

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Local Control Accountability Plan Goals:

1. CJUSD Students will be challenged and supported to achieve academic success in a clean, safe environment through Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS)
2. CJUSD students will be College and Career ready through Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) Actions/Services
3. CJUSD students and families will be engaged and informed regarding the educational process and opportunities through Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS)

BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING

**District Board Room, Room 503
Wilson C. Riles Middle School
4747 PFE Road, Roseville, CA 95747**

Wednesday, August 16, 2017 - 6:00 p.m.

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| I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL - 5:30 p.m. | |
| II. ANNOUNCEMENT OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION | |
| 1. Public Employee Discipline/Dismissal/Release (G.C. §54957) - Resolution #2/2017-18 | |
| III. PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION | |
| IV. CLOSED SESSION - 5:30 p.m. | |
| V. OPEN SESSION - CALL TO ORDER - 6:00 p.m. | |
| VI. FLAG SALUTE | |
| VII. ANNOUNCEMENT OF ACTION TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION | Info/Action |
| VIII. ADOPTION OF AGENDA | Action |
| IX. STUDENT BOARD REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS (3 minutes each) | Info |
| 1. Center High School - | |
| 2. McClellan High School - Tristan Wallenmeyer | |
| X. ORGANIZATION REPORTS (3 minutes each) | Info |
| 1. CUTA - Venessa Mason, President | |
| 2. CSEA - Marie Huggins, President | |

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	XI. COMMITTEE UPDATES <i>(8 minutes each)</i>	Info
Facilities & Op.	1. Facilities Update - Scott Loehr	
	XII. REPORTS/PRESENTATIONS <i>(8 minutes each)</i>	Info
Student Services	1. Williams Uniform Complaint Quarterly Reporting - David Grimes	
Curr & Instr	2. Center High School A/B Block Schedule Report - Mike Jordan	
↓	3. Center High School Counseling Program Report - Mike Jordan	
↓	4. 2016-17 CAASPP Results - Mike Jordan	
	XIII. COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA	Public Comments Invited
	<i>Anyone may address the Board regarding any item that is within the Board's subject matter jurisdiction. However, the Board <u>may not</u> discuss or take action on any item which is not on this agenda except as authorized by Government Code Section 54954.2. A speaker shall be limited to 3 minutes (Board Policy 9323). All public comments on items listed on this agenda will be heard at the time the Board is discussing that item.</i>	
	XIV. BOARD / SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS <i>(10 minutes)</i>	Info
	XV. CONSENT AGENDA <i>(5 minutes)</i>	Action
	<i>NOTE: The Board will be asked to approve all of the following items by a single vote, unless any member of the Board asks that an item be removed from the consent agenda and considered and discussed separately.</i>	
Governance	1. Approve Adoption of Minutes from June 14, 2017 Regular Meeting	
↓	2. Approve 2017-2018 Agreement for Legal Services - Lozano Smith, Attorneys at Law	
↓	3. Ratify CJUSD Organizational Chart	
Personnel	4. Approve Classified Personnel Transactions	
↓	5. Approve Certificated Personnel Transactions	
↓	6. Ratify Job Description: Director - Curriculum and Instruction and Special Education	
↓	7. Ratify Revised Certificated Management Salary Schedule	
↓	8. Approve Resolution #3/2017-18: Authorization to Teach English Electives	
↓	9. Approve Resolution #4/2017-18: Authorization to Teach Industrial and Technology Education	
↓	10. Approve Declaration of Hard-to-Fill Positions: Bus Driver	
↓	11. Approve Memorandum of Understanding - SCOE Teacher Induction Program	
Special Ed	12. Ratify 2016/2017 Master Contract: Sierra School	
	13. Ratify 2016/2017 Individual Service Agreements: 2016/17-238 Placer Learning Center 2016/17-239 Sierra School/Eastern	
↓	14. Ratify 2017/2018 Master Contracts: Aldar Academy American River Speech Bright Start Therapy C.C.H.A.T. Center C.T.E.C. Capitol Academy Capitol Elementary Easter Seal Society of CA Hearsay Jabbergym Maxim Healthcare Services Occupational Therapy for Children Placer Learning Center	

- Sierra School
 - Sierra Foothills Academy
- ↓ 15. Ratify 2017/2018 Individual Service Agreements:
 - 2017/18-1 Aldar Academy
 - 2017/18-2, 134 Bright Start Therapy
 - 2017/18-3-5 C.C.H.A.T. Center
 - 2017/18-6-7 C.T.E.C.
 - 2017/18-8 Capitol Academy
 - 2017/18-9-15 Capitol Elementary
 - 2017/18-16 Easter Seal Society of CA
 - 2017/18-17 Hearsay
 - 2017/18-18-103 Jabbergym
 - 2017/18-104-109 M. McCarthy
 - 2017/18-110-121 D. McGlaughlin
 - 2017/18-122 Maxim Healthcare Services
 - 2017/18-123 Occupational Therapy for Children
 - 2017/18-128-131 Placer Learning Center
 - 2017/18-132 Sierra School
 - 2017/18-133 Sierra Foothills Academy
- ↓ 16. Ratify Professional Service Agreement: Meladee McCarty
- ↓ 17. Ratify Professional Service Agreement: Carina Grandison, Ph.D.
- ↓ 18. Ratify Professional Service Agreement: Donna McGlaughlin
- ↓ 19. Ratify Memorandum of Agreement - Continuation of the Sacramento County Office of Education Maintaining and Operating Classes for Severely Handicapped and Seriously Emotionally Disturbed Students of the Participating Districts
- Student Services 20. Approve Center JUSD Employees Certified for Expulsion Hearings for 2017/2018 SY
- ↓ 21. Approve 2017/2018 Contract with Dr. Robert A. Hoffman O.D. MCT Vision Screening
- ↓ 22. Approve 2017/2018 Contract with CHH/Center for Hearing Health, Hearing Conservation Services
- ↓ 23. Approve Professional Service Agreement: A Touch of Understanding
- ↓ 24. Approve Contract with Communities Matters
- ↓ 25. Approve Memorandum of Understanding with Sacramento Children's Home
- Curr & Instr 26. Ratify Memorandum of Understanding with United Way California Capital Region for Experience Corps Tutoring Program
- ↓ 27. Ratify California SUMS Initiative: Scaling Up Multi-Tiered System of Support (SUMS) Statewide Grant, Local Education Agency Agreement - Agreement #44710
- ↓ 28. Ratify Memorandum of Understanding, Agreement EMS #1102, with SCOE for Instructional Support Services - MHS
- ↓ 29. Approve Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) #17-C-CJ between Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) and Center Joint Unified School District
- ↓ 30. Approve CJUSD Voting Designees for the Capital Adult Education Regional Consortium
- ↓ 31. Approve Placer County Office of Education (PCOE) Agreement for Consulting Services - Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports
- ↓ 32. Approve Professional Services Agreement: Document Tracking Services
- ↓ 33. Approve Professional Services Agreement: Carmazzi Global Solutions
- ↓ 34. Approve Professional Services Agreement: Eaton Interpreting Services, Inc.
- ↓ 35. Approve Updated 2017-18 Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP)
- ↓ 36. Ratify Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) - Agreement #1051 between Sacramento County Office of Education and Center JUSD for 2017 CJUSD & SCOE K-6 Summer Institute Professional Development McGraw Hill's Wonders ELA/ELD Curriculum
- ↓ 37. Ratify Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) - Agreement #1052 between

Sacramento County Office of Education and Center JUSD for 2017-2018 CJUSD & SCOE K-6 Professional Development ELA/ELD Curriculum, CCSS Standards and CAASPP Assessments

- ↓ 38. Ratify 2017/18 Renewal of Licensing Agreement for Document Tracking Services (DTS)
- ↓ 39. Approve 2017-18 Consolidated Application
- Facilities & Op. 40. Approve Contractor Change Order #01 to the Contract by and between NFB Engineering, and Center Joint Unified School District
- ↓ 41. Ratify Professional Services Agreement: Catherine Stevens
- ↓ 42. Approve Amendment 2 to Agreement with CPM for Prop 39 Planning Services
- ↓ 43. Approve Disposal of Surplus Equipment:
1992 GMC Utility Truck, VIN #1GDKC34N6NJ522295, Plate #1078152
- ↓ 44. Ratify Agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and SCI Consulting Group for Professional Services
- ↓ 45. Ratify Agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and Nacht & Lewis Architects for Professional Services
- ↓ 46. Ratify Notice of Completion for the Wilson C. Riles Site Access Upgrade
- ↓ 47. Approve Contractor Change Order #1 to the Contract by and between Star Energy Management, Inc., Contractor, and Center Joint Unified School District
- ↓ 48. Approve Contractor Change Order #2 to the Contract by and between Star Energy Management, Inc., Contractor, and Center Joint Unified School District
- ↓ 49. Ratify Agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and School Facility Consultants
- ↓ 50. Ratify Agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and MRB Enterprises
- ↓ 51. Approve Professional Services Agreement: Renee M. Plummer
- ↓ 52. Approve Professional Services Agreement: Phuong Ho
- Business 53. Ratify Chalk Schools Contract
- ↓ 54. Approve Payroll Orders: July 2016 - June 2017
- ↓ 55. Approve Payroll Orders: July 2017
- ↓ 56. Approve Supplemental Agenda (Vendor Warrants): June 2017
- ↓ 57. Approve Supplemental Agenda (Vendor Warrants): July 2017

XVI. BUSINESS ITEMS

- Business A. **Resolution #1/2017-18: Education Protection Account** Action
This resolution would approve the list of instructional salaries and benefit expenditures for the monies received from the Education Protection Account for the 2017-18 fiscal year
- ↓ B. **Budget Update For Fiscal Year 2017/18** Information
This is an update to the Board's adoption of the 2017/18 Budget as a result of the State's final budget adoption.
- Governance C. **Nominations for CSBA Directors-at-Large African American, American Indian, and County** Action
Nominations for CSBA Director-at-Large, African American and American Indian, are currently being accepted until Friday, September 29, 2017. Nominations must be made by a CSBA member board and the nominee must be a board member from a CSBA member district.



D. First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits

Action

BP 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities

(BP revised)

Policy updated to reflect NEW LAW (AB 30, 2015) which, effective January 1, 2017, prohibits the use of any racially derogatory or discriminatory school or athletic team name, mascot, or nickname. Policy also adds language regarding the use of uniform complaint procedures to investigate and resolve any allegation of unlawful discrimination, expands the means by which notice of the district's nondiscrimination policy will be distributed, reflects NEW LAW (SB 1375, 2016) which requires districts to post specified information regarding Title IX on their web site by July 1, 2017, and adds the district's responsibility to make its web site accessible to individuals with disabilities.

BP 0420.41 - Charter School Oversight

(BP revised)

Policy updated to reflect a recommendation in the 2016 edition of CSBA's Charter Schools: A Guide for Governance Teams that the district not appoint a representative to serve on the board of directors of a nonprofit public benefit corporation that operates a charter school, but rather implement other means of fulfilling its oversight responsibilities. Section on "Monitoring Charter School Performance" updated to delete references to the Academic Performance Index and federal measure of Adequate Yearly Progress, and to reflect NEW LAW (SB 828, 2016) which requires charter schools to submit an annual update of their local control and accountability plan. Policy also revised to reflect the Every Student Succeeds Act (P.L. 114-95) which provides for a new system of school support and improvement for Title I schools, including charter schools, beginning in the 2017-18 school year.

BP 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan

(BP revised)

Policy updated to reflect NEW LAW (Proposition 58, 2016) which requires the local control and accountability plan (LCAP) development process to include solicitation of parent/guardian and community input on effective and appropriate instructional methods, including language acquisition programs. Policy also reflects the State Board of Education's (SBE) adoption of evaluation rubrics (the "California School Dashboard") that will assist districts in evaluating progress toward their LCAP goals.

AR 1340 - Access to District Records

(AR revised)

Regulation updated to reflect NEW LAW (AB 2843, 2016) which prohibits disclosure of employees' personal cell phone numbers and birth dates, and NEW LAW (AB 2853, 2016) which authorizes the district, in response to a public records request, to post public records on its web site and refer the requesting member of the public to the location of the records on the web site. Regulation also revised to clarify access to documents containing names, salaries, and pension benefits of district employees and to records pertaining to claims and litigation against the district.

