



## Acronyms and Initialisms

Common acronyms and initialisms used by the California Department of Education (CDE).

### A

Acronym	Description
AB	Assembly Bill
ACE	<u>American Council on Education</u> (Outside Source)
ACIA	Academic and Career Integral Assessments in Career Education
ACR	Assembly Concurrent Resolution
ACSA	<u>Association of California School Administrators</u> (Outside Source)
ACT	<u>American College Testing</u> (Outside Source)
ADA	<u>Americans with Disabilities Act</u> (Outside Source)
ADA	average daily attendance
ADAD	<u>Assessment Development and Administration Division</u>
AID	<u>Audits and Investigations Division</u>
AIDS	acquired immune deficiency syndrome
AIECE	<u>American Indian Early Childhood Education</u>
AMAOs	Annual Measurable Achievement Objectives
AMARD	<u>Analysis, Measurement, and Accountability Reporting Division</u>
AP	<u>Advanced Placement</u>
API	<u>Academic Performance Index</u>
APR	<u>Accountability Progress Reporting</u>
ASAM	<u>Alternative Schools Accountability Model</u>
ASD	<u>After School Division</u>
ASES	<u>After School Education and Safety Program</u>
ASRA	<u>Administrative Support and Regulations Adoption</u>
AVID	<u>Advancement Via Individual Determination</u>
AYP	<u>Adequate Yearly Progress</u>

## B

Acronym	Description
BPPVE	<u>Bureau for Private Postsecondary and Vocational Education</u> (Outside Source)
BTSA	<u>Beginning Teacher Support and Assessment</u> (Outside Source)
BTPP	<u>Bilingual Teacher Training Program</u>

## C

Acronym	Description
C.A.S.H.	<u>Coalition for Adequate School Housing</u> (Outside Source)
CAASFEP	<u>California Association of Administrators of State and Federal Education Programs</u> (Outside Source)
CABE	<u>California Association of Bilingual Education</u> (Outside Source)
CACE	<u>California Association for Compensatory Education</u> (Outside Source)
CACFP	<u>Child and Adult Care Food Program</u>
CADS	<u>Consolidated Application Data System</u>
CAHSEE	<u>California High School Exit Examination</u>
Cal-SAFE	<u>California School Age Families Education</u>
CALPADS	<u>California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System</u>
CalSTRS	<u>California State Teachers' Retirement System</u> (Outside Source)
CALTIDES	<u>California Longitudinal Teacher Integrated Data Education System</u>
CaWORKS	<u>California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids</u>
CaMSP	<u>California Mathematics and Science Partnership</u>
CAPA	<u>California Alternate Performance Assessment</u>
CASBO	<u>California Association of School Business Officials</u> (Outside Source)
CASEMIS	California Special Education Management Information System
CAT/6	California Achievement Tests, Sixth Edition
CBE	<u>competency-based education</u>
CBEDS	<u>California Basic Educational Data System</u>
CBEST	<u>California Basic Educational Skills Test</u> (Outside Source)
CBET	<u>community-based English tutoring</u>
CBR	<u>California Business Roundtable</u> (Outside Source)
CCAE	<u>California Council for Adult Education</u>
CCC	<u>California Community Colleges</u> (Outside Source)
CCDA	<u>California Career Development Association</u>
CCDAA	<u>California Child Development Administrators Association</u>
CCDBG	<u>Child Care and Development Block Grant</u>
CCDF	Child Care and Development Fund
CCEI	<u>California Counsel of Electronics Instructors</u>

