school year.

### Outside the School System:

Students will be given summer school credit only when they have completed a full year's study in the subject matter prior to taking the summer school course in an approved summer school, and upon receipt of a passing grade in an approved summer school.

Additionally:

1. A student may take a summer school course only if his/her failing average is 55 or above.
2. **A student who passes summer school with a grade of 65 or better will receive graduation credit for this course.**
3. **Both the grade of the failed course and summer school course will appear on the transcript; however, the summer school course grade will not become part of the student's grade point average (GPA).**
4. A maximum of two (2) summer school courses per year may be taken during the summer.
5. In September of what potentially will be a student's graduation year, either June or August, having acquired at least 15 Carnegie credits as of said September and having been enrolled at least 3 years as a high school student as of said September, a student shall be allowed to take up to two (2) summer courses to meet graduation standards. Such provisions will be afforded provided this student has completed a full year's study in the course(s) and received a minimum grade of 55 or above.

In all cases, the principal's approval will be necessary.

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