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High Ability Learner Designation

Definition of High Ability Learner. A learner with high ability shall mean a student who gives evidence of high performance capability in intellectual and general academic areas.

Students for Identification of High Ability Learner will be identified through the following:

Step 1. Student Achievement scores will be used to identify high ability learners.

- a. Students who rank in the 90th percentile or higher on at least 3 of the 4 NWEA MAPS Assessments.
- b. Students who rank in the 95th percentile or higher on ONE NWEA MAPS Assessment.

Step 2. Students must also be recommended as a High Ability Learner.

Step 3. A selection committee will meet to make final considerations. The selection committee may be comprised of the following individuals: Principal, School Counselor, and teachers. The selection committee's decision shall be final.

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