GRANITE FALLS SCHOOL DISTRICT

INSTRUCTION POLICY 6070: GENERAL PROMOTION

The Board recognizes the need for retaining students who have failed to reach certain standards for promotion.

It shall be policy of the elementary schools to recommend school retention either academically or socially. The decision to retain a student will be reached mutually by school and parent(s) after all data has been presented and reviewed. In all cases, documentation, letters, forms and all related information will be retained in the student's file.

It shall be the policy of the middle school to recommend retention for students who will benefit from such action either academically or socially. All pertinent data related to the students' retention will be presented to the parent(s) by the respective authorities mentioned above. In all cases documentation, letters, forms and all related information will be retained in the student's file.

To ensure full development mentally, socially, physically and morally the student should attend high school for eight full semesters.

Credit for a correspondence course may be given if taken from an accredited school approved by the administration.

In order to be chosen Valedictorian or Salutatorian of a graduating class, a student must have spent his last year of attendance at Granite Falls High School.

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