

OLD FORGE SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL
EDUCATION

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115. VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL EDUCATION	
<p>1. Purpose SC 1806, 1807 Title 22 Sec. 4.31, 12.41, 339.2</p>	<p>The Board shall provide a program of vocational technical education in order to:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Prepare students for gainful employment as skilled workers or technicians in recognized, new and emerging occupations. 2. Prepare students for enrollment in postsecondary education programs. 3. Assist students in choosing meaningful career pathways.
<p>2. Definition SC 1801 Title 22 Sec. 4.31</p>	<p>For purposes of this policy, vocational technical education shall be defined as a series of planned academic and vocational technical education courses articulated with one another to teach the knowledge and skills necessary to prepare students to effectively pursue recognized profitable employment.</p>
<p>3. Authority</p> <p>SC 1806 Title 22 Sec. 4.31, 339.2</p> <p>SC 1809</p> <p>Title 22 Sec. 11.28</p>	<p>The Board shall support a program of vocational technical education which may include:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Vocational technical courses of study interwoven and articulated throughout the curriculum of the school. 2. Enrollment of students in a program of vocational technical education outside this district, provided that such program is not offered in this district and enrollment has been approved by the parent/guardian of the student. 3. A recognized school-to-work program experience in private employment. 4. A work-study program for the employment of qualified students in public agencies and institutions.

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<p>SC 1801 Title 22 Sec. 4.31, 11.28, 339.29</p> <p>SC 1807, 1841 Title 22 Sec. 4.31, 339.2</p>	<p>5. A cooperative education program to offer students experience in private employment.</p> <p>6. Attendance at the Wilkes-Barre Area Career and Technical Center and participation in a cooperative program of career development.</p> <p>All students participating in vocational technical programs supervised by this Board or in vocational technical programs sponsored by this Board are considered to be regularly enrolled in district schools and are subject to the policies and rules of the Board, and jointly established policies and rules of this district and the Wilkes-Barre Area Career and Technical Center.</p> <p>References:</p> <p>School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 1106, 1212, 1801, 1806, 1807, 1808, 1809, 1841, 1842, 1847, 1850.1</p> <p>State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 4.13, 4.31, 4.33, 4.34, 4.35, 11.28, 12.41, 339.2, 339.13, 339.14, 339.21, 339.22, 339.29, 339.41</p> <p>Board Policy – 100</p>
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