

**MONTGOMERY
COUNTY
INTERMEDIATE
UNIT #23**

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: CURRICULUM REVIEW BY
PARENTS/GUARDIANS AND
STUDENTS

ADOPTED: OCTOBER 28, 2009

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<p>1. Authority Title 22 Sec. 4.4 20 U.S.C. Sec. 1232h</p> <p>2. Guidelines 20 U.S.C. Sec. 1232h</p>	<p>105.1 CURRICULUM REVIEW BY PARENTS/GUARDIANS AND STUDENTS</p> <p>The Board adopts this policy to ensure that parents/guardians have an opportunity to review instructional materials and have access to information about the curriculum, including academic standards to be achieved, instructional materials and assessment techniques.</p> <p>When the student is included in the specific instruction of a member school district, the policy of the school district shall be followed.</p> <p>The rights granted by this policy are granted to parents/guardians of students enrolled in Intermediate Unit programs where the students are under the age of eighteen (18) and to the students themselves when the student is age eighteen (18) or over, unless the student is incapable of making the decision due to a disability.</p> <p>Upon request by a parent/guardian or student, the Intermediate Unit will make available existing information about the curriculum, including academic standards to be achieved, instructional materials and assessment techniques.</p> <p>The following conditions shall apply to any request:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No more than one (1) request per semester may be made by any parent/guardian or student for each enrolled child. 2. To assist the Intermediate Unit in providing the correct records to meet the needs of the requesting party, the request must be in writing, setting forth the specific material being sought for review. 3. The written request will be sent to the building administrator or program supervisor. 4. The Intermediate Unit will respond to the parent/guardian or student within ten (10) school days by designating the time and location for the review. 5. The Intermediate Unit may take necessary action to protect its materials from loss, damage or alteration and to ensure the integrity of the files, including the provision of a designated employee to monitor the review of the materials.
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<p>3. Delegation of Responsibility</p>	<p>6. No parent/guardian or student shall be permitted to remove the material provided for review or photocopy the contents of such file. The taking of notes by parents/guardians and students is permitted.</p> <p>The Executive Director or designee shall annually notify parents/guardians and students regarding the contents of this policy and their rights.</p> <p>References:</p> <p>State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 4.4, 403.1</p> <p>Protection of Pupil Rights – 20 U.S.C. Sec. 1232h</p> <p>Board Policy – 102, 127</p>
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