

RMIS SCHOOL COUNCIL POLICY

Russell Independent Schools

Russell-McDowell Intermediate School

<p>COUNCIL POLICY TYPE (Check One)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> By-Laws (Council Operational Policies)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Function (School Operational Policies)</p>	<p>POLICY NUMBER</p> <p><u>10.03</u></p>
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POLICY TOPIC DESCRIPTION
Acceleration Policy for Students

POLICY STATEMENT

<p>The decision to accelerate students at RMIS will be made by representatives from classroom teachers, administrators, counselors, special education teachers and other appropriate personnel who follow district policies and procedures to formally identify and determine level and type of service options. Cases will be considered on an individual basis and then based on the individual needs of that student.</p> <p>The following criteria will be considered:</p>	
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Student work samples showing evidence of mastery of common core standards, core content and program of studies. 2. STAR assessment as appropriate 3. Anecdotal records from teacher/s 4. Test for specific subject(s) that would indicate 85% mastery or above on current grade level curriculum in subject area being considered for acceleration 5. Parent input and Student input when appropriate 6. Teacher input-Current and Past 7. Nationally-normed test scores of 96%-ile in the appropriate test area. (MAP) 8. Comprehensive end-of-year test in the appropriate area. 	
<p>Date Adopted: 11-6-00</p>	<p>Signature _____</p> <p>Council Chairperson</p>
<p>Revised: 1/12/2017 Reviewed: Annually</p>	