INDEPENDENT STUDY

Independent study may be used as an alternative to the regular classroom program of instruction, thereby providing an opportunity to meet the educational objectives of all students. The intent of such study is to offer the opportunity to research areas of interest, which presently are not being offered or are not a part of the participating student's regularly scheduled courses.

The curriculum of independent study programs is part of the division's instructional program and is governed by the *Independent Study Handbook*. A student must have a GPA of at least a 3.0, but a 3.5 GPA is preferred.

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