

# **Santa Rosa City Schools**

## **Board Policy**

### **Interdistrict Attendance**

BP 5117

#### **Students**

The Board of Education recognizes that students who reside in one district may choose to attend school in another district and that such choices are made for a variety of reasons.

(cf. 5111.1 – District Residency)

(cf. 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment)

(cf. 5118 – Open Enrollment Act Transfers)

The Board desires to communicate with parents/guardians and students regarding the district's educational programs and services.

#### **Interdistrict Attendance Permits**

The Board may enter into an agreement with any other school district, for a term not to exceed five school years, for the interdistrict attendance of students who are residents of those districts. (Education Code 46600).

The agreement shall specify the terms and conditions under which interdistrict attendance shall be permitted or denied. It may also contain standards agreed to by both districts for reapplication and/or revocation of the student's permit. (Education Code 46600)

Upon receiving a request by a student's parents/guardians for transfer into the district that has been approved by the student's district of residence, the Superintendent or designee shall review the request and may approve or deny the interdistrict attendance permit on a case-by-case basis to meet individual student needs, subject to the terms and conditions of the interdistrict attendance agreement and Administrative Regulation 5117.

With respect to incoming transfers, the district shall not accept student transfers if he/she has been suspended or expelled for the following offenses during the preceding school year:

1. Causing serious physical injury to another person.
2. Possession, use, or sale of a firearm, knife, explosive or other dangerous object.
3. Possessed, used, sold, furnished or been under the influence of a controlled substance.
4. Unlawfully offered, arranged, or negotiated to sell a controlled substance.
5. Committed or attempted to cause damage to school property or private property.

6. Stolen or attempted to steal school property or private property.
7. Committed an obscene act or engaged in habitual profanity or vulgarity.
8. Unlawfully possessed or unlawfully offered, arranged, or negotiated to sell drug paraphernalia.
9. Knowingly received stolen school property or private property
10. Committed or attempted to commit a sexual assault.
11. Engaged in an act of bullying, including but not limited to bullying committed by means of an electronic act.
12. Assault or battery upon any school employee.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

41020 Annual district audits

46600-46611 Interdistrict attendance agreements

48204 Residency requirements for school attendance

48300-48316 Student attendance alternatives, school district of choice program

48350-48361 Open Enrollment Act

48915 Expulsion; particular circumstances

48915.1 Expelled individuals: enrollment in another district

48918 Rules governing expulsion procedures

48980 Notice at beginning of term

52317 Regional Occupational Center/Program, enrollment of students, interdistrict attendance

ATTORNEY GENERAL OPINIONS

87 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 132 (2004)

84 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 198 (2001)

COURT DECISIONS

Crawford v. Huntington Beach Union High School District, (2002) 98 Cal.App.4th 1275

Management Resources:

WEB SITES

CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>

California Department of Education: <http://www.cde.ca.gov>

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