

# CVUSD

## Board Policy

BP 5149

### Students

#### At-Risk Students

The Governing Board recognizes that personal, social, health, and economic circumstances of children and families sometimes place students at risk of school failure. The Board believes, however, that each student can succeed in meeting district academic standards with appropriate educational programs and support services.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

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

(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

\*\*\*Note: AB 825 (Ch. 871, Statutes of 2004) established the Pupil Retention Block Grant (Education Code 41505-41508) which combines the funding for opportunity classes and programs, supplemental instruction, and dropout prevention and recovery programs including educational clinics, alternative work centers, and the school-based student motivation and maintenance program. Prior to the enactment of AB 825, these programs were governed by their own unique provisions of law. However, AB 825 repealed many of these statutes and added Education Code 41505 which specifies that block grant funds may be used for "any purpose" authorized under those repealed statutes as they read on January 1, 2004. See BP/AR 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils and BP 5147 - Dropout Prevention. \*\*\*

District assessments and ongoing classroom evaluations shall be used to identify students performing below grade-level or at risk of failing to meet district standards. The Superintendent 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. 5030 - Student Wellness)

(cf. 5113.1 - Truancy)

(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)

(cf. 5136 - Gangs)

(cf. 5137 - Positive School Climate)

(cf. 5138 - Conflict Resolution/Peer Mediation)

(cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)

(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. 5141.52 - Suicide Prevention)  
(cf. 5146 - Married/Pregnant/Parenting Students)  
(cf. 5147 - Dropout Prevention)  
(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)  
(cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)  
(cf. 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation 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. 6181 - Alternative Schools)  
(cf. 6300 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education)

The 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)  
(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)  
(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

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>

CSBA: (3/88 6/97) 7/05

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