

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

The Governing Board recognizes its obligation to help teachers meet their responsibility for fulfilling the professional growth requirements of their credential. The Board expects that the increased competence attained by these teachers during their professional growth activities will contribute significantly to the district's education program.

Title 5, Section 80556 requires the Superintendent or designee to designate one or more credentialed persons as professional growth advisors. Title 5, Section 80556 also mandates the district to adopt policies and procedures for the selection of these advisors.

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain procedures for the selection of professional growth advisors. These procedures shall be designed to provide for the best possible match between teachers and advisors.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

44277-4429 Requirements for professional growth

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

80550-80565 Generally, especially

80550 Professional growth requirements definitions

80552-80553 Specific renewal requirements

80554-80555 Elements of professional growth plan and professional growth record

80556 Professional growth advisors, and employing agencies; roles and responsibilities

80558 Definition of professional growth activities

80565 Professional service requirements

Policy Adopted:

Joint Board: 3/25/97