

Board Policy

Chapter 2 – Governing Board

BP 2105 Election of Student Trustee

References:

Education Code Sections 72023.5 and 72103

The position of Student Trustee shall be elected by the students enrolled in the District, and in such manner that is prescribed in the Associated Student Government (ASG) Constitution, and Bylaws. ASG elections are held in the spring semester so that the office is filled by June 1.

The student member shall be elected by all the students of the student body in a general election held for that purpose. Normally, an election will be held in the Spring semester so that the office is filled by June 1. The student member may be recalled by all the students of the student body in an election held for that purpose in accordance with administrative procedures established by the Superintendent/President.

If the seat of a student member becomes vacant during their term, the Board of Trustees may authorize the officers of student body associations established pursuant to Education Code Section 76060 at each community college in the district to appoint a student to serve the remainder of the term in accordance with procedures established by the Board of Trustees.

Special elections may be held if the office becomes vacant by reason of the resignation, recall, or disqualification of an elected student member, or by any other reasons. Special elections shall be held within 30 days after notice of the vacancy comes to the attention of the Superintendent/President.

Candidates for the position may nominate themselves or be nominated by others by the filing of an application certifying that the candidate is eligible for service under the criteria set forth in California law, these policies, and the bylaws of the ASG. The election will be conducted in accordance with administrative procedures established by the Superintendent/ President (see AP 2105 Election of Student Trustee).

Also see BP/AP 2015 titled Student Trustee, AP 2105 Election of Student Trustee, and BP/AP 5410 Associated Student Government Elections.

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