

Board Policy

Education of Children of Military Families

BP 6173.2

Instruction

The Governing Board recognizes that children of military families face challenges to their academic success caused by the frequent moves or deployments of their parents/guardians in fulfillment of military service. The district shall provide such students with academic resources, services, and opportunities for extracurricular and enrichment activities that are available to all district students.

- (cf. 5125 - Student Records)
- (cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)
- (cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)
- (cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)
- (cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)

The Superintendent or designee may waive district policies or rules when necessary to facilitate the enrollment, placement, advancement, eligibility for extracurricular activities, or on-time graduation of children of military families, in accordance with the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children as ratified in Education Code 49700-49704.

- (cf. 5117 - Interdistrict Attendance)
- (cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)
- (cf. 6146.3 - Reciprocity of Academic Credit)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide information and/or training to administrators, other appropriate district staff, and military families regarding the provisions of the Interstate Compact and the educational rights of children of military families.

- (cf. 4131 - Staff Development)
- (cf. 4231 - Staff Development)
- (cf. 4331 - Staff Development)
- (cf. 5020 - Parent Rights and Responsibilities)

The Superintendent or designee shall annually report to the Board and the public on the educational outcomes of children of military families. Such reports may include, but are not limited to, school attendance, student achievement test results, promotion and retention rates by grade levels, and graduation rates.

- (cf. 0500 - Accountability)
- (cf. 5123 - Promotion/Acceleration/Retention)
- (cf. 6162.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 35160.5 District policy rules and regulations; requirements; matters subject to regulation
- 35179 Interscholastic athletics; associations or consortia
- 35181 Students' responsibilities
- 35351 Assignment of students to particular schools
- 46600-46611 Interdistrict attendance agreements
- 48050-48054 Nonresidents
- 48200-48208 Persons included (compulsory education law)
- 48300-48316 Student attendance alternatives, school district of choice program
- 49700-49704 Education of children of military families
- 51225.3 Requirements for graduation
- 51240-51246 Exemptions from requirements
- 51250-51251 School-age military dependents
- 66204 Certification of high school courses as meeting university admissions criteria

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 10

- 101 Definitions
- 1209 Transfer to inactive status list instead of separation
- 1211 Members on temporary disability retired list: return to active duty; promotion

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

- 1400-1482 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
- 6311 State plan

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 29

- 794 Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA CHILD WELFARE COUNCIL

Partial Credit Model Policy and Practice Recommendations

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

Final Report to the Legislature on the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children, April 2014

WEB SITES

CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>

California Child Welfare Council: <http://www.chhs.ca.gov/Pages/CACChildWelfareCouncil.aspx>

California Department of Education, Educational Options Office:

<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/pf/mc>

Military Interstate Children's Compact Commission: <http://www.mic3.net>

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