

POLICY 4070

Early Graduation

- A. All students awarded a high school diploma from Box Elder School District schools must complete all requirements listed in [Policy 4060 High School Graduation Requirements](#).
- B. Any student who has completed all required courses or demonstrated mastery of required skills and competencies may, with the approval of the student's parent and an authorized local school official, and has a current plan for college and career readiness on file at the student's high school, graduate at any time.

[Utah Code § 53F-2-501\(1\) \(2018\)](#)

Utah Admin. Rules R277-703-4(2) (October 10, 2017)

- C. The school counselor will set up a "Plan for College and Career Readiness" (PCCR) meeting involving the parent, student, counselor, and other school staff as appropriate. During this PCCR meeting the student's post high school goal will be reviewed to determine whether early graduation is appropriate. If early graduation is appropriate to the goal, the PCCR participants will plan a schedule leading to graduation at the conclusion of the 10th grade or as early as possible thereafter.
- D. Early graduation credit in Box Elder School District may be earned through the following:
1. Regular High School Courses
 2. Concurrent Enrollment Courses
 3. Advanced Placement Courses
 4. Area Applied Technology Centers
 5. Accredited Online Courses
 6. Accredited Summer School Courses
 7. Competency Demonstration from accredited institution
 8. Vocational Incentive Program Courses
 9. College courses offered by fully accredited institutions

*Note: Competency Demonstration requires a satisfactory GPA in all related and prerequisite classes to the class(es) being challenged. Competency demonstration credit will be offered in courses which have an approved course end test. In order to receive competency demonstration credit, the student must pass the test to the satisfaction of the institution or teacher.