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## **Board Policy**

### **Interdistrict Attendance**

#### **BP 5117**

#### **Students**

The Board recognizes that students who reside in one district may choose to attend school in another district and that such choices are made for a variety of reasons.

(cf. 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment)

The Governing Board desires to communicate with parents/guardians and students regarding the educational programs and services that are available in the district.

The Superintendent or designee may approve interdistrict attendance agreements with other districts on a case-by-case basis to meet individual student needs.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that interdistrict permits specify the terms and conditions agreed to by both districts for the

granting, denial, or revocation of the permit as well as the standards for reapplication.

The Superintendent or designee may deny applications for interdistrict transfers because of overcrowding within district schools, limited district resources, or the student's failure to meet academic, behavioral and/or attendance standards.

A child of an active military duty parent/guardian shall not be prohibited from transferring out of the district to a school district of choice, if the other school district approves the application for transfer. (Education Code 48301)

(cf. 6173.2 - Education of Children of Military Families)

#### Legal Reference:

##### EDUCATION CODE

41020 Annual district audits

46600-46611 Interdistrict attendance agreements

48204 Residency requirements for school attendance

48300-48316 Student attendance alternatives, school district of choice program

48350-48361 Open Enrollment Act

48900 Grounds for suspension or expulsion; definition of bullying

48915 Expulsion; particular circumstances

48915.1 Expelled individuals: enrollment in another district

48918 Rules governing expulsion procedures

48980 Notice at beginning of term

52317 Regional occupational center/program, enrollment of students, interdistrict attendance

##### ATTORNEY GENERAL OPINIONS

87 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 132 (2004)

84 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 198 (2001)

##### COURT DECISIONS

Walnut Valley Unified School District v. the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, (2011) 192 Cal.App.4th 234

Crawford v. Huntington Beach Union High School District, (2002) 98 Cal.App.4th 1275

#### Management Resources:

##### CSBA PUBLICATIONS

## Transfer Law Comparison, Fact Sheet, March 2011

### WEB SITES

CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>

California Department of Education: <http://www.cde.ca.gov>

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