BP/AR 3260 - Fees and Charges

(BP/AR revised)

Policy reorganized and updated to reflect a California Department of Education (CDE) management advisory regarding the prohibition against requiring parent/guardian volunteer hours or payment as a condition of the student's enrollment or participation in educational activities. Regulation updated to reflect NEW LAW (AB 2615, 2016) which permits districts to charge a fee for participation in After School Education and Safety (ASES) programs, 21st Century Community Learning Center (21st CCLC) programs, and 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens (ASSETs) program, as long as the fee is waived or reduced for low-income families and, effective July 1, 2017, the fee is not charged for a homeless or foster youth. Regulation also clarifies the permissibility of charging a fee for in-state field trips in accordance with CDE's interpretation of law, provided that no student is prevented from participating based on a lack of funds.

First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits (continued)

BP/AR 3311 - Bids

(BP/AR revised)

Policy and regulation updated to move some material into new BP/AR 3311.1 - Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Procedures, AR 3311.2 - Lease-Leaseback Contracts, AR 3311.3 - Design-Build Contracts, and AR 3311.4 - Procurement of Technological Equipment. Regulation also revises section on "Award of Contract" to expand the exceptions to awarding contracts based on lowest responsible bidder to include lease-leaseback contracts, which are based on "best value" as defined.

BP/AR 3311.1 - Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Procedures

(BP/AR added)

New policy and regulation include material formerly in BP/AR 3311 - Bids pertaining to requirements of the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act (UPCCAA). Policy also adds prohibition against splitting a project or purchase into smaller work orders in order to evade requirements for competitive bidding, and legal authority to suspend the UPCCAA bidding process for the replacement or repair of a school facility in cases of emergency. Regulation also clarifies the requirement to disseminate the bid notice to the district's list of contractors.

AR 3311.2 - Lease-Leaseback Contracts

(AR added)

New regulation includes material formerly in BP/AR 3311 - Bids pertaining to requirements for awarding lease-leaseback contracts. Material significantly revised to reflect NEW LAW (AB 2316, 2016) which no longer permits the selection of a lease-leaseback contractor without advertising, and instead requires districts to use a comprehensive "best value" selection process.

AR 3311.3 - Design-Build Contracts

(AR added)

New regulation includes material formerly in BP/AR 3311 - Bids pertaining to requirements for awarding design-build contracts. Minor editorial changes made to clarify the process and more directly reflect law.

AR 3311.4 - Procurement of Technological Equipment

(AR added)

New regulation includes material formerly in BP/AR 3311 - Bids pertaining to requirements for the "competitive negotiation" process authorized for procurement of computers, software, telecommunications equipment, microwave equipment, or other related electronic equipment and apparatus.

BP 3470 - Debt Issuance and Management

(BP added)

New policy reflects NEW LAW (SB 1029, 2016) which mandates that boards adopt a debt management policy prior to issuing any debt, including, but not limited to, general obligation bonds, tax and revenue anticipation notes, and certificates of participation. Policy addresses the components mandated by law, including (1) the purposes for which the debt proceeds may be used; (2) the types of debt that may be issued; (3) the relationship of the debt to, and integration with, the district's capital improvement program or budget, if applicable; (4) policy goals related to the district's planning goals and objectives; and (5) internal control procedures to ensure that the proceeds of the proposed debt issuance will be directed to the intended use.

First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits (continued)

AR 3543 - Transportation Safety and Emergencies

(AR revised)

Regulation updated to reflect NEW LAW (SB 1072, 2016) which (1) expands the required components of the transportation safety plan to include procedures to ensure that a student is not left unattended on the bus and procedures for designating an adult chaperone to accompany students on a student activity bus, and (2) requires installation of a child safety alert system on school buses by the beginning of the 2018-19 school year. Regulation also reflects NEW LAW (AB 1785, 2016) which prohibits a bus driver from using any electronic wireless communications device while driving, except when the device is voice-operated and used in hands-free mode or with a function that requires only a single swipe or tap of the driver's finger.

BP/AR 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment

(BP/AR revised)

Policy and regulation updated to reflect NEW STATE REGULATIONS (Register 2015, No. 50), as renumbered, which specify certain requirements to be included in district policy or regulation and extend protections against discrimination to unpaid interns and volunteers. Policy also adds requirement to post the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing publication on workplace discrimination and harassment, and reflects NEW LAW (SB 1063, 2016) which prohibits the payment of different wage rates based on race or ethnicity and prohibits the use of prior salary history by itself to justify any disparity in compensation. Regulation reflects provisions of new state regulations regarding training of supervisors and dissemination of the district's nondiscrimination policy to all employees.

AR 4112.22 - Staff Teaching English Learners

(AR revised)

Regulation updated to revise definition of "English learner" pursuant to Proposition 58 (2016). Regulation also deletes material regarding the Certificate of Staff Development issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing and provides a general paragraph applicable to multiple types of authorizations to teach English learners. Title of regulation updated to reflect current terminology.

E 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications

(E revised)

Exhibit updated to add notice seeking volunteers to administer opioid antagonist pursuant to NEW LAW (AB 1748, 2016), delete notice seeking volunteers to administer anti-seizure medication as the requirement self-repealed on January 1, 2017, add notice informing new employees of their right to purchase Public Employment Retirement Service credit for certain active military service, and update legal citations.

BP/AR 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment

(BP/AR revised)

Policy and regulation updated to reflect NEW STATE REGULATIONS (Register 2015, No. 50), as renumbered, which extend protections against sexual harassment to unpaid interns and volunteers, require districts to instruct supervisors to report complaints, and revise requirements pertaining to the training of supervisory employees.

BP 4151/4251/4351 - Employee Compensation

(BP revised)

Policy updated to add new section on "Overtime Compensation" and to reflect NEW FEDERAL REGULATIONS (81 Fed. Reg. 32391) which adjust the salary level at which employees become eligible to receive overtime pay. Policy also revised to reflect the requirement to classify nonadministrative, nonsupervisory certificated employees on the salary schedule based on years of training and experience, the prohibition against paying certificated employees different salaries solely on the basis of the grade levels they teach, the board's authority to determine the frequency and schedule of salary payments for employees who work less than 12 months per year, and the requirement to post a notice of federal minimum wage provisions.

First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits (continued)

BP/AR 4157.1/4257.1/4357.1 - Work-Related Injuries

(BP deleted; AR added)

Policy moved to administrative regulation and updated to clarify notification requirements, including requirements related to (1) the method and timeline for notifications; (2) availability of notifications in both English and Spanish; (3) notice to an employee who is a victim of crime at the workplace that he/she may be potentially eligible for workers' compensation benefits; (4) the filing of a report of work-related injury or illness with the district's insurer or, if the district is self-insured, with the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR); (5) notice to the DIR's Division of Occupational Safety and Health of any work-related death or serious injury/illness; and (6) the posting of workers' compensation information in a conspicuous location frequented by employees.

AR 4161.1/4361.1 - Personal Illness/Injury Leave

(AR revised)

Regulation updated to add new section on "Additional Leave for Disabled Military Veterans" reflecting NEW LAW (SB 1180, 2016) which entitles eligible certificated employees to receive an additional 10 days of sick leave with pay during the first year of employment for the purpose of undergoing medical treatment for a military service-connected disability. Regulation reflects NEW LAW (AB 2393, 2016) which clarifies differential pay for parental leave ("baby bonding" leave), including clarifying that such leave will run concurrently with parental leave taken under the California Family Rights Act, but, unlike the CFRA, does not require an employee to have at least 1,250 hours of service with the district in the previous 12-month period. Regulation also clarifies applicability of law requiring a reemployment list for employees who are not medically able to resume duties after a specified period of time.

AR 4261.1 - Personal Illness/Injury Leave

(AR revised)

Regulation updated to add new section on "Additional Leave for Disabled Military Veterans" reflecting NEW LAW (SB 1180, 2016) which entitles eligible classified employees to receive an additional 12 days of sick leave with pay during the first year of employment for the purpose of undergoing medical treatment for a military service-connected disability. Regulation also updated to reflect NEW LAW (AB 2393, 2016) which extends to classified employees the same provisions related to differential pay for parental leave that were previously granted only to certificated employees.

BP 5030 - Student Wellness

(BP revised)

Policy updated to reflect NEW FEDERAL REGULATIONS (81 Fed. Reg. 50151) which address the content of the wellness policy, assurance of stakeholder participation in the development and updates of the policy, and periodic assessment and disclosure of compliance. Policy also reflects NEW STATE LAW (SB 1169, 2016) which no longer requires posting of district policy on nutrition and physical activity within cafeterias/eating areas, but does require annually informing the public of the content and implementation of the policy.

BP 5111 - Admission

(BP revised)

Policy updated and released on GAMUT in February, in conjunction with new CSBA Legal Guidance, to clarify that, under state compulsory education laws and the U.S. Supreme Court decision in Plyler v. Doe, students cannot be denied a free public education on the basis of their citizenship or immigration status, including their status as undocumented children. Policy includes direction not to inquire into a student's citizenship or immigration status nor deny enrollment on the basis of citizenship or immigration status. Policy also reflects NEW LAW (AB 2308, 2016) which extends the requirement that the district's enrollment forms include an informational item about affordable health care options and available enrollment assistance through the 2020-21 school year.

First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits (continued)

BP 5111.1 - District Residency

(BP revised)

Policy updated and released on GAMUT in February, in conjunction with new CSBA Legal Guidance, to clarify that, under state compulsory education laws and the U.S. Supreme Court decision in Plyler v. Doe, districts cannot deny enrollment on the basis of citizenship or immigration status and therefore should not request visas, passports, or other documentation that would discourage undocumented children from enrolling in school.

AR 5111.1 - District Residency

(AR revised)

Policy updated to reflect NEW LAW (SB 1455, 2016) which establishes residency within the district for enrollment purposes to students whose parent/guardian is transferred or pending transfer into a military installation within district boundaries. Policy also reflects NEW LAW (AB 2537, 2016) which indefinitely extends district authority to grant Allen Bill transfers for students whose parent/guardian is employed within district boundaries for a minimum of 10 hours during the school week.

BP/AR 5113 - Absences and Excuses

(BP/AR revised)

Policy updated to reflect the requirement for a board resolution approving reasonable methods by which students can verify absences due to illness or quarantine. Policy also deletes section on "Effect of Absence on Grades/Credits," as that material is covered in BP/AR 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement and BP 6154 - Homework/Makeup Work. Regulation updated to reflect NEW LAW (AB 1593, 2016) which provides that a student's attendance at his/her own naturalization ceremony constitutes an excused absence. Regulation also includes parent notification requirement formerly in BP, and adds notifications that a student may be excused for religious exercises or instruction and that a student's grade will not be lowered following an excused absence provided that missed schoolwork is completed within a reasonable period of time.

BP 5116.2 - Involuntary Student Transfers

(BP added)

New policy reflects NEW LAW (SB 1343, 2016) which authorizes districts to involuntarily transfer a student who has been convicted of a specified violent felony or a misdemeanor associated with possession of a firearm, whenever the student is enrolled at the same school as the victim of the crime for which he/she was convicted. In order to exercise this authority, the district is mandated to adopt policy with specified components and provide notice of the policy to parents/guardians as part of the annual parental notification.

AR 5125.3 - Challenging Student Records

(AR revised)

Regulation reorganized and updated to reflect the requirement to notify a parent/guardian when the superintendent corrects or removes a student record following an appeal in which the board grants the parent/guardian's request. Regulation also adds material on the composition and conduct of the hearing panel that may be established to assist in making determinations regarding challenges to student records.

BP/AR 5141.21 - Administering Medication and Monitoring Health Conditions

(BP/AR revised)

Policy and regulation updated to delete requirements related to the administration of medication in cases of epileptic seizures, as Education Code 49414.7 repeals by its own terms on January 1, 2017, and to clarify that districts may continue to administer such medication under the general authority in state law. Policy and regulation also reflect NEW LAW (AB 1748, 2016) which authorizes districts to stock and administer medication in cases of opioid overdose. Regulation also revises definition of epinephrine auto-injector pursuant to NEW LAW (AB 1386, 2016).

