

Students**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:**State**

5 CCR 11522

Ed. Code 33190

Ed. Code 46100-46147

Ed. Code 46170

Ed. Code 48200-48341

Ed. Code 48400-48454

Ed. Code 48800-48802

Ed. Code 49110-49119

Ed. Code 49130-49135

Lab. Code 1285-1312

Lab. Code 1390-1399

Federal

20 USC 1681-1688

29 USC 794

34 CFR 106.40

Management Resources

Court Decision

Website

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Description

Parental consent for exemption based on high school proficiency certificate

[Affidavit by persons conducting private school instruction](#)[Minimum school day](#)[Minimum school day; continuation education](#)[Compulsory education law](#)[Compulsory continuation education](#)[Attendance at community college](#)[Permits to work](#)[Permits to work full-time](#)[Employment of minors](#)[Employment of minors](#)**Description**

Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; discrimination based on sex

Rehabilitation Act of 1973; Section 504

Marital or parental status

Description

Thomas v. Atascadero Unified School District, (1986) 662 F. Supp. 376

[CSBA District and County Office of Education Legal Services](#)[California Department of Education, Attendance Improvement](#)**WESTMINSTER SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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