



# Guidance Program

It is the intention of the City Schools of Decatur to ensure that students are encouraged to participate in coursework appropriate to their interests and abilities. The following rules are intended to move the district toward that goal. Full implementation of this administrative regulation shall commence July 1, 2018.

Where students are provided choices in coursework, as is commonly available in a high school environment, for instance, the school shall ensure that students are encouraged to select courses appropriate to their interests and abilities. In doing so, enrollment in any particular course should closely resemble the demographics of the population from which those students are drawn. To ensure there are not barriers--real or perceived--to such participation in the curriculum, the Executive Director of Student Support shall develop processes and procedures--and associated training, as needed--to achieve this objective. Additionally, he/she shall examine and report out annually, prior to course enrollments for the following school year, as to the status of this objective.

Questions about this regulation should be directed to the Executive Director of Student Support.

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*Related Board Policy: IG*