

ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY GRADE STRUCTURE

- A. The instructional program of the District shall provide appropriate instruction to all legally eligible students in the District.
- B. Except for designated non-graded or multi-graded areas, the instructional program shall be arranged in units commonly designated as grades, each grade representing a year's work. A program of instruction shall be organized into schools or other administrative units as follows:
- (1) The primary grades shall consist of kindergarten, grades one, two, and three, although this unit of the school may be operated without reference to graded organization.
 - (2) The intermediate grades shall consist of grades four, and five, but may be operated without reference to graded organization.
 - (3) The mid-level grades shall consist of grades six, seven and eight.
 - (4) Grades seven through twelve are considered secondary grades.
 - (5) Special types of schools may be organized for various grades with or without grade organizations for students with special instructional needs.