

TERRELL COUNTY BOARD POLICY
Summer School Programs

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The Board of Education recognizes that a summer school session offers opportunities for extended educational experiences allowing students to take advantage of remedial instruction supplementing regular school term learning; and, to take advantage of special interest areas of study which extend the school term for interested students.

A Summer School Program may consist of the following components:

- 1) A district wide summer program at the secondary level, grades 9 through 12, which may include a summer remedial program for eligible students who have failed any section(s) of the state required testing and may include academic subject area remedial programs. The emphasis of the program is for students who are not on track for graduation. (GHSA mandates a maximum of two (2) Carnegie Units may be earned during summer school for eligibility purposes). To earn Carnegie unit credit, students must meet the clock hour requirements as established by State Standards and SACS Standards.
- 2) The Terrell County Board of Education shall provide for other summer programs for grades PreK-12 as required by state rules and requirements.
 - a. A Summer Opportunity Program for grades 4 – 8 as authorized by the State Board of Education.
 - b. A summer Opportunity Program for grades K – 3 as authorized by the Local Board of Education.

The summer programs shall be structured and of such quality that successful participation may be used as a basis for promotion in grades 3 through 8.