

**MAINE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE DISTRICT #53  
Burnham – Detroit – Pittsfield**

**Learning Results**

The MSAD #53 School Board believes that all students should be provided with equitable opportunities to access the content standards of the system of learning results and hereby adopts the system of Learning Results and the Maine Department of Education's applicable rules. The Learning Results system is intended to serve as a foundation for education reform and to promote and provide assessment of student learning, accountability and equity. The Board recognizes that the legislative intent of the Learning Results system is to provide children with schools that reflect high expectations and create conditions where these expectations can be met.

The Board understands that implementation of the Learning Results system and the mandate to provide all students with equitable opportunities to meet the content standards of the system have broad implications for the school unit, including curriculum, budget, professional development, student assessment, professional evaluation, and graduation requirements. Therefore, the Board is committed to examining its policies to ensure that they are consistent with the intent and goals of the Learning Results system. This will require a concerted and coordinated effort involving the Board, the Superintendent, administrators, teachers, parents, students, and the community.

The Board further directs the Superintendent to update the Board at regular monthly meetings on progress and implementation of the Learning Results.

Legal References: 20-A MRSA §§ 6208-6209  
L.D. 1536, Chapter 51 Resolves  
Chapter 131 (Maine Dept. of Ed. Rules)

Policy References: 8.01 Adult and Community Education Program  
8.02 Tutoring  
8.08 Evaluation of Instructional Programs  
8.09 Curriculum Development and Adoption  
9.24 Homework

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