

2320 DIRECTED LEARNING

Directed Learning is a program option that allows students to continue working toward earning graduation credits on an individual basis. Directed Learning takes place off school grounds. Students do not report to the school on Directed Learning days. As an alternative, the students report to a location(s) in the community to: complete research, make observations, compose writing assignments, or compile reports, information and data. The students are marked present on Directed Learning days. Students earn credit toward the Privilege Level System on Directed Learning days.

A staff member develops a performance contract called "The Directed Learning Project Record" before the start of the program. On the back of this form, the staff list which Standard and Indicators will be addressed by the activity. The parents and staff member sign the form before the start of the activity. The Principal is the last to sign the form. At the end of the contract period, the student will turn in all schoolwork to the teacher. The teacher will then mark the Directed Learning Record sheet and turn it over to the Secretary. The Secretary will mark the student absent if the student did not complete the schoolwork.