

**Darien Public Schools
Darien, Connecticut**

POLICY

Series 6300

Curriculum Design – Basic and Special Instructional Program

Policy 6370

Summer School

The school system may sponsor a summer program providing opportunities for enrichment and remedial instruction for students in grades one through six and at the secondary level, where appropriate, for expansion of programs and acceleration. Attendance at such a summer program shall be voluntary.

Tuition fees for resident and non-resident pupils shall be charged, subject to Board approval, except as such programs are funded by the federal government or other outside agencies.

The summer school curriculum shall be established in accordance with the needs of students. The administration shall have the right to cancel announced summer courses for which there is insufficient enrollment and to refund fees. Attendance at summer school is a privilege and not a right. Students in attendance shall be expected to comply with the same rules of conduct as are in place during the regular school year. The administration shall have the right to dismiss a student who fails to comply with these rules of conduct with no refund of fees.

Remedial courses offered at elementary levels and make-up and review courses offered at secondary levels may provide opportunities for students to qualify for promotion and/or credit in areas and subjects where previous work has not met established standards. Courses provided for the purpose of permitting secondary school students to expand their programs shall meet the credit/instructional hour requirements for summer courses as established by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges.

Legal Reference:

Connecticut General Statutes, section 10-74a

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