

Policy Type: Academic Policy

Title: Drop Out Prevention Policy

Effective: May 20th, 2026

Purpose

The purpose of this Drop Out Prevention Policy is to establish general expectations, responsibilities, and procedures for Custom Class Charter School (“Custom Class”) in a manner consistent with applicable law, Utah State Board of Education rule, and the school’s flexible instructional model.

1. General Policy Statement

Custom Class adopts this policy to support lawful, safe, effective, and mission-aligned school operations. The Governing Board authorizes school administration to implement this policy through procedures, forms, training, and operational practices that are appropriate for Custom Class’s online, hybrid, community-based, and in-person programs.

This policy is intended to be applied flexibly and reasonably. When operational details are not specifically stated in this policy, school administration may establish procedures consistent with the policy, applicable law, and Board direction.

2. Prevention and Intervention

For students in grades 9-12, Custom Class shall maintain dropout prevention procedures designed to identify students at risk of disengagement and provide reasonable supports. Supports may include advisor outreach, parent conferences, credit review, flexible pacing, mentoring, graduation planning, course recovery, work-based learning, or referral to community resources.

3. Monitoring

School administration may monitor attendance, engagement, progress, credit completion, assessment participation, and family communication to identify students who may need additional support. Interventions shall be documented as appropriate.

Administration and Review

School administration may maintain procedures, forms, training materials, agreements, and internal guidance necessary to implement this policy. The Governing Board may review and revise this policy periodically to reflect legal updates, USBE guidance, operational needs, or Board direction.

Nothing in this policy creates a private right of action, contract right, or entitlement beyond that required by applicable law. If any provision conflicts with controlling law, the law shall govern and the remaining provisions shall continue in effect.

Certification

The undersigned officers and/or Board of Directors of Custom Class Charter School certify that this policy was duly adopted as of the date below.

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Matthew J. Middione - Board Chair

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Douglas Reed". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Douglas Reed - Board Vice Chair

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References

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