

BOARD POLICY

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## Instruction

## **Integrated Academic and Vocational Instruction**

Strategies for integrating academic and vocational instruction may include, but shall not be limited to:

- 1. Making academic courses more relevant to real life and workplace situations.
- 2. Incorporating more academic skills into vocational courses.
- (cf. 6178 Vocational Education)
- 3. Using both academic skills into vocational courses.
- 4. Giving teachers opportunities to collaborate in aligning the content of their courses so as to demonstrate the relationship between various disciplines.
- 5. Establishing sequences of courses related to various career paths.
- 6. Creating schools within a school, magnet schools and/or career high schools.
- 7. Developing career clusters and career majors that include a planned program of job training and work experiences.
- 8. Establishing apprenticeships under the direction of a master craftsperson.
- 9. Establishing effective linkages between elementary, secondary and postsecondary education.