

## **704 KAR 3:303. Required academic standards.**

RELATES TO: KRS 156.070, 156.160, 158.6451, 158.6453, 160.290

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: KRS 156.070, 156.160, 158.6453, 160.290

NECESSITY, FUNCTION, AND CONFORMITY: KRS 156.160 requires the Kentucky Board of Education to establish courses of study for the different grades and kinds of common schools, with the courses of study to comply with the expected goals, outcomes, and assessment strategies developed under KRS 158.645 and 158.6451. KRS 158.6453 requires the revision of academic content standards. KRS 156.070(1) requires the Kentucky Board of Education to manage and control the common schools and all programs operated in the schools. KRS 160.290 authorizes local boards of education to provide for courses and other services for students consistent with the administrative regulations of the Kentucky Board of Education. This administrative regulation incorporates by reference the required academic standards, which contain the general courses of study and academic content standards for use in Kentucky's common schools unless specifically incorporated in another administrative regulation in Title 704, Chapter 8.

Section 1. Before graduating from a Kentucky public high school, a student shall meet the minimum content requirements established in the required academic standards.

Section 2. Incorporation by Reference. (1) The "Kentucky Academic Standards", August 2019, is incorporated by reference.

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This is to certify that the chief state school officer has reviewed and recommended this administrative regulation prior to its adoption by the Kentucky Board of Education, as required by KRS 156.070(5). (18 Ky.R. 3558; eff. 8-1-1992; Am. 19 Ky.R. 2493; eff. 7-1-1993; 24 Ky.R. 1941; 2401; 2681; eff. 6-15-1998; 32 Ky.R. 2153; 33 Ky.R. 137; eff. 8-7-2006; 37 Ky.R. 1050; eff. 2-4-2011; 40 Ky.R. 136; 809; eff. 11-1-2013; 42 Ky.R. 104; eff. 9-14-2015; 45 Ky.R. 1412; eff. 3-8-2019; 45 Ky.R. 2987, 3410; eff. 7-5-2019; 46 Ky.R. 1629; eff. 5-5-2020.)