CCFRF	<u>Child Care Facilities Revolving Fund</u>
CCIS	California Consortium for Independent Study
CCLDHN	<u>California Conference of Local Health Department Nutritionists</u> (Outside Source)
CCR	<u>coordinated compliance review</u>
CCR	<u>California Code of Regulations</u>
CCSESA	<u>California County Superintendents Educational Services Association</u> (Outside Source)
CCSS	<u>Common Core State Standards</u>
CCSSO	<u>Council of Chief State School Officers</u> (Outside Source)
CCTD	<u>Career and College Transition Division</u>
CD	<u>Communications Division</u>
CDC	<u>Centers for Disease Control and Prevention</u> (Outside Source)
CDD	<u>Child Development Division</u>
CDE	<u>California Department of Education</u>
CDFS	Child Development Fiscal Services
CDHS	<u>California Department of Health Services</u> (Outside Source)
CDPAC	<u>Child Development Policy Advisory Committee</u>
CDS	<u>Community Day Schools</u>
CDS	<u>county/district/school code</u>
CDSMC	Curriculum Development and Supplemental Materials Commission
CDTC	<u>California Drafting Technology Consortium</u>
CEEB	<u>College Entrance Examination Board</u> (Outside Source)
CELDT	<u>California English Language Development Test</u>
CFR	<u>Code of Federal Regulations</u>
CFT	<u>California Federation of Teachers</u> (Outside Source)
CHADD	<u>Children and Adults with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder</u> (Outside Source)
CHDP	Children's Health and Disability Prevention
Children Now	<u>Children Now</u> (Outside Source)
CHKRC	<u>California Healthy Kids Resource Center</u> (Outside Source)
CHKS	<u>California Healthy Kids Survey</u>
CHSA	<u>California Head Start Association</u>
CHSPE	<u>California High School Proficiency Examination</u>
CHSSCO	<u>California Head Start-State Collaboration Office</u>
CIF	<u>California Interscholastic Federation</u> (Outside Source)
CITEA	<u>California Industrial and Technology Education Association</u>
CLAD	<u>Crosscultural, Language, and Academic Development</u> (Outside Source)
CLHS	<u>California League of High Schools</u> (Outside Source)

CLLS	<u>California Library Literacy Services (Outside Source)</u>
CLMS	<u>California League of Middle Schools</u>
CLRN	<u>California Learning Resource Network</u>
CMA	<u>California Modified Assessment</u>
CMAS	<u>California Multiple Award Schedule</u>
CMD	<u>Clearinghouse for Multilingual Documents</u>
CMR	<u>contract monitoring review</u>
CNAC	<u>Child Nutrition Advisory Council</u>
CNIPS	<u>Child Nutrition Information Payment System</u>
COABE	<u>Commission on Adult Basic Education (Outside Source)</u>
COCCC	<u>Chancellor's Office of the California Community Colleges</u>
COE	county office of education
COICC	California Occupational Information Coordinating Committee
CPA	<u>California Partnership Academies</u>
CPCM	<u>Categorical Programs Complaints Management</u>
CPDI	<u>California Professional Development Institutes (Governor's Institutes)</u>
CPEC	<u>California Postsecondary Education Commission (Outside Source)</u>
CPPP	<u>College Preparation Partnership Program</u>
CPS	Child Protection Services
CRESST	<u>Center for Research on Evaluation, Standards, and Student Testing</u>
CRL	<u>California Reading List</u>
CRLP	<u>California Reading and Literacy Project</u>
CRP	<u>Content Review Panel</u>
CSAM	<u>California School Accounting Manual</u>
CSB	<u>California School for the Blind</u>
CSBA	<u>California School Boards Association (Outside Source)</u>
CSD	<u>California School for the Deaf</u>
CSD	<u>Charter Schools Division</u>
CSEA	<u>California School Employees Association (Outside Source)</u>
CSEA	<u>California State Employees Association (Outside Source)</u>
CSECC	<u>California State Employees Charitable Campaign (Outside Source)</u>
CSEY	<u>Classified School Employee of the Year</u>
CSFP	<u>Commodity Supplemental Food Program</u>
CSFSA	<u>California Schools Food Service Association</u>
CSIS	<u>California School Information Services</u>
CSLA	California School Library Association
CSMP	<u>California Subject Matter Projects</u>
CSMT	<u>Clearinghouse for Specialized Media and Translations</u>

