

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 719
PRIOR LAKE - SAVAGE AREA SCHOOLS

621.1 "WEIGHTED" GRADING SYSTEM

I. PURPOSE

In selecting elective courses which have multiple levels of difficulty, capable students should be encouraged to select the most appropriate level. Weighting of course credit in more difficult levels would provide an extra incentive to reward students for challenging themselves.

II. DEFINITION

Weighted courses are identified in the high school course registration guide.

III. GENERAL STATEMENT OF POLICY

Courses designated as "weighted courses" will have grade point value increased by a factor of 1.10 above that of non-weighted courses.

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