First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits (continued)

BP/AR 5141.52 - Suicide Prevention

(BP/AR revised)

Policy and regulation substantially revised to reflect NEW LAW (AB 2246, 2016) which mandates districts serving grades 7-12 to adopt policy on suicide prevention, intervention, and postvention by the beginning of the 2017-18 school year. Policy and regulation reflect the mandate to address any related staff development to be provided to teachers in grades 7-12 and to address the needs of specified high-risk student populations. In addition, policy and regulation add best practices in prevention, intervention, and postvention, including, but not limited to, student instruction, crisis intervention procedures, follow-up care for a student who threatens or attempts suicide, and the provision of counseling and other postvention strategies to reduce suicide contagion.

E 5145.6 - Parental Notifications

(E revised)

Exhibit updated to reflect NEW LAWS adding parental notifications related to language acquisition programs (Proposition 58, 2016), involuntary transfer of a student convicted of violent felony or firearms-related misdemeanor (SB 1343, 2016), enrollment priorities for homeless and foster youth in before/after school programs (AB 2615, 2016), and exemption from local graduation requirements for former juvenile court school students (AB 2306, 2016). Exhibit also deletes notification related to structured English immersion programs pursuant to Proposition 58, and updates legal citations and referenced CSBA sample policies/regulations.

AR 5148 - Child Care and Development

(AR revised)

Regulation updated to reflect NEW LAW (SB 792, 2015) which requires employees and volunteers at a child care center to be immunized against influenza, pertussis, and measles, with specified exemptions. Regulation revised to reflect NEW LAW (SB 277, 2015) which eliminates the personal beliefs exemption for immunization of enrolled children unless a letter or affidavit was submitted by January 1, 2016, in which case the exemption will only be effective until the child reaches the next grade span. Regulation also reflects NEW LAW (AB 982, 2015) which authorizes the district liaison for homeless students, a Head Start program, or a transitional shelter to identify a child in need of subsidized child care services.

BP/AR 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs

(BP/AR revised)

Policy and regulation updated to reflect NEW LAW (AB 2615, 2016) which permits districts to charge a family fee for participation in an ASES, 21st CCLC, or ASSETs program, as long as the fee is waived or reduced for low-income families and, effective July 1, 2017, the fee is not charged for a homeless or foster youth. Policy also links program content with goals in the district's LCAP, and includes material formerly in AR related to priorities for establishing district programs consistent with state and federal priorities for funding programs. Regulation also reflects provisions of AB 2615 which require first priority for enrollment, beginning July 1, 2017, to be given to students identified as homeless or foster youth and require ASSETs programs to provide for access to computers and technology.

AR 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education

(AR revised)

Regulation updated to reflect NEW LAW (SB 792, 2015) which requires employees and volunteers at a preschool to be immunized against influenza, pertussis, and measles, with specified exemptions. Regulation also reflects NEW LAW (AB 982, 2015) which expands the list of entities that can identify a child in need of subsidized preschool to include the district liaison for homeless children and youth, a Head Start program, or a transitional shelter.

First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits (continued)

BP 6111 - School Calendar

(BP revised)

Policy updated to clarify that a district must offer a minimum of 175 instructional days per school year until it meets or exceeds its funding target under the local control funding formula, at which time the minimum required number of instructional days is 180. Policy also adds reference to the requirement for a minimum of 163 instructional days per year for multitrack year-round schools.

BP 6117 - Year-Round Schedules

(BP revised)

Policy updated to clarify that a year-round school is generally required to offer a minimum of 175 instructional days per school year until the district meets or exceeds its funding target under the local control funding formula, at which time the minimum required number of instructional days is 180. Policy adds conditions under which a multitrack year-round school may instead offer a minimum of 163 instructional days.

BP/AR 6142.2 - World/Foreign Language Instruction

(BP/AR revised)

Policy and regulation updated to reflect NEW LAW (Proposition 58, 2016) which authorizes the establishment of dual-language immersion programs that provide integrated language learning and academic instruction for English learners and native speakers of English. Policy also reflects NEW LAW (AB 2290, 2016) which requires the SBE to consider revisions to the state content standards for world languages by March 31, 2019. Regulation reflects provisions of Proposition 58 which (1) delete the requirement that a parent/guardian request a waiver of structured English immersion instruction so that an English learner may participate in a dual-language immersion program, (2) require dual-language immersion programs in grades K-3 to meet class size requirements, and (3) require a parental notice with information on the district's dual-language and other language acquisition programs.

BP 6142.4 - Service Learning/Community Service Classes

(BP revised)

Policy updated to emphasize the academic benefits of service learning or community service classes, reflect the inclusion of service learning in the History-Social Science Framework for California Public Schools adopted by the State Board of Education in July 2016, reflect the elimination of state and federal sources of funding for service learning, and delete material on the development of a plan for service learning.

BP 6142.94 - History-Social Science Instruction

(BP revised)

Policy updated to reflect key concepts in the History-Social Science Framework for California Public Schools adopted by the State Board of Education in July 2016, including, but not limited to, a new emphasis on developing student's literacy skills within the context of history-social science instruction. Policy also reflects law that encourages the use of personal testimony through oral history, videos, or other multimedia formats and establishes requirements for personal testimony provided through oral histories.

AR 6143 - Courses of Study

(AR revised)

Regulation updated to add comprehensive sexual health education as a required course of study for grades 7-12 and to add optional topics of instruction authorized by law, including instruction on violence awareness and prevention, the Bracero program, and genocide. Regulation also reflects NEW LAW (AB 2016, 2016) which encourages a course in ethnic studies based on a model curriculum to be adopted by the State Board of Education by March 31, 2020 and NEW LAW (AB 1719, 2016) which requires instruction in cardiopulmonary resuscitation beginning in 2018-19 school year for any district that has established health education as a high school graduation requirement.

First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits (continued)

BP 6144 - Controversial Issues

(BP revised)

Policy updated to provide that parents/guardians may be given an opportunity to opt out of instruction on controversial issues only when required by law, not at the discretion of a teacher or administrator. Policy also clarifies the district's right to limit teacher expressions of personal opinion when teachers are in the classroom and therefore acting on behalf of the district.

BP 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements

(BP revised)

Policy updated to reflect NEW LAW (AB 2306, 2016) which generally exempts from district-established graduation requirements any student who transfers into a district school from a juvenile court school after the second year of high school, unless it is determined that the student is reasonably able to complete the requirements in time to graduate by the end of his/her fourth year of high school.

BP/AR 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504

(BP/AR revised)

Policy updated to add requirement to address the needs of students with disabilities in the district's local control and accountability plan. Regulation updated to reflect NEW FEDERAL REGULATIONS (81 Fed. Reg. 53203) which primarily revise definitions used in the Americans with Disabilities Act.

BP/AR/E 6173 - Education for Homeless Children

(BP/AR/E revised)

Policy, regulation, and exhibits updated to reflect the federal McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (P.L. 114-95), as well as updated U.S. Department of Education non-regulatory guidance. Policy includes new material on the designation of a district liaison for homeless children and youth, identification of homeless students, confidentiality of student records containing information about a homeless student's living situation, and coordination of services with other entities. Policy also reflects new mandate to adopt policy to ensure participation by district liaisons and other appropriate staff in professional development and other technical assistance activities, and NEW LAW (SB 1068, 2016) which requires the California Department of Education (CDE) to provide specified informational and training materials to district liaisons. Regulation revises the definitions of "homeless student" and "school of origin," revises the duties of the district liaison, reflects requirement to provide the district liaison's contact information to the CDE and other specified persons, provides that a homeless student will be immediately enrolled even if he/she misses application or enrollment deadlines, and revises the content of the written explanation of the district's decision related to eligibility, school selection, or enrollment. Exhibits updated to revise the content of the district's explanation of its decision(s) related to eligibility, school selection, or enrollment and to revise the dispute form for use by parents/guardians who choose to appeal the district's decision.

AR 6173.3 - Education for Juvenile Court School Students

(AR added)

New regulation reflects educational rights of former juvenile court school students who transition into a district school, pursuant to NEW LAW (AB 2306, 2016). These include rights related to the immediate enrollment of such students, the immediate transfer of educational records, the transfer of coursework and credits, and exemption from district-established graduation requirements under certain conditions.

First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits (continued)

BP/AR/E 6174 - Education for English Learners

(BP/AR revised; E deleted)

Policy and regulation substantially revised to reflect NEW LAW (Proposition 58) which authorizes parents/guardians to select a language acquisition program that best suits their child and eliminates the requirement for parents/guardians to request a waiver from the district if they want to enroll their child in a program other than a structured English immersion program. Policy reflects provisions of Proposition 58 that require districts to (1) offer, at a minimum, a structured English immersion program; (2) seek parent/guardian and community input on language acquisition programs during development of the district's LCAP; and (3) to the extent possible, offer a language acquisition program requested by parents/guardians of 30 or more students at a school or 20 or more students in any grade level at the school. Policy and regulation also reflect revisions in Title III English learner programs, including renumbering of accountability requirements and changes in the required parental notification, pursuant to the Every Student Succeeds Act. Title of policy and regulation updated to reflect current terminology. Exhibit deleted as districts no longer need a sample form for the parental exception waiver.

BP 6176 - Weekend/Saturday Classes

(BP revised)

Policy updated to reflect NEW LAW (AB 2659, 2016) which authorizes makeup classes for any type of absence, including excused absences, to be offered during the weekend. Policy also adds material regarding the circumstances under which teachers cannot be assigned to work on a weekend.

BP/AR 6185 - Community Day School

(BP/AR revised)

Policy updated to expand material related to program goals, collaboration with county offices of education and other districts in the development of a plan related to services for expelled students, and program evaluation. Material on location of the community day school moved from AR to BP and clarified. Regulation updated to streamline the process for involuntarily transferring a student into a community day school and to delete unnecessary details regarding facilities which reflected requirements applicable to all school facilities.

BB 9240 - Board Training

(BB revised)

Bylaw retitled and updated to address the purposes and importance of board training, recommended topics of training for new and first-term board members, and the district's process for selecting board training activities. The bylaw also reinforces the prohibition against a majority of the board members discussing district business of a specific nature while attending a conference or similar public gathering.

BB 9323 - Meeting Conduct

(BB revised)

Bylaw updated to reflect NEW LAW (AB 1787, 2016) which requires the board to provide a member of the public who uses a translator at least twice the allotted time to address the board during board meetings, unless simultaneous translation equipment is used. Bylaw also clarifies that the board may refer a member of the public to an appropriate complaint procedure, but cannot prohibit criticism of district employees, programs, or policies during a board meeting.

E 9323.2 - Actions by the Board

(E revised)

Minor revision made in E(1) to add requirement for two-thirds vote of the board when a K-8 district chooses to establish a community day school.

- XVII. ADVANCE PLANNING** Info
- a. *Future Meeting Dates:*
 - i. *Regular Meeting: Wednesday, September 21, 2017 @ 6:00 p.m. - District Board Room - Room 503, located at Riles Middle School, 4747 PFE Road, Roseville, CA 95747*
 - b. *Suggested Agenda Items:*
- XVIII. CONTINUATION OF CLOSED SESSION (Item IV)** Action
- XIX. ADJOURNMENT** Action

CJUSD Mission:

Students will realize their dreams by developing communication skills, reasoning, integrity, and motivation through academic excellence, a well-rounded education, and being active citizens of our diverse community.

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: CURRICULUM

Date: August 16, 2017

To: Board of Trustees

Action Item

Information Item X

Attached Pages 1

From: Michael Jordan
Director of Curriculum & Special Education
Initials: mDJ

SUBJECT: Williams Uniform Complaint Quarterly Reporting

As a result of the Williams legislation, all school districts in California are required to report quarterly summaries of all received Williams legislation complaints to the district's governing board. Once the item is reported to the Board, a summary is then forwarded to the district's county office of education.

Below is a summary of our Williams UCP complaints and will serve as our documentation to meet the reporting requirements of the Williams lawsuit. The attached data will be submitted to SCOE through an online process.

RECOMMENDATION: Informational Item

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
SUMMARY OF WILLIAMS UCP COMPLAINTS-

April – June 2017

Areas of Complaints	# of Complaints	# Resolved	# Unresolved
Sufficiency Of Textbooks	0	0	0
Facilities Issues	0	0	0
Vacancy or Misassignment of Teachers	0	0	0
CAHSEE	0	0	0

Quarterly District Report: *Williams* Uniform Complaint Process (UCP)

Properly submitting this form to SCOE serves as your district's *Williams* UCP Quarterly Complaint Report per *Education Code* § 35186(d). All fields are required. (CAHSEE complaints no longer need to be reported on this form.)

