

# Liberty Union High School District

## Board Policy

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The Governing Board recognizes that attendance and behavior problems which develop in the ninth grade can have serious detrimental effects and sometimes cause students to drop out of school. In order to provide special attention at this critical time, the Board shall maintain an opportunity class/program for students in ninth grade who are insubordinate or disorderly, irregular in attendance, or habitual truants.

This opportunity class/program shall strive to resolve student problems so that students may return to the regular program as soon as practically possible.

The opportunity class/program shall operate under the direct supervision of the comprehensive high school site administrator.

All programs will follow the Liberty Union High School District Board adopted curriculum and the curriculum development processes of the Liberty Union High School District.

### Assignment

The Superintendent or designee may assign students to an opportunity class/program only upon the recommendation of a school committee as required by law. (Education Code 48637.2)

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that due process procedures are observed, that the student and parent/guardian are notified prior to the student's assignment, and that a review of the student's progress is conducted at least twice a year while he/she is attending the opportunity class/program.

cf. 6181 - Alternative School

cf. 6184 - Continuation Education

### **Legal Reference:**

#### EDUCATION CODE

48630-48641 Opportunity Schools

48643- 8644.5 Reimbursement for increasing availability of opportunity classes and programs

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