



Appleton North Alternative Opportunities



<i>Credit Recovery</i>	<i>Credit Rescue</i>	<i>Northward Bound</i>	<i>Jump Start</i>	<i>Reading and Writing Workshop and Work Experience</i>
<p>Within the POLARIS program students can be referred to the POLARIS LAB during one of their school hours. They will work on recovering a course they have missed throughout their academic career on our e2020 program. The grades they earn DO NOT replace the grades on their current transcript, but they do allow them to earn the grade necessary for graduation.</p> <p>Students must be in danger of not graduating with their class to qualify to work in the POLARIS LAB on credit recovery.</p>	<p>Students that failed a course at Appleton North by a small margin can work with the Polaris Staff on rescuing the course grade. Students will work with the following staff and their cooperating course teacher to make up the necessary work to pass the course.</p> <p>Mrs. Lee ~ Math Mrs. Pynenberg ~ Social Studies Mrs. VanderLoop ~ ELA Mr. Hechel ~ Science, Health, PFM & Electives</p>	<p>The Northward Bound program is targeted primarily at Sophomore students that have struggled in the regular academic setting for their core courses. The Northward Bound program teaches Math, Social Studies, ELA and Reading and Writing courses in an alternative classroom setting. This approach allows the staff the help meet their individual emotional, academic and attendance concerns. The goal of the program is to help students find the best pathway for their success by working in smaller classes on academics and community connections.</p>	<p>Students that have attendance concerns can be referred to our Jump Start program. Jump Start helps students with attendance concerns by creating a soft landing each morning at school. The teamed staff work with the students each morning on meeting personal emotional and physical health objectives that help start their school days on a positive note. All students check in with staff to make sure they have all the necessities to start their day.</p>	<p>Students that are in one of the many POLARIS programs are able to work on their Reading and Writing Skills within their programmed time in the POLARIS LAB. Students that work outside of school in a documented job can apply to be in the POLARIS WORK EXPERIENCE program. For every 180 hours they work outside of the school day they can earn a .5 Elective. Students can earn up to 2.0 Elective credits during their academic career at Appleton North.</p>

All Students must work with their School Counselor and be referred into the Polaris Program. Once the student is referred, the information will be shared at the Appleton North BCT. The students will then meet with the POLARIS staff to help create the best academic plan for each student.