SUBMITTER INFORMATION

David Grimes	Director of Personnel	916-338-6400
Name Person submitting form	Job Title	Phone Number Include area code
davidgrimes@centerusd.org		
E-mail Address		

DISTRICT INFORMATION

Center Joint U.S.D.	2016-17	Quarter 4 (Apr.– Jun.)
School District	Year Covered by This Report	Quarter Covered by This Report

COMPLAINTS

Sufficiency of Textbooks

Total Number of Textbook Complaints Enter 0 if none.	0
Number of Textbook Complaints <u>Resolved</u> Enter 0 if none.	0
Number of Textbook Complaints <u>Unresolved</u> Enter 0 if none.	0

Emergency School Facilities Issues

Total Number of Emergency Facilities Complaints Enter 0 if none.	0
Number of Emergency Facilities Complaints <u>Resolved</u> Enter 0 if none.	0
Number of Emergency Facilities Complaints <u>Unresolved</u> Enter 0 if none.	0

Vacancy or Misassignment of Teachers

Total Number of Vacancy/Misassignment Complaints Enter 0 if none.	0
Number of Vacancy/Misassignment Complaints <u>Resolved</u> Enter 0 if none.	0
Number of Vacancy/Misassignment Complaints <u>Unresolved</u> Enter 0 if none.	0

RESOLUTION OF COMPLAINTS

Briefly summarize the nature of complaints and how they were resolved.

Enter "N/A" if no complaints were received. If you need more space, enter "sent by e-mail" and send your summary to Cyndi Kroeck with your report.

REPORT INCLUDES ALL COMPLAINTS FOR THIS QUARTER

The number of UCP complaints (textbooks, facilities, and teachers categories) filed for the quarter being reported *MUST* be entered in this report. Please check the box below confirming this:



Includes All UCP Complaints

All UCP complaints for the indicated quarter are being reported—from my district office and all school sites in my district.

RETURN INSTRUCTIONS

After completing the form in its entirety, save the file and e-mail it to Cyndi Kroeck at the Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE): ckroeck@scoe.net.

By submitting this form, you certify that the information is complete and accurate, and that you have verified the accuracy of the report information by contacting each school in your district. The report includes *ALL* UCP complaints in the above categories received at school sites in the district, plus the district office.

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:	
Dept./Site: Center High School	
Date: 8/4/17	
To: CJSUD Board Members	Information Item <u>XX</u>
From: Michael Jordan	
	# Attached Pages <u>0</u>
Principal's Initials: <u>MDS</u>	

SUBJECT:
Mr. Jordan will provide information to the board regarding the first year implementation of the A/B block schedule at Center High School. Handouts will be provided.

Center Unified School District

Dept./Site: Center High School	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Date: 8/4/17	
To: CJSUD Board Members	Information Item <u>XX</u>
From: Michael Jordan	
	# Attached Pages <u>0</u>
Principal's Initials: <u>mj</u>	

SUBJECT:
Mr. Jordan will be providing information to the board regarding the counseling program at Center High School. Handouts will be provided.

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Department of Curriculum and Instruction

Date: 8/4/17

To: CJSUD Board Members

Information Item XX

From: Michael Jordan

Attached Pages 0

Principal's Initials: MJS

SUBJECT:

Mr. Jordan will be providing information to the board regarding recently released test scores.

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING

District Board Room, Room 503
Wilson C. Riles Middle School
4747 PFE Road, Roseville, CA 95747

Wednesday, June 14, 2017

MINUTES

OPEN SESSION - CALL TO ORDER - President Pope called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

ROLL CALL - Trustees Present: Mrs. Anderson, Mr. Hunt, Mrs. Kelley, Mrs. Pope, Mr. Wilson

Administrators Present: Scott Loehr, Superintendent
Lisa Coronado, Director of Fiscal Services
David Grimes, Director of Personnel/Student Services
Craig Deason, Assist. Supt., Operations & Facilities

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION

1. Public Employee Performance Evaluation (Certificated) - Superintendent (G.C.554957)
2. Student Expulsions/Readmissions (G.C. §54962)

PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION - None

CLOSED SESSION - 5:30 p.m.

OPEN SESSION - CALL TO ORDER – 6:01 p.m.

FLAG SALUTE - led by Julie Opfer

ANNOUNCEMENT OF ACTION TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION – the Board met in Closed Session and no action was taken. During Open Session the Board took the following action:

2. Student Expulsions/Readmissions (G.C. §54962)
Student Expulsion 16-17.12 – Recommendation approved.

Motion: Hunt
Second: Anderson

Ayes: Anderson, Hunt, Kelley, Pope
Noes: None
Abstain: Wilson

Student Expulsion 16-17.13 – Recommendation approved.

Motion: Kelley
Second: Anderson

Ayes: Anderson, Hunt, Kelley, Pope
Noes: None
Abstain: Wilson

ADOPTION OF AGENDA - There was a motion to approve the adoption of the agenda as amended: pull Consent Agenda Item #3 and #25 for separate consideration.

Motion: Anderson
Second: Kelley

Ayes: Anderson, Hunt, Kelley, Pope, Wilson
Noes: None

ORGANIZATION REPORTS

1. CUTA - Venessa Mason, President, was not available to report.
2. CSEA - Marie Huggins, President, after kidding with Trustee Wilson and the Board regarding attire, she wished every one a happy summer.

COMMITTEE UPDATES

1. **Facilities Committee Update** - Craig Deason, noted that as for the Prop 39 projects, the Conservation Corp has finished at the Global Youth Charter School campus. They will be starting on the Spinelli campus next week, and since the bid on the other project came in so low we are going to purchase more bulbs and try to get in one more school before school starts. As for exterior lighting and occupancy sensors, they have finished the project, but there are a few things that need to be fixed and a few items that we want to add. The crosswalk project is underway at Wilson C. Riles Middle School; this should be done in about a week. The beautification projects, if approved tonight, will start on June 21st. A majority of the projects will be completed by July 28th, and those that are not completed by then will have workers come in after hours to complete the projects. As for the CHS projects, room 9 will have double doors that will be coming into the gym on both sides, the gym floor refinishing will beginning on June 22nd. They have finalized the colors and design of the logo, the colors of the lines, and fonts for "Cougar Country". We are still waiting for the proposal from the architect for the Center HS beautification project for next summer. Craig handed the Board members a map of the area that they will be working on and a drawing of an arch for the entrance to CHS. Other summer projects will be: carpet installations, projector installations, parking lot repair seal and stripe, air conditioner replacements, and the new Wilson C. Riles video lab. They have already done some repairs of some restrooms and some drinking fountains, and are currently working on some restroom drains at Oak Hill.

Trustee Anderson inquired on the loss at Oak Hill. Mr. Deason noted that we are at about \$5,025.00 in losses. We have a deductible of \$5,000.00 so we will get about \$25.00. Trustee Pope asked if there is a way to make sure that all security cameras are working at all of the sites. Mr. Deason noted that he does not have the man power to do that. Trustee Pope also asked if the guys will be able to get the tree that fell behind Riles MS taken care of this summer. He noted that they could probably get it taken care of. Trustee Kelley asked if we have a low voltage person on staff that can work on these types of things. Trustee Kelley asked if we have dates yet for site visits after the beautification projects are done. Craig noted that we can look at a date after they are done.

COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA –

Jennie Clark, district employee, noted that she was able to attend the commencement ceremony at CHS. She shared stories of students that have come through the EL program and have done well, graduating from CHS. She commended and thanked the Board and district for the hiring of the additional fulltime EL teacher.

BOARD/SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS

Mr. Wilson

- wished everyone a great summer

Mrs. Kelley – had nothing to report.

BOARD/SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS (continued)

Mrs. Anderson

- congratulated Julie Opfer on her new position.
- wished everyone a great summer.

Mr. Hunt – had nothing to report.

Mrs. Pope

- noted that a CHS student and his family lost their house to a fire. Mr. Gagnon and the team put on a car wash to raise funds for the family.
- wished everyone a great summer.

Mr. Loehr

- thanked the personnel and payroll departments for all of their hard work during this busy hiring time.
- received an email last week from Heather and Venessa; they have created a sheet that can be handed out to future employees that lists reasons as to “why you want to be in Center”.
- wished everyone a great summer.

CONSENT AGENDA

1. Approved Adoption of Minutes from May 17, 2017 Regular Meeting
2. Approved Adoption of Minutes from June 7, 2017 Special Meeting
3. *This item was pulled for separate consideration.*
4. Approved Resolution #20/2016-17: Delegation of Contracting Powers to the Superintendent
5. Approved 2017-2018 Board Meeting Schedule
6. Approved California School Board Association's Manual Maintenance Service Agreement and GAMUT Online Service Agreement
7. Approved 2017-2018 Legal Services Fees - Atkinson, Andelson, Loya, Ruud & Romo, Attorneys at Law
8. Approved Classified Personnel Transactions
9. Approved Certificated Personnel Transactions
10. Approved Employment Agreement Amendment - Superintendent
11. Ratified 2016/2017 Individual Services Agreements:
 - 2016/17-220 Hear Say Speech
 - 2016/17-222-235 Donna McGlaughlin
 - 2016/17-236 Bright Star
 - 2016/17-237 Jabbergym
12. Approved LEA Plan Addendum
13. Approved California SUMS Initiative: Scaling Up Multi-Tiered System of Support (SUMS) Statewide Grant, District Knowledge Development Site Agreement - Agreement #44387
14. Approved Memorandum of Understanding Between Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE), Sly Park Environmental Education Center and Center Joint Unified School District for Participation in the Sly Park Environmental Education Program
15. Approved Medi-Cal Administrative Claiming Agreement
16. Approved Resolution #18/2016-2017: Child Development Contract Approval
17. Approved Agreement for Participation in the Center Joint Unified School District School-Age Child Care
18. Approved Renewal Agreement for Police Services Between Twin Rivers Unified School District and Center Joint Unified School District, July 2017 to June 2020
19. Ratified Agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and BRCO Constructors, Inc. for the Oak Hill Elementary Campus Upgrades (Project #17-03)

CONSENT AGENDA (continued)

20. Ratified Agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and BRCO Constructors, Inc. for the Spinelli Elementary and Wilson C. Riles Middle School Campus Upgrades (Project #17-04)
21. Approved Agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and Nor-Cal Asphalt Paving and Maintenance, Inc.
22. Approved Deferred Maintenance Program
23. Approved Disposal of Surplus Equipment:
1995 US Bus, VIN# 1GBHG31Y0SF250153, Plate# 028299
24. Approved Payroll Orders: July 2016 - May 2017
25. *This item was pulled for separate consideration.*
26. Ratified 2016-17 Consolidated Application, Parts 1 and 2

Motion: Wilson

Ayes: Anderson, Hunt, Kelley, Pope, Wilson

Second: Anderson

Noes: None

Mr. Loehr congratulated Julie Opfer on her new position. Julie introduced all of her guests who were in attendance tonight.

CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS PULLED FOR SEPARATE CONSIDERATION

3. Approved Resolution #19/2016-17: Resolution on Board Compensation for Missed Meeting

Motion: Wilson

Ayes: Anderson, Hunt, Pope, Wilson

Second: Hunt

Noes: None

Abstain: Kelley

25. Approved Supplemental Agenda (Vendor Warrants): May 2017

Motion: Hunt

Ayes: Anderson, Hunt, Kelley, Pope

Second: Kelley

Noes: None

Abstain: Wilson

It was announced by Trustee Pope that Mr. Loehr had his evaluation today and that he exceeded all expectations in every area, and received a satisfactory evaluation. Trustee Kelley noted that it is important for everyone to know that the evaluation choices are either satisfactory or unsatisfactory. Mr. Loehr noted that it is an absolute pleasure working with the 5 of them. There are other Superintendents and Boards that have dysfunction and lack of ability to work together; Scott considers himself very fortunate. Trustee Anderson noted that how the Superintendent handles situations with the Board plays a big roll into how that Board gets along and that Scott has done an excellent job. She also noted that the way the District works together also shows the talent in the areas that he shines in; he's done an excellent job.

