

**LUZERNE  
INTERMEDIATE  
UNIT #18**

**SECTION: PROGRAMS  
TITLE: CURRICULUM  
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105. CURRICULUM	
<p>1. Purpose Title 22 Sec. 4.4 Pol. 100.1</p>	<p>The Board recognizes its responsibility for the development, assessment and improvement of the educational programs provided by the Intermediate Unit. To this end, the curriculum shall be evaluated, developed and modified on a continuing basis.</p>
<p>2. Definition Title 22 Sec. 4.3, 4.12 Pol. 102</p>	<p>For purposes of this policy, curriculum shall be defined as a series of planned instruction aligned with established academic standards in each subject that is coordinated, articulated and implemented in a manner designed to result in the achievement of academic standards at the proficient level by all students.</p>
<p>3. Authority Title 22 Sec. 4.4, 4.12 Pol. 102</p>	<p>The Board shall be responsible for the curriculum used in Intermediate Unit programs. The curriculum shall be designed to provide students the opportunity to achieve the academic standards established for the specific programs and Individualized Education Programs (IEPs). Attaining the academic standards requires students to demonstrate the acquisition and application of knowledge.</p>
<p>Title 22 Sec. 4.4, 4.12 Pol. 100.1</p>	<p>Curriculum developed for Intermediate Unit programs shall include the requirements for courses to be taught; subjects to be taught in the English language; courses adapted to the age, development and needs of students; and a remediation plan/Individualized Education Program (IEP) for students who demonstrate a lack of progress.</p>
<p>Title 22 Sec. 4.28</p>	<p>Students with disabilities shall be provided an educational program that enables them to be involved and progress in the general curriculum.</p>

<p>4. <i>Delegation of Responsibility</i> Title 22 Sec. 4.4 Pol. 100.1</p> <p>Title 22 Sec. 4.4 <b>Pol. 105.1</b></p>	<p><i>The Executive Director or designee shall establish procedures for curriculum development, evaluation and modification, which ensure the utilization of available resources, and effective participation of administrators and teaching staff members.</i></p> <p><i>A listing of all curriculum materials shall be made available for the information of parents/guardians, students, staff and Board members.</i></p> <p><i>References:</i></p> <p><i>State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 4.3, 4.4, 4.12, 4.21, 4.22, 4.23, 4.25, 4.26, 4.28, 4.29, 4.82</i></p> <p><i>Board Policy – 100.1, 102, 105.1</i></p>
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