

## **Instruction**

### **Summer School**

The Board of Trustees recognizes that summer school provides valuable opportunities for students to improve their skills and make academic progress. When the need is demonstrated and funds are available, the Superintendent or designee, with Board approval, shall establish summer school classes for purposes of remediation for students who are at-risk of retention or educationally disadvantaged. Educationally disadvantaged is defined as not meeting grade-level standards; scoring at the Basic, Below Basic, or Far-Below Basic level on the STAR tests; and/or failing a majority of classroom subjects.

The district's summer school program may be used to provide supplemental instruction for students failing to meet academic requirements. (Education Code 423, 37252, 37252.2, 37252.8, 37253, 53029, 53093; 5 CCR 11472)

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

(cf. 6146.5 - Elementary/Middle School Graduation Requirements)

(cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)

### **Attendance**

Because summer courses cover extensive instructional content in a relatively short time period, consistent class attendance is crucial.

Students who have more than three excused absences or one unexcused absence may not receive credit for their summer session class(es) unless they make-up missed work in accordance with law, Board policy and administrative regulation.

(cf. 5113 - Absences and Excuses)

(cf. 6154 - Homework/Make-Up Work)

### **Rotation of School Sites**

Sites for summer school programs may be rotated in an effort to make summer school programs more accessible to all students, regardless of residence or regular attendance area, and to equalize long-term facility and maintenance needs.

### **Legal Reference:**

#### **EDUCATION CODE**

420-428 Intensive English language and literacy instruction, summer school

37252-37253.5 Supplemental instructional programs

41976.5 Summer school programs, substantially disabled persons or graduating high school seniors

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Legal References: (continued)

42239-42239.2 Summer school apportionments

48070-48070.5 Promotion and retention

51210 Areas of study for elementary schools

51220 Areas of study for grades 7-12

51730-51732 Powers of governing boards (authorization for elementary summer school classes)

53025-53031 Intensive reading instruction, summer school

53091-53094 Intensive algebra instruction, summer school

58700-58702 Credit towards summer school apportionments for tutoring and homework assistance program

58806 Summer school apportionments

60851 Supplemental instruction toward exit examination

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

3043 Extended school year

11470-11472 Summer schools

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