BUSINESS ITEMS

A. APPROVED - 2017-2018 Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) and Annual Update

Mr. Loehr noted that there was nothing more to add from the last meeting. They are still working on the formatting problem but the content is all there. It is a 2 year plan now so next year the Board will be getting an annual update and they will adjust any goals that need it. He thanked Lisa Coronado and Tami J'Beily for all of their hard work on this.

Motion: Kelley
Second: Hunt

Vote: General Consent

B. APPROVED - 2017/18 Budget

Lisa Coronado noted that there were no changes. Trustee Wilson asked if since the school year is ending, will we be moving money from Fund 20 into the GASB fund. Mr. Loehr noted that there is \$250,000.00 that will be going into the irrevocable trust. Lisa noted that we would be moving \$250,000 per year. Mr. Loehr noted that this now completes a full cycle for Lisa Coronado in this position, from 1st Interim to a new budget.

Motion: Hunt
Second: Kelley

Vote: General Consent

ADVANCE PLANNING

a. Future Meeting Dates:

i. Regular Meeting: Wednesday, August 16, 2017 @ 6:00 p.m. - District Board Room - Room 503, located at Riles Middle School, 4747 PFE Road, Roseville, CA 95747

b. Suggested Agenda Items: HS counseling/block schedule report will be in August. Kushroo will be back in September for CFDs, Mello Roos and state aid.

ADJOURNMENT – 6:35 p.m.

Motion: Hunt
Second: Kelley

Vote: General Consent

Respectfully submitted,

Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent
Secretary to the Board of Trustees

Nancy Anderson, Clerk
Board of Trustees

Adoption Date

AGREEMENT FOR LEGAL SERVICES

THIS AGREEMENT is effective July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (“Client”) and the law firm of LOZANO SMITH, LLP (“Attorney”) (each a “Party” and collectively the “Parties”). Attorney shall provide legal services as requested by Client on the following terms and conditions:

I. **ENGAGEMENT.** Client hires Attorney as its legal counsel with respect to matters the Client refers to Attorney. Attorney shall provide legal services to represent Client in such matters, keep Client informed of significant developments and respond to Client’s inquiries regarding those matters. Client understands that Attorney cannot guarantee any particular results, including the costs and expenses of representation. Client agrees to be forthcoming with Attorney, to cooperate with Attorney in protecting Client’s interests, to keep Attorney fully informed of developments material to Attorney’s representation of client, and to abide by this Agreement. Client is hereby advised of the right to seek independent legal advice regarding this Agreement.

II. **RATES TO BE CHARGED.** Client agrees to pay Attorney for services rendered based on the attached rate schedule. Agreements for legal fees on other-than-an-hourly basis may be made by mutual agreement for special projects (including as set forth in future addenda to this Agreement).

III. **REIMBURSEMENT.** Client agrees to reimburse Attorney for actual and necessary expenses and costs incurred in the course of providing legal services to Client, including but not limited to expert, consultant, mediation and arbitration fees. Attorney shall not be required to advance costs on behalf of Client over the amount of \$1,000 unless otherwise agreed to in writing by Attorney. Typical expenses advanced for Client, without prior authorization, include messenger fees, witness fees, expedited delivery charges, travel expenses, court reporter fees and transcript fees. Client authorizes Attorney to retain experts or consultants to perform services for Client in relation to litigation or Specialized Services.

IV. **MONTHLY INVOICES.** Attorney shall send Client a statement for fees and costs incurred every calendar month (the “Statement”). Statements shall set forth the amount, rate and description of services provided. Client shall pay Attorney’s Statements within thirty (30) calendar days after receipt. An interest charge of one percent (1%) per month shall be assessed on balances that are more than thirty (30) calendar days past due, not to exceed 10% per annum.

V. **COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN ATTORNEY AND CLIENT.** The Parties recognize that all legal advice provided by Attorney is protected by the Attorney-Client and Work Product Privileges. In addition to regular telephone, mail and other common business communication methods, Client hereby authorizes Attorney to use facsimile transmissions, cellular telephone calls and text, unencrypted email, and other electronic transmissions in communicating with

Client. Unless otherwise instructed by Client, any such communications may include confidential information.

VI. **POTENTIAL AND ACTUAL CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.** If Attorney becomes aware of any potential or actual conflict of interest between Client and one or more other clients represented by Attorney, Attorney will comply with applicable laws and rules of professional conduct.

VII. **INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR.** Attorney is an independent contractor and not an employee of Client.

VIII. **TERMINATION.**

a. Termination by Client. Client may discharge Attorney at any time, with or without cause, by written notice to Attorney.

b. Termination by Mutual Consent or by Attorney. Attorney may terminate its services at any time with Client's consent or for good cause. Good cause exists if (a) Client fails to pay Attorney's Statement within sixty (60) calendar days of its date, (b) Client fails to comply with other terms of this Agreement, including Client's duty to cooperate with Attorney in protecting Client's interests, (c) Client has failed to disclose material facts to Attorney or (d) any other circumstance exists that requires termination of this engagement under the ethical rules applicable to Attorney. Additionally, to the extent allowed by law, Attorney may decline to provide services on new matters or may terminate the Agreement without cause upon written notice to Client if Attorney is not then providing any legal services to Client.

c. Following Termination. Upon termination by either Party: (i) Client shall promptly pay all unpaid fees and costs for services provided or costs incurred pursuant to this Agreement up to the date of termination; (ii) unless otherwise required by law or agreed to by the Parties, Attorney will provide no legal services following notice of termination; (iii) Client will cooperate with Attorney in facilitating the orderly transfer of any outstanding matters to new counsel, including promptly signing a substitution of counsel form at Attorney's request; and (iv) Client shall, upon request, be provided the Client's file maintained for the Client by Attorney and shall sign acknowledgment of receipt upon delivery of that file. For all Statements received by Client from Attorney prior to the date of termination, Client's failure to notify Attorney in writing of any disagreement with either the services performed or the charges for those services as shown in the Statement within thirty (30) calendar days of the date of termination shall be deemed Client's acceptance of and agreement with the Statement. For any billing appearing for the first time on a Statement received by Client from Attorney after the date of termination, failure to notify Attorney in writing of any disagreement with either the services performed or the charges for those services within thirty (30) calendar days from receipt of the Statement shall be deemed to signify Client's acceptance of and agreement with the Statement.

IX. MAINTENANCE OF INSURANCE. Attorney agrees that, during the term of this Agreement, Attorney shall maintain liability and errors and omissions insurance.

X. CONSULTANT SERVICES. Attorney works with professional consultants that provide services, including but not limited to investigations, public relations, educational consulting, leadership mentoring and development, financial, budgeting, management auditing, board/superintendent relations, administrator evaluation and best practices, and intergovernmental relations. Attorney does not share its legal fees with such consultants. Attorney may offer these services to Client upon request.

XI. DISPUTE RESOLUTION.

a. Mediation. Except as otherwise set forth in this section, Client and Attorney agree to make a good faith effort to settle any dispute or claim that arises under this Agreement through discussions and negotiations and in compliance with applicable law. In the event of a claim or dispute, either Party may request, in writing to the other Party, to refer the dispute to mediation. This request shall be made within thirty (30) calendar days of the action giving rise to the dispute. Upon receipt of a request for mediation, both Parties shall make a good faith effort to select a mediator and complete the mediation process within sixty (60) calendar days. The mediator's fee shall be shared equally between Client and Attorney. Each Party shall bear its own attorney fees and costs. Whenever possible, any mediator selected shall have expertise in the area of the dispute and any selected mediator must be knowledgeable regarding the mediation process. No person shall serve as mediator in any dispute in which that person has any financial or personal interest in the outcome of the mediation. The mediator's recommendation for settlement, if any, is non-binding on the Parties. Mediation pursuant to this provision shall be private and confidential. Only the Parties and their representatives may attend any mediation session. Other persons may attend only with the written permission of both Parties. All persons who attend any mediation session shall be bound by the confidentiality requirements of California Evidence Code section 1115, et seq., and shall sign an agreement to that effect. Completion of mediation shall be a condition precedent to arbitration, unless the other Party refuses to cooperate in the setting of mediation.

b. Dispute Regarding Fees. Any dispute as to attorney fees and/or costs charged under this Agreement shall to the extent required by law be resolved under the California Mandatory Fee Arbitration Act (Bus. & Prof. Code §§ 6200, et seq.).

c. Binding Arbitration. Except as otherwise set forth in section (b) above, Client and Attorney agree to submit all disputes to final and binding arbitration, either following mediation which fails to resolve all disputes or in lieu of mediation as may be agreed by the Parties in writing. Either Party may make a written request to the other for arbitration. If made in lieu of mediation, the request must be made within sixty (60) calendar days of the action giving rise to the dispute. If the request for arbitration is made following an unsuccessful attempt to mediate the Parties' disputes, the request must be made within ten (10) calendar days of termination of the mediation. The Parties shall

make a good faith attempt to select an arbitrator and complete the arbitration within ninety (90) calendar days. If there is no agreement on an arbitrator, the Parties shall use the Judicial Arbitration and Mediation Service (JAMS). The arbitrator's qualifications must meet the criteria set forth above for a mediator, except, in addition, the arbitrator shall be an attorney unless otherwise agreed by the Parties. The arbitrator's fee shall be shared equally by both Parties. Each Party shall bear its own attorney fees and other costs. The arbitrator shall render a written decision and provide it to both Parties. The arbitrator may award any remedy or relief otherwise available in court and the decision shall set forth the reasons for the award. The arbitrator shall not have any authority to amend or modify this agreement. Any arbitration conducted pursuant to this paragraph shall be governed by California Code of Civil Procedure sections 1281, et seq. By signing this Agreement, Client acknowledges that this agreement to arbitrate results in a waiver of Client's right to a court or jury trial for any fee dispute or malpractice claim. This also means that Client is giving up Client's right to discovery and appeal. If Client later refuses to submit to arbitration after agreeing to do so, Client maybe ordered to arbitrate pursuant to the provisions of California law. Client acknowledges that before signing this Agreement and agreeing to binding arbitration, Client is entitled, and has been given a reasonable opportunity, to seek the advice of independent counsel.

d. Effect of Termination. The terms of this section shall survive the termination of the Agreement.

XII. ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement with its exhibit supersedes any and all other prior or contemporaneous oral or written agreements between the Parties. Each Party acknowledges that no representations, inducements, promises or agreements have been made by any person which are not incorporated herein, and that any other agreements shall be void. Furthermore, any modification of this Agreement shall only be effective if in writing signed by all Parties hereto.

XIII. SEVERABILITY. Should any provision of this Agreement be held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void or unenforceable, but the remainder of the Agreement can be enforced without failure of material consideration to any Party, then this Agreement shall not be affected and it shall remain in full force and effect, unless amended or modified by mutual consent of the Parties; provided, however, that if the invalidity or unenforceability of any provision of this Agreement results in a material failure of consideration, then, to the extent allowed by law, the Party adversely affected thereby shall have the right in its sole discretion to terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice of such termination to the other Party.

XIV. NON-WAIVER. None of the provisions of this Agreement shall be considered waived by either Party unless such waiver is specified in writing.

XV. NO THIRD PARTY RIGHTS. This Agreement shall not create any rights in, or inure to the benefit of, any third party.

XVI. ASSIGNMENT. The terms of this Agreement may not be assigned to any third party. Neither Party may assign any right of recovery under or related to the Agreement to any third party.

SO AGREED:

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL
DISTRICT

LOZANO SMITH, LLP

Scott A. Loehr
Superintendent

Date

 June 5, 2017

Karen M. Rezendes
Managing Partner

Date



PROFESSIONAL RATE SCHEDULE
FOR CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
(Effective July 1, 2017)

1. HOURLY PROFESSIONAL RATES

Client agrees to pay Attorney by the following standard hourly rate*:

Partner** / Senior Counsel / Of Counsel	\$ 260 - \$ 295 per hour
Associate	\$ 200 - \$ 260 per hour
Paralegal / Law Clerk	\$ 135 - \$ 150 per hour
Consultant	\$ 135 - \$ 195 per hour

* Rates for individual attorneys within each category above vary based upon years of experience. Specific rates for each attorney are available upon request.

** Rates for work performed by Senior Partners with 20 years of experience or more may range from \$300 - \$350 per hour.

