

STUDENTS

SUBJECT: At-Risk Students

The County Board of Education and County Superintendent of Schools recognize that personal, social, health, and economic circumstances of children and families sometimes place students at risk of school failure. The County Board of Education and County Superintendent believe, however, that each student can succeed in meeting County Office of Education academic standards with appropriate educational programs and support services.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)
(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)
(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

County Office of Education assessments and ongoing classroom evaluations shall be used to identify students performing below grade-level or at risk of failing to meet County Office of Education standards. The County Superintendent of Schools or designee shall develop strategies to address the needs of at-risk students, which may include but are not limited to instructional strategies responsive to the needs of individual students, provision of supplemental instruction outside the regular school day, provision of effective support services, parent involvement, and/or enrollment in an alternative program.

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)
(cf. 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan)
(cf. 5113.1 - Truancy)
(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)
(cf. 5136 - Gangs)
(cf. 5138 - Conflict Resolution/Peer Mediation)
(cf. 5141.23 - Infectious Disease Prevention)
(cf. 5141.3 - Health Examinations)
(cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)
(cf. 5141.32 - Health Screening for School Entry)
(cf. 5141.4 - Child Abuse Prevention and Reporting)
(cf. 5146 - Married/Pregnant/Parenting Students)
(cf. 5147 - Dropout Prevention)
(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)
(cf. 6164.4 - Identification of Individuals for Special Education)
(cf. 6164.5 - Student Success Teams)
(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education under Section 504)
(cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)
(cf. 6300 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education)

The County Superintendent or designee shall ensure that employees are trained to support

students and are prepared to implement intervention strategies as needed or to make appropriate referrals.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

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The County Superintendent or designee shall establish a student assistance program to help coordinate the County Office of Education's learning support programs including education, prevention, early identification, intervention, referral, and support services, into an integrated delivery system.

The County Office of Education's program for at-risk students shall emphasize coordination between site, County Office of Education, and community-based programs in order to ensure effective implementation and shared accountability.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

8800-8807 Healthy Start support services for children

11500-11506 Programs to encourage parent involvement

35160 Authority of governing boards

35183 Gang-related apparel

41505-41508 Pupil Retention Block Grant

41510-41514 School Safety Consolidated Competitive Grant

44049 Report of alcohol or controlled substance abuse

48260-48273 Truancy

48400-48454 Continuation education

48660-48666 Community day schools

49400-49409 Student health

49450-49457 Physical examinations of students

49600-49604 Educational counseling

51266-51266.5 Gang and substance abuse prevention curriculum

51268 Collaboration re drug, alcohol and tobacco prevention

51745-51749.3 Independent study programs

52200-52212 Gifted and Talented Pupil Program

52800-52887 School-Based Program Coordination Act

54400-54425 Programs for disadvantaged children

54440-54445 Migrant children

54740-54749.5 California School Age Families

56000-56001 Special education programs

56302 Identification and assessment of needs for individuals with disabilities

REPEALED EDUCATION CODE FOR CATEGORICAL PROGRAMS

52014 Inclusion of activities in plan

52015 Components of plan

54685-54686.2 Early Intervention for School Success Program

HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE

11802 Joint school-community alcohol abuse primary education and prevention program

120325-120380 Immunizations

121475-121520 Tuberculosis tests for students

124025-124110 Child health and disability prevention program

PENAL CODE

11164-11174.3 Child abuse and neglect reporting

WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE

4343-4360 Primary intervention programs - mental health

4370-4390 School-based early mental health intervention and prevention

18975-18979 Child abuse prevention training

18986.40-18986.46 Interagency children's services programs

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

11900-11935 Healthy Start program

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

6301-6578 Title I programs

Management Resources:

WEB SITES

California Department of Education: <http://www.cde.ca.gov>