

STUDENT SERVICES

BP 5010 ADMISSIONS AND CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT

References:

Education Code Sections 76000, 76001, 76002 and 76038
Labor Code Section 3077);
34 Code of Federal Regulations Part 668.16(p) (U.S. Department of Education
Regulations on the Integrity of Federal Student Financial Aid Programs under Title
IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended);
ACCJC Accreditation Standard II.C.6

The District shall admit students who meet one of the following requirements and who are capable of benefiting from the instruction offered:

- Any person over the age of 18 and possessing a high school diploma or its equivalent.
- Other persons who are over the age of 18 years and who, in the judgment of the Superintendent/President or designee are capable of benefiting from the instruction offered.
- Persons who are apprentices as defined in Labor Code Section 3077.

The District may deny or place conditions on a student's enrollment upon a finding by the Board or designee that the applicant has been expelled within the preceding five years or is undergoing expulsion procedures in another California community college district, and that the applicant continues to present a danger to the physical safety of the students and employees of the District.

The District shall in its discretion, or as otherwise federally mandated, evaluate the validity of a student's high school completion. The Superintendent/President shall establish procedures for evaluating the validity of a student's high school completion.

Any student whose age or class level is equal to grades 8 through 12 is eligible to attend as a special part-time student for advanced scholastic or vocational courses.

Any student whose age or class level is equal to grades 8 through 12 is eligible to attend as a special full-time student.

Any student enrolled in K through 12 may attend summer session.

The Superintendent/President shall establish procedures for the following:

- ability to benefit and admission of high school and younger students;

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- evaluation of requests for special fulltime or part-time enrollment by a pupil who is identified as highly gifted;
- compliance with statutory and regulatory criteria for concurrent enrollment.

Denial of Requests for Admission – If the Board denies a request for special full time or part time enrollment by a pupil who is identified as highly gifted, the board will record its findings and the reason for denying the request in writing within 60 days.

The written recommendation and denial shall be issued at the next regularly scheduled board meeting that occurs at least 30 days after the pupil submits the request to the District.

Claims for state apportionment submitted by the District based on enrollment of high school pupils shall satisfy the criteria established by statute and any applicable regulations of the Board of Governors.

The Superintendent/President shall establish procedures regarding compliance with statutory and regulatory criteria for concurrent enrollment.

See AP 5010 titled Admissions as well as BP 5500 titled Standards of Conduct which addresses issues of admission and reinstatement and BP 5020 titled Nonresident Tuition which addresses nonresident students.