BOARD OF EDUCATION RUTHERFORD

INSTRUCTION 6152

INDEPENDENT STUDY

The Board of Education recognizes that a course of independent study for a properly qualified pupil may help that pupil develop judgment and self-reliance; draw upon community resources as well as school resources for his educational program; include a greater variety of learning experiences within educational programs; identify and explore an area of particular interest; and set personal learning goals and work, with appropriate staff guidance, toward achieving them.

The Board shall approve each course of independent study and designate the number of credits toward graduation to be awarded upon successful completion of each such course.

On-line, distance learning and correspondence courses are not accepted for credit as a new course or as a course taken for one previously failed.

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