

57 (5) (a) The State Board of Education shall administer the payment program authorized  
58 in Subsections (2), (3), and (4).

59 (b) (i) The Legislature shall make an annual appropriation from the Uniform School  
60 Fund to the State Board of Education for the costs associated with the Centennial Scholarship  
61 Program based on the projected number of students who will graduate before the conclusion of  
62 the twelfth grade in any given year.

63 (ii) It is understood that the appropriation is offset by the state money that would  
64 otherwise be required and appropriated for these students if they were enrolled in an additional  
65 grade for a full year.

66 Section 2. Section **53A-15-106** is enacted to read:

67 **53A-15-106. Early graduation course requirements -- College-ready course**  
68 **requirements -- Student and parent notification of graduation course requirements during**  
69 **eighth grade.**

70 (1) For purposes of this section, "college-ready course" means a course that a student may  
71 take in high school to reduce the need for the student to enroll in a college remediation course and  
72 reduce the student's time and cost of college attendance, including:

73 (a) a concurrent enrollment course; ~~§~~ → [or] ← ~~§~~

74 (b) an advanced placement course ~~§~~ → [;] ; or

74a (c) **an international baccalaureate course.** ← ~~§~~

75 (2) A public school that provides educational instruction to an eighth grade student shall:

76 (a) prepare and provide each eighth grade student, and the student's parent or guardian,

77 with:

78 (i) a sample early graduation schedule that the student may complete for the student to  
79 graduate at, or before, the conclusion of the eleventh grade; and

80 (ii) a sample college-ready schedule that the student may complete for the student to be  
81 prepared to enroll in college at the conclusion of the twelfth grade; and

82 (b) notify a student, and the student's parent or guardian, at the beginning of the student's  
83 eighth grade year:

84 (i) that the student may graduate early;

85 (ii) of the requirements of the centennial scholarship described in Section [53A-15-102](#); and

86 (iii) of the college-ready courses that the State Board of Regents recommends a student  
87 take during high school to be prepared to enroll in college.