

Title: CREDIT TO PRE-HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS  
TAKING HIGH SCHOOL COURSES

Policy: FBK

NEW SHOREHAM SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BLOCK ISLAND SCHOOL

The New Shoreham School Committee, in an effort to provide a differentiated learning experience to pre-high school students who demonstrate a particular talent, has enacted the following policy:

Any pre-high school student who enrolls in a high school level course is eligible to receive high school credit for that course provided the student maintains a GPA of at least 80 in that course.

Any pre-high school student who does not maintain a GPA of at least 80 in that course may retake the high school course for credit when that course is available and the student's schedule permits it.

Pre-high school students must meet the following criteria to be eligible for enrollment in high school level courses:

1. Must be recommended by the current and proposed subject area teacher.
2. Must have an A- average in the proposed subject area of advancement and/or demonstrated aptitude. Additional testing by subject area teacher(s) may be a criteria for eligibility.
3. Must have approval of parent/guardian and counselor, and must secure their signatures for program approval.

**NOTE:** Every effort will be made to minimize the number of schedule conflicts that may result from an accelerated program of study.