

EXEMPTIONS FROM ATTENDANCE

Each student between the ages of 6 and 18 shall be subject to compulsory full-time education. (Education Code 48200)

However, the Superintendent or designee may grant exemptions from compulsory attendance to a student as allowed by law and in the best interest of the student. Exemptions shall not be used to remove a student from the school for disciplinary purposes.

As needed, the Superintendent or designee may require a student or his/her parent/guardian to submit written documentation that the student fulfills one of the conditions specified in law and administrative regulation for which exemption is authorized.

*Legal Reference:*EDUCATION CODE*33190 Affidavit by persons conducting private school instruction**46100-46147 Minimum school day**46170 Minimum school day, continuation education**48200-48341 Compulsory education law**48400-48454 Compulsory continuation education**48800-48802 Attendance at community college**49110-49119 Permits to work**49130-49135 Permits to work full time*LABOR CODE*1285-1312 Employment of minors**1390-1399 Employment of minors*CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5*11522 Parental consent for exemption based on high school proficiency certificate*UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20*1681-1688 Title IX, discrimination*UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 29*794 Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973*CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34*106.40 Marital or parental status*COURT DECISIONS*Thomas v. Atascadero Unified School District, (1987) 662 F.Supp. 342*