

INSTRUCTION

Granting Credits for Summer School;
7th & 8th Grade Students Taking High School Level Courses; and
Adult Evening /Extended Day Courses

The Brookfield Board of Education recognized that courses offered through summer school and during the adult evening /extended day program go beyond remediation and include enrichment opportunities for students.

Students should have options that will open their schedules, reduce pressures, and allow them to pursue courses beyond the normal school year or the normal school day.

The program of studies should allow interested and motivated students to elect regular course that will encourage them to proceed to higher levels of student or elect course that will broaden their learning beyond the minimum local graduation requirements; or to design a personal program that would enable them to meet the graduation requirements in less than the usual four-year period. Since some courses elected may be prerequisites for more advanced courses, students must, before registration, discuss with a counselor the implications of their choices in relation to the requirements for a Brookfield diploma.

7th & 8th Grade Student Taking High School Level Courses—Regular Academic Year, September – June

Seventh and eighth grade students who earn a grade of “C” or better during the regular academic year for a course offered in the Brookfield High School Program of Studies that carries the same requirements (i.e., approved courses of study, time, final exams and certified teachers, as courses offered in grade 9-12) shall have these courses applied to high school prerequisite course sequence requirements. Such courses shall earn high school graduation credit, satisfy requirements, and be entered on the official high school transcript. Seventh and eighth grade students shall receive appropriate recognition for completion of these courses on their report cards.

9-12 Grade Courses: Summer School and Adult Evening/Extended Day Courses

Credit shall be granted to high school students who earn a grade of “C” or better in courses taken during the summer session or adult evening/extended day courses providing the course meet the same requirements of the regular academic year; i.e., approved courses of study, time, final exams, and certified teachers.

These course credits shall be applied to sequence and diploma requirements.

Partial or pro-rated credit(s) may be granted to 9th through 12th grade students who earn a grade of “C” or better in courses taken during the summer or adult evening/extended day where instructional or laboratory time may be less than that required during the academic year.

These course credits shall be applied to sequence and diploma requirements.

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes
 Sec. 10-221a

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