

**RYE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
**RYE, NEW YORK**

**4230**

**CURRICULUM ADOPTION**

The Rye City School District aspires to provide a positive and inspirational learning environment for all students. In designing curriculum, the District seeks to balance standards, depth of study, critical thinking and creativity.

The Board of Education shall authorize the curriculum and the general course of study to be provided in the schools.

The Superintendent of Schools and professional staff shall have the responsibility for developing and/or revising a K-12 course of studies that is in alignment with New York State standards and recommending it to the Board for adoption.

The Board shall use a variety of criteria to evaluate the acceptability of new or revised curricula proposals including, but not limited to: relevance to the educational goals of the District, specificity of the course objectives; approach; research and evidence of viability; completion of a curriculum guide; adoption of textbooks; costs of implementation and a plan for periodic evaluation.

The Superintendent shall oversee the development and implementation of a K-12 curriculum review cycle for the District.

*Reference: 4230-R for reference to Rye City School District Curriculum Council.*

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