

**BOARD OF TRUSTEES
CARSON CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**POLICY No. 206
PROGRAM**

GUIDANCE COUNSELING

The Board of Trustees requires that a planned program of guidance counseling be an integral part of the educational program of students. Such a program can:

1. Enable students to experience the greatest benefit from the offerings of the academic and career development programs of the schools;
2. Aid students in identifying options and making choices in personal, social/emotional, career and academic educational planning; and
3. Develop and maintain an Individualized Academic Plan (IAP) for each student that highlights the student's school pathway toward one of the five postsecondary options: Military, Professional Internship, Technical/Trade School, Community College or University.
4. Track students' personal and academic success toward reaching the goals specified in the students' IAP.
5. Coordinate and facilitate family engagement opportunities to assist students and their families in fully understanding the academic and career opportunities available to students.
6. Link families with information to various community recourses.

A program of guidance and counseling shall be offered to all students in grades 6 through 12 and shall be limited to the services of a professional staff of fully certified guidance personnel.

Reference: NRS 49.290

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