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**AMEND BOARD REPORT 04-0728-P05  
POLICY FOR AWARDING HIGH SCHOOL CREDIT AND PLACEMENT**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING:

2. If the course is to be offered for high school credit, the teacher must hold a current high school certificate (Type 9) endorsed in Algebra. If the course is offered for placement only, the teacher must meet the following requirements:
  - a. hold a Type 3 teaching certificate with a middle-grade mathematics endorsement; and
  - b. complete a one-year series of university courses approved by the Office of Mathematics for preparing Algebra teachers or obtain a waiver of this requirement from the Office of Mathematics and Science; and

n The qualifying course is offered at one of the following sites:

- CPS Academic Center

CPS Regional Office Center

- Regular CPS elementary school campus; or

the qualifying course is taken through the Illinois Virtual High School

**III. PLACEMENT IN ADVANCED HIGH SCHOOL LEVEL COURSES**

Elementary school students who are enrolled in qualifying high school level courses may obtain placement in advanced high school courses.


**A. Offering Students Placement In Advanced High School Level Core Courses, Except Mathematics Courses**

To obtain placement in any advanced high school courses, except in a high school level mathematics course, a student will be required to take a placement examination in the subject area for which they are seeking such placement before entering their receiving

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