CSNO	<u>California School Nurses Organization</u> (Outside Source)
CSPD	<u>Comprehensive System of Personnel Development</u>
CSR	Comprehensive School Reform
CSRP	<u>California School Recognition Program</u>
CSS	<u>Comprehensive Student Support</u>
CSSA	California Safe Schools Assessment
CSSAED	<u>Coordinated Student Support and Adult Education Division</u>
CST	<u>California Standards Tests</u>
CSU	<u>California State University</u> (Outside Source)
CTA	<u>California Teachers Association</u> (Outside Source)
CTAP	<u>California Technology Assistance Project</u>
CTC	<u>California Transportation Commission</u> (Outside Source)
CTC	<u>Commission on Teacher Credentialing</u> (Outside Source)
CTE	<u>career technical education</u>
CTEI	Comprehensive Teacher Education Institute
CYA	<u>California Youth Authority</u> (Outside Source)

## D

Acronym	Description
DAC	District Advisory Committee
DAIT	<u>District Assistance and Intervention Team</u>
DEAM	<u>Department of Education Administrative Manual</u>
DGS	<u>Department of General Services</u> (Outside Source)
DOF	<u>Department of Finance</u> (Outside Source)
DOL	<u>U.S. Department of Labor</u> (Outside Source)
DPA	<u>Department of Personnel Administration</u> (Outside Source)
DSIB	<u>District, School, and Innovation Support Branch</u>
DSS	<u>Department of Social Services</u> (Outside Source)

## E

Acronym	Description
EAP	<u>Early Assessment Program</u>
EC	<u>Education Code</u> (Outside Source)
ED	<u>U.S. Department of Education</u> (Outside Source)
EDGAR	<u>Education Department General Administrative Regulations</u> (Outside Source)
EDMD	<u>Educational Data Management Division</u>
EETT	<u>Enhancing Education Through Technology</u>
EIA	<u>Economic Impact Aid</u>
EL	<u>English learner</u>

ELA	English-language arts
ELAP	<u>English Language Acquisition Program</u>
ELD	English-language development
ELSD	<u>English Learner Support Division</u>
ESEA	<u>Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965</u> (Outside Source)
ETS	<u>Educational Testing Service</u> (Outside Source)

## F

Acronym	Description
FAQ	<u>frequently asked question</u>
FASD	<u>Fiscal and Administrative Services Division</u>
FERPA	<u>Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act</u> (Outside Source)
FFA	<u>Future Farmers of America</u> (Outside Source)
FPD	<u>Fiscal Policy Division</u>
FTE	full-time equivalent
FY	fiscal year
FYS	<u>Foster Youth Services</u>

## G

Acronym	Description
GAD	<u>Government Affairs Division</u>
GATE	<u>Gifted and Talented Education</u>
GED	<u>General Educational Development Test</u>
GPA	grade point average
GSE	<u>Golden State Examination</u>
GSSMD	<u>Golden State Seal Merit Diploma</u>

## H

Acronym	Description
HCE	<u>Health Careers Education</u>
HECT	<u>Home Economics Careers and Technology</u>
HIV	human immunodeficiency virus
HOUSSE	<u>High Objective Uniform State Standard of Evaluation</u> (Outside Source)
HPSGP	High Priority Schools Grant Program
HTML	hypertext markup language

## I

Acronym	Description
IAD	<u>Improvement and Accountability Division</u>
IASA	<u>Improving America's Schools Act of 1994</u> (Outside Source)
IDEA	<u>Individuals with Disabilities Education Act</u> (Outside Source)
IEP	individualized education program
IFSP	individualized family service plan
II/USP	Immediate Intervention/Underperforming Schools Program
ILSB	<u>Instruction and Learning Support Branch</u>
IS	<u>independent study</u>

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## L

Acronym	Description
LAC	<u>Legal, Audits, and Compliance Branch</u>
LC	<u>Language Census</u>
LD	<u>Legal Division</u>
LEA	local educational agency
LEP	limited English-proficient
LPCs	<u>Local Child Care and Development Planning Councils</u>
LRDC	<u>Learning Resources Display Centers</u>

## M

Acronym	Description
MOU	<u>Memorandum of Understanding</u>
MTYRE	<u>multitrack year-round education</u>

