

BOARD OF REGENTS
BRIEFING PAPER
HANDBOOK REVISION: MILLENNIUM SCHOLARSHIP CORE CURRICULUM

BACKGROUND & POLICY CONTEXT OF ISSUE:

During the November 30 – December 1, 2006, meeting of the Board of Regents, members approved a proposal to change the effective date of the Millennium Scholarship core curriculum from 2010 to 2009. At that time the year was changed in only subsection 19.14 of the policy and needs to be changed in subsection 19.1 to bring the policy into alignment.

SPECIFIC ACTIONS BEING RECOMMENDED OR REQUESTED:

Amend Board policy, *Title 4, Chapter 18, Section 19*, to bring into alignment the effective date of the Millennium Scholarship core curriculum so that “2009” appears in both applicable sections.

IMPETUS (WHY NOW?):

This technical error was just discovered and needs to be corrected.

BULLET POINTS TO SUPPORT REQUEST/RECOMMENDATION:

- ◆ The correct effective date is 2009.

POTENTIAL ARGUMENTS AGAINST THE REQUEST/RECOMMENDATION:

None

ALTERNATIVE(S) TO WHAT IS BEING REQUESTED/RECOMMENDED:

None

COMPLIANCE WITH BOARD POLICY:

- Consistent With Current Board Policy: Title #_____ Chapter #_____ Section #_____
- Amends Current Board Policy: *Title 4, Chapter 18, Section 19*
- Amends Current Procedures & Guidelines Manual: Chapter #_____ Section #_____
- Other: _____
- Fiscal Impact: Yes_____ No__**X**__
Explain: _____

POLICY PROPOSAL
TITLE 4, CHAPTER 18, SECTION 19
Millennium Scholarship Core Curriculum

Additions appear in *boldface italics*; deletions are [~~stricken~~ and bracketed]

19.1 Eligibility requirements for Nevada high school graduates.

19.1.4 A student who graduated from high school in Spring [~~2010~~] ***2009*** and thereafter must successfully complete the core curriculum defined in Section 19.14 to gain eligibility.

For Reference Only (No changes are being proposed)

19.14 Core Curriculum Requirements

19.14.1 The Board recognizes the importance of a rigorous high school curriculum in adequately preparing students to succeed in college-level courses. Therefore, a student who graduates from a Nevada high school in Spring 2009 and thereafter must successfully complete the following curriculum in high school to be eligible for the Millennium Scholarship:

High School Course	Units
English	4
Math (including Algebra II)	4
Natural Science	3
Social Science and History	3
TOTAL	14