



MEMORANDUM

Date: August 19, 2016
To: All PUSD High School Administrators
From: Fernando Meza, Administrative Director
RE: SB1349 School athletics: information relating to competitive athletics

This memo is meant to advise school site administration and staff regarding the implementation of SB1349 starting June 30, 2016. This new law requires all public secondary schools that offer “competitive athletics” to post of data about the gender make up of their teams and their student participation.

By June 30 of each school year starting in 2016, each school must make the following information from the prior school year available on the district’s school athletic website:

- 1) The total enrollment of the school, classified by gender;
- 2) The number of pupils enrolled at the school who participate in competitive athletics, classified by gender; and
- 3) The number of boys' and girls' teams, classified by sport and by competition level.

The data required shall reflect the total number of players on a team roster on the official first day of competition. The materials used by a school to compile the information shall be retained by the school for at least three years after the information is posted on the Internet.

This requirement is found in Education Code section 221.9, which defines "competitive athletics" to mean sports where the activity has coaches, a governing organization and practices, competes during a defined season, and has competition as its primary goal.

Section 221.9 does not include a specific exception or any other guidance for schools that do not offer any competitive athletics. Those schools may consider posting a notice simply stating that they do not offer competitive athletics.

The legislative history of Education Code section 221.9 indicates that a major purpose of this new law is to make it easier to monitor and enforce Title IX and state requirements for gender equity in public school athletics.

Senate Bill 1349 Athletic Facts

TOTAL SCHOOL ENROLLMENT	1806	TOTAL ATHLETIC PARTICIPANTS	653
Male Students	937	Male Student-Athletes	401
Female Students	869	Female Student-Athletes	252

BOYS ATHLETICS

SPORT/SEASON	# of LEVELS	LEVELS	TOTAL STUDENTS
FALL			
Football	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	95
Cross Country	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	48
Cheer	1	Varsity	3
WINTER			
Basketball	3	Varsity, Junior Varsity, Frosh/Soph, Freshman	44
Soccer	3	Varsity, Junior Varsity, Frosh/Soph	66
Wrestling	DNF	Varsity, Junior Varsity, Frosh/Soph	#
SPRING			
Baseball	3	Varsity, Junior Varsity, Frosh/Soph	58
Golf	DNF	Varsity, Junior Varsity, Frosh/Soph	#
Swimming	DNF	Varsity, Junior Varsity, Novice	#
Tennis	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	20
Track & Field	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	31
Volleyball	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity, Frosh/Soph	36

GIRLS ATHLETICS

SPORT/SEASON	# of LEVELS	LEVELS	TOTAL STUDENTS
FALL			
Volleyball	3	Varsity, Junior Varsity, Frosh/Soph	43
Cross Country	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	18
Tennis	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	34
WINTER			
Basketball	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	22
Soccer	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	48
Cheer	1	Varsity	24
SPRING			
Softball	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	40
Swimming	DNF	Varsity, Junior Varsity	#
Track & Field	2	Varsity, Junior Varsity	26