## N

Acronym	Description
NABE	National Association for Bilingual Education
NAEP	<u>National Assessment of Educational Progress</u>
NASBE	<u>National Association of State Boards of Education</u> (Outside Source)
NASSP	<u>National Association of Secondary School Principals</u> (Outside Source)
NASTA	National Association of State Textbook Administrators

NASW	<u>National Association of School Social Workers</u> (Outside Source)
NBCT	<u>National Board Certified Teacher</u>
NBPTS	<u>National Board for Professional Teaching Standards</u>
NCBE	National Clearinghouse for Bilingual Education
NCDA	<u>National Career Development Association</u>
NCEE	<u>National Center on Education and the Economy</u> (Outside Source)
NCES	<u>National Center for Education Statistics</u> (Outside Source)
NCHSTE	<u>National Consortium on Health Science and Technology Education</u>
NCLB	<u>No Child Left Behind Act of 2001</u>
NCSL	<u>National Conference of State Legislatures</u>
NCTE	<u>National Council of Teachers of English</u>
NCTM	<u>National Council of Teachers of Mathematics</u>
NEA	<u>National Education Association</u> (Outside Source)
NET	<u>Nutrition Education and Training</u>
NGSS	<u>Next Generation Science Standards</u> (Outside Source)
NGSS	<u>Next Generation Science Standards</u> (Outside Source)
NPR	national percentile rank
NSBA	<u>National School Boards Association</u> (Outside Source)
NSD	<u>Nutrition Services Division</u>

## O

Acronym	Description
OCR	<u>Office for Civil Rights</u> (Outside Source)
OEO	<u>Office of Equal Opportunity</u>
OSE	<u>Office of the Secretary of Education</u> (Outside Source)
OSHA	<u>Occupational Safety and Health Administration</u> (Outside Source)

## P

Acronym	Description
PAR	<u>Peer Assistance and Review program for teachers</u>
PASR	Principal Apportionment System Rewrite
PBDMI	Performance Based Data Management Initiative
PCA	Program Cost Account
PD	<u>P-16 Division</u>
PDF	Portable Document Format
PERS	Public Employees Retirement System
PFT	<u>Physical Fitness Testing</u>
PI	<u>Program Improvement</u>
PL	Public Law



PLSD	<u>Professional Learning Support Division</u>
PMP	<u>Pregnant Minors Program</u>
PPIB	<u>P-16 Policy and Information Branch</u>
PPR	<u>Pupil Promotion and Retention</u>
PQR	<u>program quality review</u>
PSAA	<u>Public Schools Accountability Act</u>
PSAT	<u>Preliminary Scholastic Achievement Test</u> (Outside Source)
PSD	<u>Personnel Services Division</u>
PTA	<u>Parent Teacher Association (State)</u> (Outside Source)
PTA	<u>Parent Teacher Association (National)</u> (Outside Source)

## Q

Acronym	Description
QAP	<u>quality assurance process</u>
QEIA	<u>Quality Education Investment Act of 2006</u>

## R

Acronym	Description
RDA	Recommended Daily Allowance
RFA	Request for Applications
RFEP	<u>reclassified to fluent English proficient</u>
RFP	Request for Proposals
RLA	<u>Reading/Language Arts</u>
ROCP	<u>Regional Occupational Centers and Programs</u>

## S

Acronym	Description
S4	<u>Statewide System of School Support</u>
SACS	<u>standardized account code structure</u>
SAFTIB	<u>Services for Administration, Finance, Technology, and Infrastructure Branch</u>
SAP	<u>Student Assistance Program</u>
SAPID	<u>School Age Parenting and Infant Development</u>
SARB	<u>School Attendance Review Board</u>
SARC	School Accountability Report Card
SAT	<u>Scholastic Achievement Test</u>
SAT-9	Stanford Achievement Test, Ninth Edition (Stanford 9)
SB	Senate Bill
SBCP	School-Based Coordinated Program

