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Tuition Reimbursement for College Hours

The school district may request a teacher to earn a master's degree in a subject content area that would qualify the teacher to teach college credit classes in the district. When a teacher agrees to earn a master's degree for that purpose at the request of the administration or board of education, the school district shall reimburse the teacher for the cost of tuition pursuant to a written agreement setting forth the program of studies, education institution(s), time lines and other relevant information. A teacher shall not be required to repay the cost of the tuition if he or she remains in the employment of the school district for five years after earning the master's degree. A teacher who leaves the employment of the school district in fewer than five years after earning such a master's degree shall be responsible for repaying the school district for one-fifth of the tuition for each year less than five that he or she remains.

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