

# REEDSPORT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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REGULATION: ADMISSION OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENTS CODE: JECBA-AR

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## I. Pre-requisites

- A. State department guidelines stipulate that a group sponsored student must obtain school approval and family placement before leaving their home country.
- B. A group-sponsored student must obtain a "J" visa from the U.S. Department of Immigration and Naturalization Service, which they must show upon registration.
- C. A student coming through a private exchange program must obtain an "F-1" visa and prior approval required by the Immigration and Naturalization Service.
- D. The student or sponsoring organization will provide all dues and fees.

## II. Program Guidelines

- A. Reedsport High School may accept a maximum of four full-year students from foreign countries.
- B. Candidates will be selected from foreign exchange programs at the discretion of the building administrator.
- C. In addition, up to two students may be accepted at any one time from short-term programs at the discretion of the building administrator.
- D. All potential organizations or individuals will obtain approval from the high school administrator by July 1 for the coming school year. Applications may not be accepted after July 1.
- E. The high school administration reserves the right to terminate attendance if the student does not comply with the Reedsport High School academic/behavioral standards that apply to that student.
- F. A foreign student will receive an honorary Reedsport High School diploma, unless their prescribed course of study includes completion of requirements for a standard diploma. Counselors will review an appropriate course of study and will give a written recommendation to the student. The recommendation will specify either an honorary or standard diploma. All full-year students may participate in graduation ceremonies regardless of diploma received.

END OF REGULATION

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