SBE	<u>State Board of Education</u>
SBP	<u>School Breakfast Program</u>
SCANS	<u>Secretary's Commission on Achieving Necessary Skills</u>
SCASS	<u>Southern California Association of Science Supervisors</u>
SCASS	<u>State Collaborative on Assessment and Student Standards-Health Education Assessment Project(Outside Source)</u>
SCCAC	<u>Southern California Comprehensive Assistance Center</u>
SCE	State Compensatory Education
SCFIRD	<u>Standards, Curriculum Frameworks, and Instructional Resources Division</u>
SCO	State Controller's Office
SCOE	Sacramento County Office of Education
SCORE	<u>Schools of California Online Resources for Education</u>
SCR	Senate Concurrent Resolution
SCS	Superintendent's Correspondence System
SDAIE	<u>specially designed academic instruction in English</u>
SDC	<u>special day class</u>
SDFSC	<u>Safe and Drug Free Schools and Communities</u>
SEA	state educational agency
SED	severely emotionally disturbed
SED	<u>Special Education Division</u>
SED	socioeconomically disadvantaged
SED	<u>Socioeconomically Disadvantaged</u>
SEECAP	Special Education Early Childhood Administrators Project
SEEDS	Supporting Early Education Delivery Systems
SEIDs	<u>Statewide Educator Identifiers</u>
SELPA	special education local plan area
SES	<u>Supplemental Educational Services</u> (Outside Source)
SETA	<u>Sacramento Employment and Training Agency</u> (Outside Source)
SETS	<u>Statewide Education Technology Services</u>
SFSD	<u>School Fiscal Services Division</u>
SFSP	<u>Summer Food Service Program</u>
SFTSD	<u>School Facilities and Transportation Services Division</u>
SHAPE	<u>Shaping Health As Partners in Education</u>
SHC	School Health Connections
SIG	<u>School Improvement Grant</u>
SIO	<u>Superintendent's Initiatives Office</u>
SkillsUSA	<u>SkillsUSA</u>
SNA	<u>School Nutrition Association</u> (Outside Source)
SNE	<u>Society for Nutrition Education</u> (Outside Source)

SNOR	<u>Student National Origin Report</u>
SNP	<u>School Nutrition Program</u>
SPAC	<u>State Parent Advisory Council</u>
SPB	<u>State Personnel Board</u> (Outside Source)
SSID	<u>Statewide Student Identifier</u>
SSPI	<u>State Superintendent of Public Instruction</u>
SSSSB	<u>Student Support and Special Services Branch</u>
STAR	<u>Standardized Testing and Reporting Program</u>
STDs	<u>Sexually Transmitted Diseases</u> (Outside Source)
STEM	<u>Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics</u>
STS	<u>Standards-based tests in Spanish</u>
SWP	<u>Schoolwide programs</u>

## T

Acronym	Description
T5	Title 5, California Code of Regulations
TEROC	<u>Tobacco Education and Research Oversight Committee</u> (Outside Source)
TICAL	<u>Technology Information Center for Administrative Leadership</u>
TSD	<u>Technology Services Division</u>
TUPE	<u>Tobacco-Use Prevention Education</u>
TWBI	<u>Two-Way Bilingual Immersion</u>

## U

Acronym	Description
UC	<u>University of California</u> (Outside Source)
UCOP	<u>University of California Office of the President</u> (Outside Source)
UCP	<u>Uniform Complaint Procedures</u>
USDA	<u>U.S. Department of Agriculture</u> (Outside Source)

## V

Acronym	Description
VAPA	<u>Visual and Performing Arts</u>
VE	<u>Visiting Educator</u>

## W

Acronym	Description
WASC	<u>Western Association of Schools and Colleges</u> (Outside Source)
WEE	<u>Work Experience Education</u>
WestEd	<u>WestEd</u> (Outside Source)
WIC	<u>Women, Infants, and Children</u> (Outside Source)

## X, Y, Z

Acronym	Description
YOA	<u>Year of Appropriation</u> (Outside Source)
YOB	<u>Year of Budget</u> (Outside Source)
YOC	<u>Year of Completion</u> (Outside Source)
YRBS	<u>Youth Risk Behavior Survey</u> (Outside Source)
YRBSS	<u>Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System</u> (Outside Source)
YRE	<u>year-round education</u>