2. BILLING PRACTICE

Lozano Smith will provide a monthly, itemized Statement for services rendered. Time billed is broken into 1/10 (.10) hour increments, allowing for maximum efficiency in the use of attorney time. Invoices will clearly indicate the department or individuals for whom services were rendered.

Written responses to audit letter inquiries will be charged to Client on an hourly basis, with the minimum charge for such responses equaling .5 hours. Travel time shall be prorated if the assigned attorney travels for two or more clients on the same trip.

3. COSTS AND EXPENSES

In-office copying/electronic communication printing	\$ 0.25 per page
Facsimile	\$ 0.25 per page
Postage	Actual Usage
Mileage	IRS Standard Rate

Other costs, such as messenger, meals, and lodging shall be charged on an actual and necessary basis.

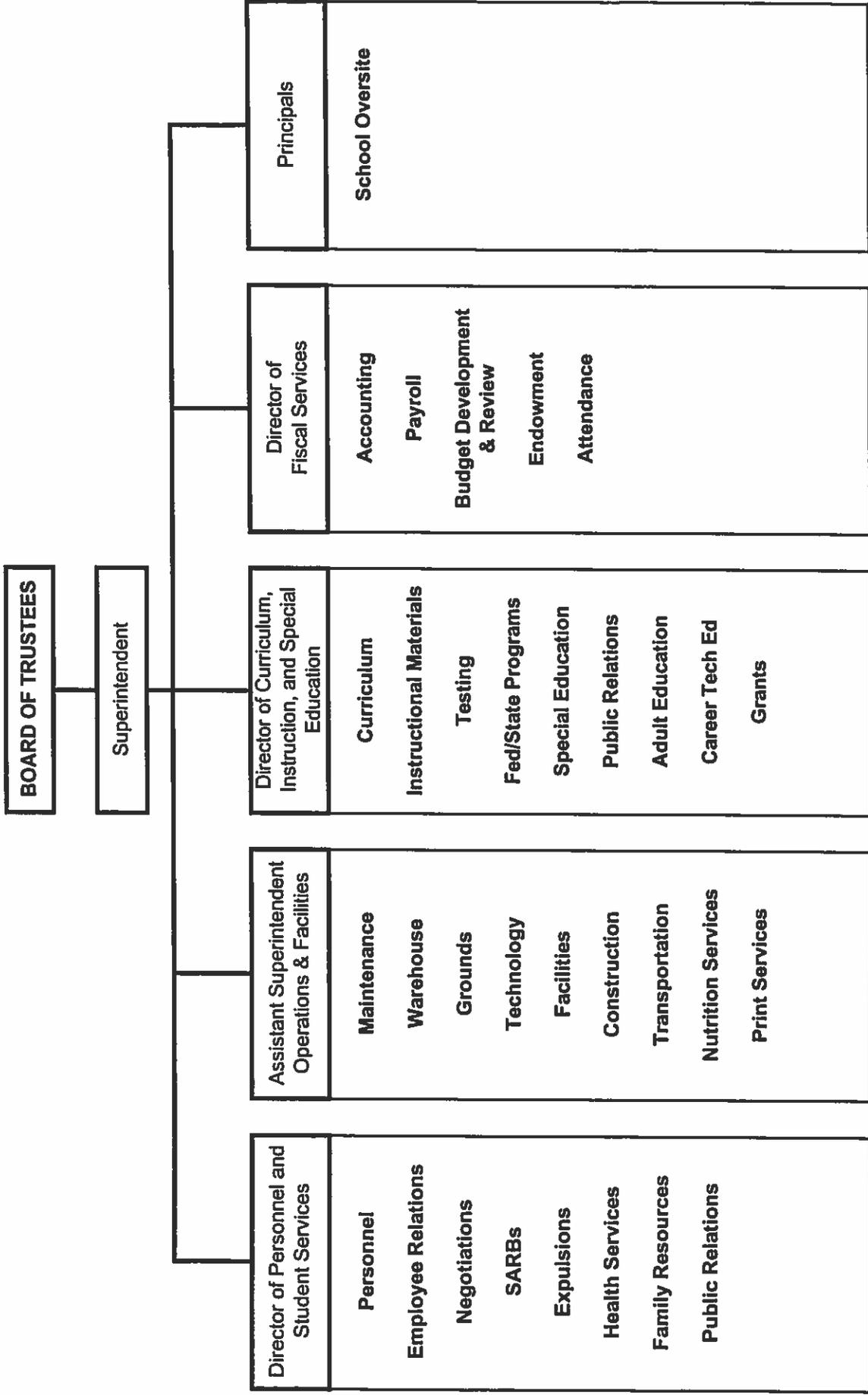
Center Joint Unified School District

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Dept./Site: Superintendent's Office	Action Item <u> X </u>
To: Board of Trustees	Information Item <u> </u>
Date: August 16, 2017	# Attached Pages <u> </u>
From: Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent	
Principal/Administrator Initials: <u> </u>	

SUBJECT: District Organizational Chart
<p>The Organizational Chart has been revised with the addition of the Director of Curriculum and Instruction and Special Education position.</p>
RECOMMENDATION: CUSD Board of Trustees ratify the new organizational chart.

CONSENT AGENDA

Center Joint Unified School District Organizational Chart



Board Approved:

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site:	Personnel Department	Action Item	<u>X</u>
Date:	August 16, 2017	Information Item	<u> </u>
To:	Board of Trustees	# Attached Pages	<u> 1 </u>
From:	David Grimes, Director of Personnel and Student Services		

Subject: Classified Personnel Transactions

New Hire

- Kira Jennings, School Secretary
- Cynthia Schwartz, Cafeteria Worker
- Chiu Croley, Cafeteria Worker
- Elizabeth Gales Davison, Instructional Specialist PH/Autism
- Tracie Perrault, Instructional Specialist
- Bridgette Gray, Cafeteria Worker
- Christine Rice, Cafeteria Worker
- Shannon Barrett-Brown, Instructional Specialist PH/Autism
- Leandra Esparza, Cafeteria Worker
- Christina Huff-Ortega, Instructional Specialist PH/Autism
- Stephanie Strijaous, Instructional Specialist PH/Autism
- Larissa Clement, Cafeteria Worker
- Anne Walters-Cooke, Integrated Services Tech

Promotion

- Michelle Swett, Cafeteria Lead K-6

Resignation

- Hector Castro, Mechanic
- Lyubov Katkanova, Child Aide
- Jaswinder Deol, Bus Driver

Retirement

- Martha Hong Cao, Cafeteria Worker
- Ylba Alzanon, Instructional Specialist PH/Autism

Recommendation: Approve Classified Personnel Transactions as Submitted

CONSENT AGENDA

Kira Jennings has been hired as a School Secretary at Oak Hill Elementary School effective July 24, 2017.

Cynthia Schwartz has been hired as a Cafeteria Worker at Center High School effective August 3, 2017.

Chiu Croley has been hired as a Cafeteria Worker at Wilson Riles Middle School effective August 3, 2017.

Elizabeth Gales Davison has been hired as an Instructional Specialist PH/Autism at Oak Hill Elementary School effective August 3, 2017.

Tracie Perrault has been hired as an Instructional Specialist at Wilson Riles Middle School effective August 3, 2017.

Bridgette Gray has been hired as a Cafeteria Worker at Center High School effective August 3, 2017.

Christine Rice has been hired as a Cafeteria Worker at North Country Elementary School effective August 3, 2017.

Shannon Barrett-Brown has been hired as an Instructional Specialist PH/Autism at North Country Elementary School effective August 3, 2017.

Leandra Esparza has been hired as a Cafeteria Worker at Center High School effective August 3, 2017.

Christina Huff-Ortega has been hired as an Instructional Specialist PH/Autism at Oak Hill Elementary School effective August 3, 2017.

Stephanie Strijaous has been hired as an Instructional Specialist PH/Autism at Dudley Elementary School effective August 3, 2017.

Larissa Clement has been hired as a Cafeteria Worker at Dudley Elementary School effective August 3, 2017.

Anne Walters-Cooke has been hired as an Integrated Services Tech at Spinelli (FRC) effective August 17, 2017.

Michelle Swett has been promoted to Cafeteria Lead K-6 at North Country Elementary School effective August 3, 2017.

Hector Castro has resigned his position as Mechanic effective June 30, 2017.

Lyubov Katkanova has resigned her position as Child Aide at Spinelli Elementary School effective July 3, 2017.

Jaswinder Deol has resigned her position as Bus Driver effective July 14, 2017.

Martha Hong Cao has retired from her position as Cafeteria Worker at Spinelli Elementary School effective May, 25, 2017.

Ylba Alzanoon will retire from her position as an Instructional Specialist PH/Autism at Spinelli Elementary School effective August 31, 2017.

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

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Date:	August 16, 2017	Information Item	-
To:	Board of Trustees <i>[Signature]</i>	# Attached Pages	<u>2</u>
From:	David Grimes, Director of Personnel and Student Services		

Subject: Certificated Personnel Transactions

New Hires

- Vickie Aasen, Curriculum and Instruction
- Orrin Anderson, McClellan High School
- Shahrzad Biddle, Spinelli Elementary School
- Alina Bilti, Wilson Riles Middle School
- Kiara Brady-Kennedy, North Country Elementary School
- Jerald Ferguson, Center High School
- Jim Hannah, Center High School
- Lauren Hellman, Dudley Elementary School
- Emily Hendersen, Center High School
- Maria Hennessy, Center High School
- Elizabeth Hughes, North Country Elementary School
- Douglas Hughey, Center High School
- Denise Johnson, North Country Elementary School
- Alissa Kauffmann, North Country Elementary School
- Chelsea Kaye, Dudley Elementary School
- Rae Krasko, Center High School
- Julia Lathrop, Wilson Riles Middle School
- Allison Leinhard, Oak Hill Elementary School
- Kevin Lobbestael, Center High School
- Kevin Mallane, Center High School
- Lisa McVeigh, Oak Hill Elementary School
- Deborah Pavlovich, Dudley Elementary School
- Hilari Talmage, Curriculum and Instruction
- Erica Walters, Wilson Riles Middle School

Promotion

Mike Jordan, Curriculum and Instruction

Resignation

Kaitlin McLean, Oak Hill Elementary School

Request for Authorization to Employ a Speech Pathologist on a Credential Waiver

Amie Morisette, Curriculum and Instruction

CONSENT AGENDA

Recommendation: Approve Certificated Personnel Transactions as Submitted

New Hires

Vickie Aasen has been hired as a part time Speech Pathologist, Curriculum and Instruction, effective August 1, 2017.

Orrin Anderson has been hired as a part time Adult Education Teacher, McClellan High School, effective August 1, 2017.

Shahrzad Biddle has been hired as a Sixth Grade Teacher, Spinelli Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Alina Bilti has been hired as an Art Teacher, Wilson Riles Middle School, effective August 1, 2017.

Kiara Brady-Kennedy has been hired as a Fourth Grade Teacher, North Country Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Jerald Ferguson has been hired as a Principal, Center High School, effective July 1, 2017.

Jim Hannah has been hired as a Social Science Teacher, Center High School, effective August 1, 2017.

Lauren Hellman has been hired as a Sixth Grade Teacher, Dudley Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Emily Hendersen has been hired as a Math Teacher, Center High School, effective August 1, 2017.

Maria Hennessy has been hired as a Math Teacher, Center High School, effective August 1, 2017.

Elizabeth Hughes has been hired as a Fourth Grade Teacher, North Country Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Douglas Hughey has been hired as an English Teacher, Center High School, effective August 1, 2017.

Denise Johnson has been hired as a First Grade Teacher, North Country Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Alissa Kauffmann has been hired as a Second Grade Teacher, North Country Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Chelsea Kaye has been hired as a Fifth Grade Teacher, North Country Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Rae Krasko has been hired as a Science Teacher, Center High School, effective August 1, 2017.

Julia Lathrop has been hired as a Counselor, Wilson Riles Middle School, effective July 25, 2017.

Allison Leinhard has been hired as a Fifth Grade Teacher, Oak Hill Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Kevin Lobbestael has been hired as a Science Teacher, Center High School, effective August 1, 2017.

Kevin Mallane has been hired as a Special Education Teacher, Center High School, effective August 1, 2017.

