

Policy

ADULT/COMMUNITY EDUCATION

The Jersey City Board of Education will establish and maintain a program of adult education and may utilize any of its school facilities for accomplishing the legitimate educational purposes of serving the vocational, avocational, cultural, and aesthetic interests of the community.

The board will also maintain a program of instruction in English language and in government and laws for the benefit of foreign-born residents of the district.

In order to support a program of adult education and education for the foreign born, the board may employ staff, use school facilities as required, and provide necessary custodial services. All professional staff members so employed shall possess valid New Jersey teaching certificates.

The superintendent is directed to seek out and utilize such federal, state, and private sources of revenue as may be appropriate for the financial support of the adult education program.

Adult High School

The board will establish an adult evening high school for district residents 18 years of age or over. The board shall adopt graduation requirements equivalent to those of the day school that shall include passing statewide assessment tests. English language learner (ELL) students may satisfy a special review assessment in lieu of passing the HSPA. All courses shall be adopted by the board and shall include standards of proficiency.

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Key Words

Adult Education, Community Education

See Regulation Manual:

AR-1 Admission to Adult High School

<u>Legal References:</u>	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:7C-8	Adult high school programs; diplomas
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:7F-47	Total stabilization aid per district, limit on increase
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:7F-58	Adjustment aid; educational adequacy aid
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:48-1 <u>et seq.</u>	Public Evening Schools
	<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:50-1 <u>et seq.</u>	Adult Education
	<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6:30-1.1 <u>et seq.</u>	Adult Education Programs
	<u>See particularly:</u>	
	<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6:30-2.1, -3.3, -3.6, -3.7, -3.8	
	<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:8-1.1 <u>et seq.</u>	Standards and Assessment
	<u>See particularly:</u>	
	<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:8-5.1(a)5 and 6	

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N.J.A.C. 6A:30-1.1 et seq. Evaluation of the Performance of School Districts

Possible

<u>Cross References:</u>	3240	Tuition income
	*3250	Income from fees, fines, charges
	*4112.2	Certification
	4141	Salary guides
	*5111	Admission
	*5124	Reporting to parents/guardians
	*5127	Commencement activities
	*5131	Conduct/discipline
	*6142	Subject fields
	6174	Summer school

*Indicates policy is included in the Critical Policy Reference Manual.