## West Salem School District Policy 412.1

## FULL-TIME STUDENTS

Elementary and middle school students in grades kindergarten through eight (8) shall be considered full-time students if they are scheduled to be in attendance at their assigned school during the hours instructional classes are conducted for their grades as determined by the administration and approved by the Board.

Secondary school students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) shall be considered full-time students if they carry at least the minimum number of credits required by the school as determined by the administration and approved by the Board. Every student in grades nine (9) through twelve (1) shall be enrolled in either a regularly scheduled class or study hall, or a school-sponsored and supervised work experience program each hour of the school day.

The following are exceptions to the above and students attending school under these exceptions are considered full-time students because of the nature of the programs and circumstances involved:

- 1. Students who are in the district's school-age parent program.
- Students with exceptional educational needs (EDEN) who are assigned less than a minimum class load based on a multidisciplinary team (mteam) decision and with parent/guardian approval.
- 3. Students who are enrolled in a work experience program.
- 4. Students who are receiving homebound instruction with parent/guardian approval and the approval of a licensed physician.
- 5. Students who request and are granted program modifications in accordance with state law and Board policy.
- 6. Students who return to high school for a ninth or tenth semester in order to complete graduation requirements.
- Students with other exceptional needs and assigned a program which the administration determines with parent/guardian approval to be beneficial to the educational progress of students.

LEGAL REF.:	Section 121.004(7) Wisconsin Statutes
CROSS REF.:	321, School Calendar 322, School Day
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