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Policy 5148.2: Before/After School Programs

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The Governing Board desires to provide learning opportunities for students beyond the regular school day that support the regular education program in a supervised environment. In order to increase academic achievement of participating students, the content of such programs shall be coordinated with the district's vision and goals for student learning, local control and accountability plan, curriculum, and academic standards.

Each program offered by the district shall be planned through a collaborative process as required by law. (Education Code 8422, 8482.5, 8484.75, 46120)

To the extent feasible, the district shall give priority to establishing expanded learning opportunities beyond the regular school day in low-performing schools and/or programs that serve low-income and other at-risk students.

Any expanded learning opportunities, including but not limited to After School Education and Safety Program (ASES), 21st Century Community Learning Center Program (21st CCLC), 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens Program (ASSETs), Expanded Learning Opportunities Program (ELO) or any other program to be established pursuant to Education Code 8421, 8482.3, 8484.75, or 46120, shall be approved by the Board.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that all staff who directly supervise students in the district's expanded learning opportunity programs possess appropriate knowledge and experience. As needed, staff and volunteers shall receive ongoing training related to their job responsibilities.

Each before-school, after-school, summer, vacation or intersessional expanded learning opportunity program shall include academic and enrichment elements in accordance with law and administrative regulation. In addition, each program may include support services that reinforce the educational component and promote student health and well-being.

No fee shall be charged for participation in the program.

However, for the ASSETs program, a family fee shall be waived or reduced for families with students who are eligible for free or reduced-price meals. (Education Code 8422)

For ASES, 21st CCLC, and/or ELO s programs, no fee shall be charged for a student who is eligible for free or reduced-price meals, or a student who the district knows is a homeless youth or in foster care. In addition, family fees shall be calculated on a sliding scale that considers family income and ability to pay. (Education Code 8482.6, 46120)

Eligible students who are 11 or 12 years of age shall be placed in a before-school or after-school program, if and when available, rather than subsidized child-care and development services. During the time that the before-school or after-school program does not operate, such students may be provided the option of enrolling in child-care and development services in accordance with the enrollment priorities established in AR 5148 - Child Care and Development. (Welfare and Institutions Code 10273)

The Board and the Superintendent or designee shall monitor student participation rates and shall identify multiple measures that shall be used to evaluate program effectiveness. Such measures may include, but are not limited to, student outcome data; program self-assessments; feedback from staff, participating students, and parents/guardians; and observations of program activities.

Every three years, the Superintendent or designee shall review the after-school program plan, including, but not limited to, program goals, program content, and outcome measures. Documentation of the program plan shall be maintained for a minimum of five years.

Policy Reference Disclaimer: These references are not intended to be part of the policy itself, nor do they indicate the basis or authority for the board to enact this policy. Instead, they are provided as additional resources for those interested in the subject matter of the policy.

State References

Description

Ed. Code 17260-17268 Plans and specifications for school facilities

Ed. Code 17264 New construction; accommodation of before- and after-school programs

Ed. Code 35021.3 After-school physical recreation instructors

Ed. Code 45125 Criminal record check

Ed. Code 45330

Paraprofessionals; instructional aides

Ed. Code 45340-45349

Paraprofessionals; instructional aides

Ed. Code 46120

Expanded learning opportunities

Ed. Code 49024 Activity Supervisor Clearance Certificate

Ed. Code 49430-49434

Nutrition standards

Ed. Code 49540-49546

Child care food program

Ed. Code 49553

Free or reduced-price meals

Ed. Code 69430-69460 Cal Grant program

Ed. Code 8263 Eligibility and priorities for subsidized child development services

Ed. Code 8273.1 Family fees; exemptions

Ed. Code 8281.5 California Prekindergarten Planning and Implementation Grant Program

Ed. Code 8295-8305 Child development program; personnel qualifications

Ed. Code 8350-8359.1 Programs for CalWORKS recipients

Ed. Code 8360-8370 Personnel qualifications

Ed. Code 8420-8428

21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment Program for

Teens

Ed. Code 8482-8484.65

After School Education and Safety Program

Ed. Code 8484.7-8484.9

21st Century Community Learning Centers

Ed. Code 8490-8490.7 <u>Distinguished After School Health Recognition Program</u>

W&I Code 10207-10492.2 Child Care and Development Services Act

W&I Code 10273 Preferred placement for otherwise eligible children ages 11 or 12

Federal References Description

20 USC 6311 State plan

20 USC 6314 <u>Title I schoolwide program</u>

20 USC 7171-7176 21st Century Community Learning Centers
42 USC 11434a Education for homeless children and youths

42 USC 1766-1766a Child and Adult Care Food Program
7 CFR 226.17 Child care center nutrition standards

Management Resources References Description

Quality Program Improvement Plan Instructions: Instructions for Completing
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Request for Applications: 21st Century Community Learning Centers and

After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens, September 2022

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Quality Standards for Expanded Learning in California: Creating and

Implementing a Shared Vision of Quality, 2014

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A Crosswalk Between the Quality Standards for Expanded Learning and

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Program Quality Assessment Tools, 2014

California Department of Education Publication California After School Physical Activity Guidelines, 2009

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February 2003

Website California Afterschool Network

Website California Child and Adult Care Food Program

Website CSBA District and County Office of Education Legal Services

Website California Department of Education, Expanded Learning

Website

U.S. Department of Agriculture

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California School-Age Consortium

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Partnership for Children and Youth

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California Healthy Kids Survey

Website Commission on Teacher Credentialing

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