A student may be permitted to enroll on a part-time basis pursuant to this policy and applicable curricular practices when enrollment is appropriate for reasons that include but are not limited to the following: the student attends another education institution on a <u>part time-primary</u> basis; is enrolled for a limited number of credit hours needed to graduate; has a modified schedule because of a disability or as part of an individualized education plan; or is a student who resides in the school district but attends a private, denominational, or parochial school or a school that elects not to meet accreditation or approval requirements (referred to herein as an exempt school student or an exempt school, respectively).

<u>Eligibility and Application for Enrollment</u>. The parent or guardian of an exempt school student who is <u>A student may be eligible for part-time enrollment if the student</u>:

- 1. Is of appropriate age to attend school;
- 2. ,-is a resident of the-this school district or a resident of another school district attending a private, denominational, parochial, or exempt school. For residents of another school district, the student is only eligible to part-time enroll if
 - a. This school district is the closest to the student's residence that offers the extracurricular sport or activity they desire to participate in, and their resident school district does not offer that sport or activity, or
 - b. The school building the student would attend if accepted for part-time enrollment is closer than the school building the student attends or would attend at the resident district;
- <u>3.</u> -has not graduated from high school², and
- <u>4.</u> has not received a graduate equivalency diploma.

<u>The parent or guardian</u> must meet all of the district's admission requirements and file an application for enrollment on forms provided by the school district. Enrollment does not carry over from one school year to the next, and the parent or guardian of an exempt school student must apply for enrollment each school year.

Limitations Based on Resources. The <u>part-time</u> enrollment of exempt school students is subject to limitations established by the district for grades, classes, courses, and programs based on the limited resources available to the school district. Full-time students shall be given priority for enrollment in grades, classes, courses, and programs.

Placement of Students. Exempt school students-<u>Students accepted for part-time enrollment</u> shall be placed in courses for which they have adequate preparation and which are determined to be educationally appropriate based on criteria that include, but are not limited to the student's age, achievement test scores, academic record, evaluation by school personnel and any other standards used by the district for the placement of students.

Grades and Academic Honors. Exempt school students <u>Students accepted for part-time</u> <u>enrollment</u> shall receive grades, report cards, and transcripts, but shall not be eligible to graduate, receive a diploma or qualify for class ranking unless they meet all district requirements for such including earning a sufficient number of credit hours and semesters of attendance.

Applicability of School Rules. Exempt school students Students accepted for part-time enrollment are subject to all rules and standards of the board of education and administration as set forth in policy, handbooks or other communications, as well as the rules and directives of the building administration and teaching personnelstaff. They must remain on the school campus during scheduled classes but must leave the school campus when not engaged in a course_or course-related activity, or an extracurricular activity or sport, unless the course or course-activity requires

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their presence or the building principal approves their presence. Students who violate school policies, rules, or directives shall be subject to disciplinary procedures up to and including suspension and expulsion.

Extracurricular Sports and Activities. Students who are enrolled in a private, denominational or parochial school may not participate in extracurricular sports and activities sponsored by the <u>public</u>-school district if they participate in extracurricular sports and activities offered by the <u>at</u> any <u>other public</u>, private, denominational, or parochial school. <u>Any such students who desire to</u> <u>participate in extracurricular sports and activities association</u> in which this school district is a member must be enrolled in 5 credit hours in this school district to participate. Students seeking to participate in extracurricular sports and activities not regulated by such an entity may only participate if they enroll in at least **[insert your number here]** credit hours on a part-time basis.

-Exempt school students may <u>only</u> participate in extracurricular sports and activities if they are enrolled in at least 20 credit hours per semester<u>and enrolled in the number of credit hours at this</u> <u>school district set out below</u>, with at least 5 credit hours of enrollment in the public school district. Exempt school students are not eligible to participate in extracurricular sports and activities sponsored by the school district if they participate in any sport or activity sponsored by the school district if they participate in any sport or activity sponsored by any other public, private, denomination, or parochial school. Any such students who desire to participate in extracurricular sports and activities regulated by an athletics or activities association in which this school district is a member must be enrolled in 5 credit hours in this school district to participate. Students seeking to participate in extracurricular sports and activities not regulated by such an entity may only participate if they enroll in at least [insert your number here] credit hours on a part-time basis.

All part time students permitted to participate in extracurricular sports and activities under this policy must also meet all other eligibility requirements set by the board, administration and coach/sponsor prior to participating and for continued participation in the sport or activity. This includes but is not limited to rules for completing courses; up/down lists for deficient grades and/or incompletes; and all eligibility and other requirements of the Nebraska School Activities Association and any other governing bodies for the activity or sport.

Transportation. Part-time school students are not entitled to transportation or reimbursement for transportation to and from the school for class attendance purposes, unless required by law. Eligible part-time students are entitled to transportation to and from practices and extracurricular events to the same extent as the school district's full-time students, but part-time students must arrange their own transportation and arrive timely to the designated pick-up point for such transportation.

Option Enrollment. Students may not enroll on a part-time basis pursuant to the school's option enrollment program.