Lisa McVeigh has been hired as a Special Education Teacher, Oak Hill Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Deborah Pavlovich has been hired as a Special Education Teacher, Dudley Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Hiliari Talmage has been hired as a part time Speech Pathologist, Curriculum and Instruction, effective July 25, 2017.

Erica Walters has been hired as an English Teacher, Wilson Riles Middle School, effective August 1, 2017.

Promotion

Mike Jordan has been promoted to Director of Curriculum and Instruction and Special Education, Curriculum and Instruction, effective July 1, 2017.

Resignation

Kaitlin McLean resigned her position as Special Education Teacher, Oak Hill Elementary School, effective August 1, 2017.

Request for Authorization to Employ a Speech Pathologist on a Waiver

Curriculum and Instruction would like to employ Amie Morisette as a Speech Pathologist at Center High School, Grades 9-12, on a Credential Waiver, effective August 17, 2017.

CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

JOB TITLE: Director/ Curriculum and Instruction and Special Education

DESCRIPTION OF BASIC RESPONSIBILITIES

To plan, organize, and direct the District's instructional/curriculum and special education activities; to review, monitor, and direct the development and implementation of categorical programs; and to review, monitor, and direct staff development activities.

SUPERVISOR: Superintendent

TYPICAL DUTIES

CURRICULUM AND INSTRUCTION SERVICES:

1. Evaluate existing curriculum; recommend initiation or modification of instructional programs; and develop long range plans for curriculum enhancement.
2. Establish procedures and design programs specifically for curriculum development and related instructional support services.
3. Provide positive leadership in creating opportunities to promote academic improvement of students.
4. Implement curriculum and instructional activities consistent with the assessment of required federal, state, and District programs.
5. Implement curriculum and instructional activities consistent with Student testing, textbooks, and instructional materials.
6. Develop and prepare annual budget for Curriculum and Instruction Department, analyze and review budgetary and financial data, monitor and authorize expenditures in accordance with established guidelines.
7. Supervise and evaluate the performance of assigned staff.
8. Conduct and attend meetings, resolve ad-hoc problems, provide directives and guidance for staff and the public.

9. Direct preparation and maintenance of a variety of narrative and statistical reports, records and files.
10. Serve as a member of the Superintendent's Cabinet and as a representative of the Superintendent as necessary.
11. Attend Board meetings and advise as to requirements and responsibilities of the District.
12. Perform as other duties as assigned by the Superintendent as well as other duties related to the above as required.

STATE AND FEDERAL PROGRAMS:

1. Develop and implement all categorical funded programs.
2. Prepare applications, reports, and documents for submission to local, state and federal agencies.
3. Prepare categorical budgets and work with Business Office in maintaining financial records and monitoring program budgets.
4. Conduct District meetings to ensure that categorical activities are coordinated with sites as needed.
5. Attend state and county level meetings to obtain information and disseminate to staff as needed.
6. Serve as a resource to District's school site councils and advisory committees.
7. Facilitate implementation of Program Reviews and Compliance Reviews.

SPECIAL EDUCATION:

1. Monitor laws and regulations pertaining to special education and develop written policies and procedures to follow legal requirements.
2. Supervise the identification, evaluation and placement of students referred for special education.
3. Organize and direct District special education programs.
4. Supervise designated instructional services for special education programs.

5. Supervise the evaluation of student progress through coordinating academic, health, language and psychological testing.
6. Supervise implementation of all Individual Education Plans (IEPs).
7. Supervise and evaluate special education staff in conjunction with site principals.
8. Oversee training of staff as related to special education.
9. Conduct due process hearings.
10. Represent District in special education programs with public and private organizations and agencies including County Office of education and local SELPA.

STAFF DEVELOPMENT:

1. Supervise the planning, organization, coordination and/or conduct training and inservice programs for District certificated and/or classified staff.
2. Conduct annual staff development needs assessment; direct necessary follow-up activities.
3. Supervise, develop and prepare new teacher assistance programs.
4. Implement quality, long range, and comprehensive staff development programs to support the curriculum and instructional strategies.

PUBLIC RELATIONS:

1. Prepare and disseminate District news to the Board of Trustees, staff, parents and the *Antelope Neighborhood News*.
2. Analyze student achievement data and provide reports to sites.
3. Performs other related duties similar to the above as required.

EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS

Knowledge of:

- Current curriculum and instructional practices;
- School site management and practices, supervision, development, and training;
- Educational programs, curriculum and instruction and learning of students K-I 2;
- Trends affecting curriculum areas and instructional practices;
- Budget preparation and control;
- Oral and written communication skills;
- Principles and practices of management;
- Applicable laws, codes, regulations, policies and procedures.
- District organization, operations, policies and objectives;
- Modern office management and procedures.

Ability to:

- Plan, organize, control and direct the functions of assigned responsibilities;
- Coordinate and work with professional staff, parents, and community groups;
- Assess District effectiveness in instructional programs;
- Coordinate the assessment of the instructional needs of District students;
- Develop, interpret and monitor division and program budgets and evaluate and compare costs associated with the delivery of instruction;
- Interpret, apply and explain rules, regulations, policies and procedures;
- Implement management strategies based on evaluation data;
- Exercise judgement and discretion in interpreting and applying policies and procedures;
- Coordinate the completion of a number of tasks simultaneously in order to meet internal and external deadlines;
- Analyze situations accurately and adopt an effective course of action;
- Meet schedules and time lines;
- Work independently with little direction;
- Plan and organize work;

- Prepare comprehensive narrative and statistical reports;
- Supervise and evaluate the performance of assigned staff;
- Operate and use District business systems and equipment;
- Meet and maintain physical requirements necessary to perform assigned job duties in a safe and effective manner;
- Establish and maintain effective working relationships with the staff and the public;
- Communicate effectively both orally and in writing.

SPECIAL LICENSES, CERTIFICATES AND CLEARANCES

- Valid and appropriate California Teaching Credential;
- Valid and appropriate California School Administrative Credential;
- Valid California state drivers license;
- Drug test clearance;
- TB test clearance;
- Criminal Justice fingerprint process clearance.

EDUCATION AND EXPERIENCE

Any combination of education and experience which would likely provide the required knowledge and abilities is qualifying. A typical way to obtain the required knowledge and abilities would be:

Education

Possession of a Master's degree from an accredited college or university in education, public administration, or a related field.

Experience

At least five (5) years teaching experience PLUS at least three (3) years of increasingly responsible educational management experience.

TYPICAL PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS

- Sufficient vision to monitor a variety of activities and read various documents;
- Sufficient hearing for normal telephone conversations;
- Sufficient dexterity to write, operate telephone and business machines;
- Ability to speak in an understandable voice with sufficient volume to be heard in normal conversational distance, on the telephone and in addressing groups;
- Sitting or standing for extended periods or time;
- Physical, mental and emotional stamina to endure long hours under sometimes stressful conditions.

Center Joint Unified School District

Dept./Site: Personnel	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
To: Board of Trustees	Action Item <u> X </u>
Date: August 16, 2017	Information Item <u> </u>
From: David Grimes, Director of Personnel	# Attached Pages <u> 1 </u>
Principal/Administrator Initials: _____	

SUBJECT: REVISED CERTIFICATED MANAGEMENT SALARY SCHEDULE

This salary schedule is not an increase in compensation, but has been revised with the removal of the Assistant Superintendent of C&I position and the addition of the Director of C&I/Special Ed position.

RECOMMENDATION: The CJUSD Board of Trustees approve the Revised Certificated Management Salary Schedule.

CONSENT AGENDA

**CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
CERTIFICATED MANAGEMENT SALARY SCHEDULE**

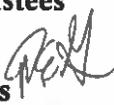
2017-2018

POSITION	WORK YEAR	STEP 1	STEP 2	STEP 3	STEP 4	STEP 5	STEP 6	STEP 7
Director of Personnel & Student Serv (DPSS)	215	\$91,179	\$93,914	\$96,732	\$99,633	\$102,622	\$105,701	\$108,872
Director of C & I Special Education (CISP)	215	\$91,179	\$93,914	\$96,732	\$99,633	\$102,622	\$105,701	\$108,872
Principal (HSP)	209	\$102,516	\$105,591	\$108,759	\$112,021	\$115,381	\$118,843	\$122,408
Continuation HS Principal (CHSP)	209	\$89,521	\$92,207	\$94,973	\$97,823	\$100,758	\$103,781	\$106,894
H.S. Asst. Principal (HSVP)	200	\$83,137	\$85,631	\$88,199	\$90,845	\$93,570	\$96,377	\$99,269
Elem. Principal (EPYR)	204	\$86,944	\$89,552	\$92,238	\$95,006	\$97,856	\$100,792	\$103,816
Elem. Asst. Principal (EVPY)	200	\$77,188	\$79,504	\$81,890	\$84,346	\$86,876	\$89,482	\$92,167
Middle School Asst Principal (MSAP)	200	\$79,241	\$81,618	\$84,066	\$86,588	\$89,186	\$91,862	\$94,618
Middle School Principal (MSP)	209	\$91,089	\$93,822	\$96,637	\$99,536	\$102,522	\$105,598	\$108,766
Continuation HS Asst Principal (CHAP)	200	\$79,241	\$81,618	\$84,066	\$86,588	\$89,186	\$91,862	\$94,618

Masters: \$1,000 Ed.D./Ph.D \$1,250
 Longevity: +1.0% after 8 years District service
 +2.0% after 10 years District service
 +2.5% after 13 years District service
 +3.0% after 15 years District service
 +3.5% after 18 years District service
 +4.0% after 20 years District service
 +6.0% after 25 years District service
 +8.0% after 30 years District service

AGENDA ITEM # XV-8

Center Joint Unified School District

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Dept./Site:	Personnel Department		
Date:	August 16, 2017	Action Item	<u> X </u>
To:	Board of Trustees	Information Item	
		# Attached Pages	<u> 1 </u>
From:	David Grimes 		
	Director of Personnel and Student Services		

SUBJECT:	<u>RESOLUTION NO. #3/2017-18</u>
<p>Attached for Board review and action is Resolution No. #3/2017-18, Request for Teacher Authorization to teach English Electives for the 2017-18 school year.</p>	
<p>Recommendation: Approve Resolution No. #3/2017-18 as Submitted</p>	

CONSENT AGENDA

AGENDA ITEM # XV-8

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

RESOLUTION #3/2017-18 Authorization to Teach English Electives

WHEREAS, Education Code Section 44263 allows, by resolution of the Governing Board, the holder of a Teaching Credential to teach, with his or her consent, a single subject class in which he or she has 18 semester hours of coursework or nine semester hours of upper division or graduate course work in the single subject to be taught, and

WHEREAS, Rob McInnes holds a Multiple Subject with a Supplementary Authorization in English Teaching Credential and has completed 18 semester hours of coursework in the subject area of English;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Rob McInnes is authorized to teach English Electives in the schools of the Center Joint Unified School District in accordance with Education Code Section 44263 and its provision for such teaching. This authorization shall be in effect for the **2017-18** school year.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Center Joint Unified School District Governing Board at its regular meeting of August 16, 2017, by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTENTIONS:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was duly introduced, passed, and adopted as stated.

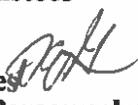
ATTEST:

Delrae Pope, President
Board of Trustees

Scott A. Loehr, Secretary to the Board of Trustees

AGENDA ITEM # XV-9

Center Joint Unified School District

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From:	David Grimes 		
	Director of Personnel and Student Services		

SUBJECT:	<u>RESOLUTION NO. #4/2017-18</u>
<p>Attached for Board review and action is Resolution No. #4/2017-18, Request for Teacher Authorization to teach Industrial and Technology Education for the 2017-18 school year.</p>	
<p>Recommendation: Approve Resolution No. #4/2017-18 as Submitted</p>	

CONSENT AGENDA

AGENDA ITEM # XV-9

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

RESOLUTION #4/2017-18

Authorization to Teach Industrial and Technology Education

WHEREAS, Education Code Section 44263 allows, by resolution of the Governing Board, the holder of a Teaching Credential to teach, with his or her consent, a single subject class in which he or she has 18 semester hours of coursework or nine semester hours of upper division or graduate course work in the single subject to be taught, and

WHEREAS, Benjamin Klatt holds a Single Subject with a Supplementary Authorization in Industrial Arts Teaching Credential and has completed 18 semester hours of coursework in the subject area of Industrial and Technology education;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that Benjamin Klatt is authorized to teach Industrial and Technology Education in the schools of the Center Joint Unified School District in accordance with Education Code Section 44263 and its provision for such teaching. This authorization shall be in effect for the 2017-18 school year.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Center Joint Unified School District Governing Board at its regular meeting of August 16, 2017, by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTENTIONS:

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was duly introduced, passed, and adopted as stated.

