

**Policy 5117: Interdistrict Attendance**

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The Governing Board recognizes that parents/guardians of students who reside within the geographic boundaries of one district may, for a variety of reasons, desire to enroll their children in a school in another district.

**Interdistrict Attendance Agreements and Permits**

The Board may enter into an agreement with any other school district, for a term not to exceed five school years, for the interdistrict attendance of students who are residents of the districts. (Education Code 46600)

The agreement shall specify the terms and conditions under which interdistrict attendance shall be permitted or denied. It also may contain standards agreed upon by both districts for reapplication and/or revocation of the student's permit. (Education Code 46600)

Upon receiving a permit for transfer into the district that has been approved by the student's district of residence, or upon receiving a written request from the parent/guardian of a district student who wishes to enroll in another district, the Superintendent or designee shall review the request and may approve or deny the permit subject to the terms and conditions of the interdistrict attendance agreement.

**Transportation**

Upon parent/guardian request, the district shall provide transportation assistance to a student receiving an interdistrict transfer who is eligible for free and reduced-price meals and is the child of an active-duty military parent/guardian or a victim of bullying, as defined in Education Code 46600. (Education Code 46600)

**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.

<b>State</b>	<b>Description</b>
CA Constitution Article 1, Section 31	<a href="#">Nondiscrimination on the basis of race, sex, color, ethnicity, or national origin</a>
Ed. Code 41020	Requirement for annual audit
Ed. Code 46600-46611	Interdistrict attendance agreements
Ed. Code 48204	Residency requirements for school attendance
Ed. Code 48300-48317	Student attendance alternatives; school district of choice program
Ed. Code 48900	Grounds for suspension or expulsion
Ed. Code 48915	Expulsion; particular circumstances

Ed. Code 48915.1	Expelled individuals; enrollment in another district
Ed. Code 48918	Rules governing expulsion procedures
Ed. Code 48980	Parent/Guardian notifications
Ed. Code 48985	Notices to parents in language other than English
Ed. Code 52317	Regional Occupational Center/Program; enrollment of students, interdistrict attendance
Ed. Code 8151	Apprentices; exemption from interdistrict attendance agreement
<b>Management Resources</b>	<b>Description</b>
Attorney General Opinion	84 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 198 (2001)
Attorney General Opinion	87 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 132 (2004)
Court Decision	Crawford v. Huntington Beach Union High School District, (2002) 98 Cal.App.4th 1275
Court Decision	Walnut Valley Unified School District v. the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, (2011) 192 Cal.App.4th 234
Website	<a href="#">CSBA District and County Office of Education Legal Services</a>
Website	<a href="#">California Department of Education</a>
Website	<a href="#">CSBA</a>

## Cross References

Code	Description
1312.3	<a href="#">Uniform Complaint Procedures</a>
1312.3	<a href="#">Uniform Complaint Procedures</a>
3460	<a href="#">Financial Reports And Accountability</a>
3460	<a href="#">Financial Reports And Accountability</a>
3540	<a href="#">Transportation</a>
3540	<a href="#">Transportation</a>
3541	<a href="#">Transportation Routes And Services</a>
3553	<a href="#">Free And Reduced Price Meals</a>
3553	<a href="#">Free And Reduced Price Meals</a>
5020	<a href="#">Parent Rights And Responsibilities</a>
5020	<a href="#">Parent Rights And Responsibilities</a>
5111	<a href="#">Admission</a>
5111	<a href="#">Admission</a>
5111.1	<a href="#">District Residency</a>

5112.2	<a href="#"><u>Exclusions From Attendance</u></a>
5113.1	<a href="#"><u>Chronic Absence And Truancy</u></a>
5113.1	<a href="#"><u>Chronic Absence And Truancy</u></a>
5116	<a href="#"><u>School Attendance Boundaries</u></a>
5116	<a href="#"><u>School Attendance Boundaries</u></a>
5116.1	<a href="#"><u>Intradistrict Open Enrollment</u></a>
5116.1	<a href="#"><u>Intradistrict Open Enrollment</u></a>
5116.1-E PDF(1)	<a href="#"><u>Intradistrict Open Enrollment</u></a>
5119	<a href="#"><u>Students Expelled From Other Districts</u></a>
5119	<a href="#"><u>Students Expelled From Other Districts</u></a>
5131.2	<a href="#"><u>Bullying</u></a>
5144.1	<a href="#"><u>Suspension And Expulsion/Due Process</u></a>
5144.1	<a href="#"><u>Suspension And Expulsion/Due Process</u></a>
5145.6	<a href="#"><u>Parent/Guardian Notifications</u></a>
5145.6-E PDF(1)	<a href="#"><u>Parent/Guardian Notifications</u></a>
5148	<a href="#"><u>Child Care And Development</u></a>
5148	<a href="#"><u>Child Care And Development</u></a>
6173.1	<a href="#"><u>Education For Foster Youth</u></a>
6173.1	<a href="#"><u>Education For Foster Youth</u></a>
7160	<a href="#"><u>Charter School Facilities</u></a>
7160	<a href="#"><u>Charter School Facilities</u></a>
9000	<a href="#"><u>Role Of The Board</u></a>