

Students

Parent Rights and Responsibilities

The Board of Education recognizes that parents/guardians of district students have certain rights as well as responsibilities related to the education of their children.

Parents/guardians shall have the opportunity to work with schools in a mutually supportive and respectful partnership and to help their children succeed in school. The Board of Education believes that the education of the district's students is a shared responsibility. The Superintendent or designee shall work with parents/guardians ~~including parents/guardians of English learners~~ to determine appropriate roles and responsibilities of parents/guardians, school staff and students for continuing the intellectual, physical, emotional and social development and well-being of students at each school site, including the means by which the schools and parents/guardians can help students achieve academic and other standards of the school.

Within this framework, the school's primary responsibility shall be to provide a high-quality curriculum and instructional program in a supportive and effective learning environment that enables all students to meet the academic expectations of the school.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that district staff understand the rights of parents/guardians afforded by law and Board policy and follow acceptable practices that respect those rights.

**The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that parents/guardians receive notification regarding their rights in accordance with law.**

The Superintendent or designee shall take all reasonable steps to ensure that all parents/guardians who speak a language other than English are properly notified in English, and in their home language of the rights and opportunities available to them.

Legal References: Education Code

[33126 School accountability report card](#)  
[35291 Rules](#)  
[48070.5 Promotion and retention of students](#)  
[48985 Notices to parents in language other than English](#)  
[44670.5 Professional development program](#)  
[49091.10-49091.19 Parental review of curriculum and instruction](#)  
[49602 Counseling and confidentiality of student information](#)

[51100-51102 Parent/guardian rights](#)

[51513 Personal beliefs](#)

[60510 Disposal of surplus instructional materials](#)

Board Policy

~~[1312 Complaints by Constituents](#)~~

~~[5021 Non-custodial Parent](#)~~

~~[5113 Absences and Excuses](#)~~

~~[5125 Student Records](#)~~

~~[5141 Health Care and Emergencies](#)~~

~~[5142 Safety](#)~~

~~[5144 Discipline](#)~~

~~[5145.6 Parental Notifications](#)~~

~~[6020 Parent Involvement](#)~~

~~[6142.1 Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction](#)~~

~~[6154 Homework and Make-up Work](#)~~

~~[6171 Title I Programs](#)~~

[United States Code, Title 20](#)

[1232g Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act \(FERPA\) of 1974](#)

[1232h Privacy rights](#)

[Management Resources](#)

Websites

[CSBA District and County Office of Education Legal Services](#)

[California Department of Education](#)

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