PROMOTION AND RETENTION OF STUDENTS

Promotion and retention of elementary students enrolled in Sweetwater County School District Number One programs shall be based on the consideration of a variety of factors. These factors shall include:

- 1. Satisfactory completion of state standards, in accordance with Wyo. Stat. § 21-9-101, and district essential learnings (district curriculum).
- 2. Physical and social/emotional implications.
- 3. Teacher's observation.
- 4. Objective test results and other district Comprehensive Assessment Plan measures.
- 5. Daily accomplishments.
- 6. School Attendance, as defined by Wyo. Stat. § 21-4-102(a), is required of all children who are age seven and have not yet attained their sixteenth birthday or completed the tenth grade.
- 7. Accommodations made in classroom including Section 504 Plans Achievement Monitoring Process (AMP) referrals, and special services needs.
- 8. Other factors which may be determined relevant to the individual consideration for each student.

Recommendations for consideration to promote or retain a student should be initiated by the certified staff member or parent. If a recommendation to retain is to be considered, Policy IKE-R shall be followed.

The school authorities, in their sole discretion in the best interests of the student, shall make the final decision regarding promotion or retention of the student.

Any agreement regarding the student's promotion or retention shall be in writing and signed by the parents, teacher(s) and building administrator.

Promotion or retention shall be recorded on the child's report card at the end of the final grading period.

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