

Policy 5411 PROMOTION FROM EIGHTH GRADE

The Board of Education will recognize with fitting ceremonies a pupil's completion of the program of studies offered by this district in intermediate school and the pupil's entrance to secondary school.

Successful completion of the program of studies in intermediate school requires achievement of the instructional objectives set for each course of study, demonstration of mastery of the proficiencies established for each course, and a satisfactory attendance record. The parent of a pupil who may be prevented from graduating shall be so and notified in advance following the issuance of the interim report prior to the close of the school year. Every effort shall be made to remediate a pupil's deficiencies before promotion is denied.

The requirements for promotion from intermediate school of an educationally disabled pupil shall be set forth in the pupil's individualized education program. Completion of those specialized requirements shall qualify the pupil for graduation and entry to secondary school.

N.J.S.A. 18A:36-14, 18A:36-15, 18A:36-18; 18A:38-25 et seq.
N.J.A.C. 6:8-7.1

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