

Students

Before and After School Programs

The Board of Education desires to provide before-school and/or after-school enrichment programs that support the regular education program and provide safe, constructive alternatives for students. In order to increase academic achievement of participating students, the content of such programs shall be coordinated with the District's vision and goals for student learning, local control and accountability plan, its curriculum, and state academic standards.

The District's program shall be planned through a collaborative process that includes parents/guardians, students, representatives of participating schools, governmental agencies including city parks and recreation departments, local law enforcement, community organizations, and, if appropriate, the private sector.

The establishment of any program shall be approved by the Board of Education. The staff and principal of each participating school shall recommend the program design and alteration.

The program shall include academic and enrichment elements in accordance with the law and administrative regulation. In addition, each program may include support services that reinforce the educational component and promote student health and well-being.

No fee shall be charged for participating in the program.

In regard to the After School Education and Safety program and/or 21st Century Community Learning Center program, no fee shall be charged for a student identified as a homeless or foster youth.

The Board and Superintendent or designee shall monitor student participation rates and shall identify measures that shall be used to determine program effectiveness. Such measures may include, but are not limited to, student outcome data; program self-assessments; feedback from staff, participating students, and parents/guardians, observations of program activities, and outcome based data on academic performance, attendance, and positive behavioral changes.

Every three years, the Superintendent or designee shall review the after-school program plan, including, but not limited to, program goals, program content, and outcome

measures. Documentation of the program plan shall be maintained for a minimum of five years.

Legal References: EDUCATION CODE
8263 Eligibility and priorities for subsidized child development services
8263.4 Enrollment of students ages 11-12 years
8273.1 Family fees, exemptions
8350-8359.1 Programs for CalWORKS recipients
8360-8370 Personnel qualifications
8420-8428 21st Century After-School Program for Teens
8482-8484.65 After School Education and Safety Program
8484.7-8484.9 21st Century Community Learning Centers
8490-8490.7 Distinguished After School Health Recognition Program
17264 New construction; accommodation of before- and after-school programs
35021.3 After-school physical recreation instructors
45125 Criminal record check
45330 Paraprofessionals; instructional aides
45340-45349 Paraprofessionals; instructional aides
49024 Criminal background check; Activity Supervisor Clearance Certificate
49430-49434 Nutrition standards
49540-49546 Child Care Food Program
49553 Free or reduced-price meals
69430-69460 Cal Grant program
UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20
6311 State plans
6314 Title I schoolwide programs
7171-7176 21st Century Community Learning Centers
UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42
1766-1766a Child and Adult Care Food Program
11434a Education for homeless children and youths
CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 7
226.17 Child care center nutrition standards

MANAGEMENT RESOURCES:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

Quality Program Improvement Plan for Expanded Learning Programs in California 2016-17, November 2016

Request for Application for Programs Proposing to Serve High School Students, September 2016

21st Century Community Learning Centers (21st CCLC) FAQs Elementary/Middle School Programs, September 2016

A Crosswalk Between the Quality Standards for Expanded Learning and Program Quality Assessment Tools, 2014

Quality Standards for Expanded Learning in California: Creating and Implementing a Shared Vision of Quality, 2014

21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens Program Frequently Asked Questions, March 2012

California After School Physical Activity Guidelines, 2009

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

21st Century Community Learning Centers, Nonregulatory Guidance, February 2003

WEB SITES

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

California Department of Education, Before and After School: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/ba>

California Healthy Kids Survey: <https://chks.wested.org>

California School-Age Consortium: <http://calsac.org>

Commission on Teacher Credentialing: <http://www.ctc.ca.gov>

Partnership for Children and Youth: <http://partnerforchildren.org>

U.S. Department of Agriculture:

<http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/care/afterschool.htm>

U.S. Department of Education: <http://www.ed.gov>

Policy

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