ATTEST:

Delrae Pope, President
Board of Trustees

Scott A. Loehr, Secretary to the Board of Trustees

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Personnel

Date: August 8, 2017

To: Board of Trustees

From: David Grimes, Director of Personnel

Action Item X

Director's Initials: DGA

SUBJECT: DECLARATION OF HARD-TO-FILL POSITIONS

As outlined in BP 4211, Director of Personnel David Grimes is requesting approval from the Governing Board to designate the following position as "Hard-to-Fill" for the 2017/18 school year. Such designation authorizes the District to provide recruiting incentives in alignment with currently negotiated agreements with CSEA.

Hard to Fill Classified Position:

Bus Driver

CONSENT AGENDA

Center Unified School District

Dept./Site: Personnel	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Date: August 16, 2017	Action Item <u>X</u>
To: Board of Trustees	
From: David Grimes, Director of Personnel	
Director's Initials: <u>DG</u>	

CONSENT AGENDA

SUBJECT: MOU – SCOE Induction Program
<p>Every new teacher in California is required to complete a two year professional induction program in order to move from a Preliminary Credential to the 2nd level, or "Clear" Credential. Center Joint Unified School District has partnered with the Sacramento Consortium Induction Program offered through Sacramento County Office of Education, a program authorized by California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, to assist new teachings in fulfilling the state's requirements for a Clear Credential.</p> <p>Attached is the Memorandum of Understanding between the District and Sacramento County Office of Education for the 2017/18 school year.</p>
Recommendation: Approve MOU for Teacher Induction for 2017/18.

**District Memorandum of Understanding
Sacramento Consortium Teacher Induction Program,
Sacramento County Office of Education
and Center Unified School District**

The Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) is the Local Education Agency for SCOE's Sacramento Consortium Teacher Induction Program, formerly known as BTSA. SCOE partners with Charter, Private and District programs (Program Partners) to administer a CTC approved two-year Teacher Induction Program (Induction Program) for General Education Multiple and Single Subject and Education Specialist Clear Credentials. This partnership is hereinafter referred to as the Consortium.

The Sacramento Consortium Teacher Induction Advisory Council (Advisory Council) is comprised of representatives from SCOE, Program Partners, and Institutions of Higher Education. It provides feedback to the Induction Program and helps enhance PK-20 education collaboration.

The purpose of the MOU is to establish a formal working relationship between the parties to this agreement and to set forth the operative conditions, which will govern this partnership. SCOE and the participating LEA will form a partnership in providing and coordinating services as part of the Consortium.

I. Parties

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is between the Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) and the Center Unified School District (District) to implement the Induction Program.

II. Term

The effective dates of this MOU are July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018. It shall continue year to year thereafter unless it is terminated by either party. Either party may terminate this agreement upon written notice submitted to the Advisory Council no later than 180 days prior to the start of the next school year.

III. Responsibilities - General

A. SCOE shall:

1. Be responsible for ensuring that the Induction Program fulfills the applicable standards of program quality and effectiveness adopted by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) and the California Department of Education (CDE) through the development of the Sacramento Consortium Teacher Induction Program Standards and a Sacramento Consortium Teacher Induction Program Plan. Both documents shall meet the CTC and CDE requirements.
2. Supply to the CTC and CDE reports and other information as requested on all matters related to program requirements and activities.
3. Employ staff to perform services as described in the Sacramento Consortium Teacher Induction Program Standards and budget guidelines.
4. Provide a workspace for SCOE's Induction Program staff including computer, fax access and telephone, and meeting space for program activities.
5. Develop an annual program budget.
6. Establish a payment schedule and reporting requirements for the fee for service for each eligible credential candidate.
7. Develop and establish contracts with outside vendors for professional services as needed and/or required.
8. Facilitate a process for equitable distribution of services to Induction Program credential candidates and Mentors in all Consortium partners.
9. Advise participants of an Early Completion option for "experienced and exceptional" candidates.
10. Convene the Advisory Council and develop other administrative processes as provided for in the Sacramento Consortium Teacher Induction Program Plan.
11. Participate in program evaluation.

- B. The District agrees to the following:
1. The District superintendent or designee will serve as the District Advisor. He/she shall provide feedback and support to SCOE's Induction Program Coordinator and serve on the Advisory Council. District will identify the District Advisor on Attachment 1 (attached hereto and incorporated herein) and return the attachment with their signature to the MOU.
 2. Appoint an Induction Program Coordinator according to established guidelines to oversee all Induction Program activities within the District and assume the responsibilities established by the Consortium
 3. Assess credential candidates to ensure that they meet enrollment criteria. Enroll and serve eligible credential candidates according to induction requirements and criteria established by the Consortium.
 4. Identify all teachers who are in their first year of teaching or first year of teaching in the District and other candidates who are eligible for Program services as described by CTC guidelines by September 30, 2017.
 5. Confirm all participants by October 31, 2017 for purposes of invoicing.
 6. Identify all school sites with eligible credential candidates and provide appropriate and sufficient information to all site administrators.
 7. Communicate to all site administrators the Program requirements, including release time to participate in required observations (2-4 days) and employer input into the Candidates development of an *Individual Learning Plan (ILP)* within the first 60 days of enrollment in the program. The ILP will be solely used for professional growth and development of the participating teacher, not for evaluation or employment purposes.
 8. Select experienced teachers as Induction Program Mentors according to established criteria as outlined in CTC's 2015 Teacher Induction Program Standards. Ensure Mentors attend required Mentor training.
 9. Assign a qualified Mentor to each eligible Candidate within 30 days of enrollment in the Program who meets the Commission's identified criteria of a valid corresponding Clear or Life Credential, three (3) years successful teaching experience, and English learner authorization. Pair Candidates with Mentors who most closely match their teaching assignment, including grade level and subject matter, and their credential.
 10. Ensure Mentors meet one-on-one or in small group consultations with the participating teacher(s) as described in the program.
 11. Ensure that each participating teacher receives an average of not less than one hour per week of individualized support/mentoring.
 12. Arrange for substitute teachers if necessary to allow Mentors' observations of their credential candidates.
 13. Provide on-going information about Induction Program activities to the Districts' governing board.
 14. Participate in required program evaluation.
 15. Agree to all completion requirements as stated in the approved induction program document.
 16. Determine if a candidate has completed the Induction Program requirements prior to recommending a candidate for a clear credential.

IV. Responsibilities - Fiscal

- A. SCOE, in its capacity as the Induction Program's LEA, agrees to the following:
1. Overall fiscal responsibility for the administration of the Induction Program.
 2. Develop and maintain a balanced budget that allocates amounts sufficient to meet the costs of implementing program responsibilities as described in the Sacramento Consortium Teacher Induction Program Plan.
 3. Expend income according to regularly established policies and procedures within the SCIP expenditure guidelines.
 4. Reimbursement of costs for substitutes for teachers participating in required Induction Program trainings and/or planning events.

B. The District agrees to the following:

1. Pay \$1,800 per Teacher Candidate cost-for-service fee per year of a two-year Induction Program. District agrees to pay the full fee unless written notice is provided to SCOE per paragraph 4 below.
2. Pay \$2,300 cost-for-service fee for each Teacher Candidate who has met the criteria for, and has been accepted as a candidate to utilize the 18-month Early Completion Option (ECO), in lieu of the two-year program. District agrees to pay the full fee unless written notice is provided to SCOE per paragraph 4 below.
3. Pay \$1,000 cost-for-service fee for each Teacher Candidate who is enrolled as an Education Specialist Only candidate. District is not obligated to provide Mentors for Education Specialist Only candidates. District agrees to pay the full fee unless written notice is provided to SCOE per paragraph 4 below.
4. Provide written notice to SCOE of any Teacher Candidate who discontinues program participation. Written notice may be provided via email to gbright@scoe.net. SCOE will provide a refund to the District according to the following schedule:

Date SCOE Receives Written Notice	Amount of Refund
Jul. 1-Sept. 30	100% of Teacher Candidate fee
Oct. 1-Nov. 30	50% of Teacher Candidate fee
Dec. 1-Jan. 31	25% of Teacher Candidate fee
Feb. 1-Jun. 30	No refund

5. Designate a Fiscal Contact to maintain fiscal records related to the District's Induction Program and provide them to the Induction Program upon request.

V. Ownership of Materials

Any and all products developed by Induction Program are the exclusive property of the SCOE. School districts, their employees, staff, and subcontractors shall not have the right to disseminate, market, or otherwise use the products without the expressed written permission of SCOE and the Consortium. SCOE and Induction Program shall have the authority to adapt and adopt materials developed by Induction Program for dissemination purposes.

VI. Compliance with CTC Requirements

Both parties agree to adhere to the General Preconditions established by the CTC, which are attached to this MOU as Attachment 2 and incorporated into the MOU.

VII. General Terms.

- A. **Entire Contract.** This contract contains the Parties' entire written agreement. Any representations or promises not specifically detailed in this document will not be valid or binding on the Parties to this contract. Any modification to the terms of this contract must be made in writing and signed by all Parties to this contract.
- B. **Indemnification:**
 1. District agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless SCOE (including its directors, agents, officers and employees) from any claim, action, or proceeding arising from any actual or alleged acts or omissions of District (its director, agents, officers, or employees) in performing its duties and obligations described in this agreement or imposed by law.

SCOE agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless District (including its directors, agents,

officers and employees) from any claim, action, or proceeding arising from any actual or alleged acts or omissions of SCOE (its director, agents, officers, or employees) in performing its duties and obligations described in this agreement or imposed by law.

2. Each party shall be responsible for maintaining the confidentiality of employee data to the extent required by law. If either party fails to comply with this requirement it shall hold the non-offending party harmless and indemnify that party for the breach of confidentiality.
3. The principals of comparative fault shall govern this agreement. This provision shall survive the termination of this agreement.

C. Independent Agents. This MOU is by and between two independent agents and is not intended to and shall not be construed to create the relationship of agent, servant, employee, partnership, joint venture and/or association. The employees and agents of each party shall not be entitled to the employment benefits of the other by virtue of this agreement. Each party shall remain responsible for worker's compensation and other employment laws for their respective employees.

D. Nondiscrimination Clause. Any service provided by either party pursuant to this agreement shall be without discrimination based on the actual or perceived race, religious creed, color, national origin, nationality, ethnicity, ethnic group identification, ancestry, age, marital status, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sex, or sexual orientation, in accordance with all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.

E. Execution of Agreement. This agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Photographic copies of such signed counterparts may be used in lieu of the originals for any purpose.

By affixing its signature to this Contract, each Party warrants and represents that each has the authority to enter into this contract and to perform all obligations under the contract, and further that the signatory of this contract is authorized to legally bind the Party.

By: _____
Signature of Authorized Official
Sacramento County Office of Education

Title: Program Director

Date: _____

By:  _____
Signature of Authorized Official
Center Unified School District

Title: Director of Personnel & Student Svcs.

Date: July 24, 2017

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Special Education/DO

Date: August 16, 2017

Action Item X

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

From: Michael Jordan
Director of Special Education & Curriculum

_____ # Attached Pages

Initials: MJ

SUBJECT: 2016/2017 Master Contract

Please ratify the following Master Contract for a special education student to receive services at a nonpublic school/agency during the 2016/17 fiscal year.

Sierra School

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees to ratify a Master Contract for the 2016/2017 school year.

CONSENT AGENDA

*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2016-2017

MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED

Contract Year 2016-2017

- Nonpublic School
 Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date: _____

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 - Term of Master Contract

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2016-2017**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

**NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: SIERRA SCHOOL
NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT**

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2016, between the Center Joint Unified School District (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and Sierra School, (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

~~During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy does not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).~~

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2016 to June 30, 2017 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2017. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION

OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. ~~INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT~~

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents and employees.
- b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area ("SELPA") of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. "Parent" means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term "days" means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase "billable day" means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase "billable day of attendance" means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term "Master Contract" also means "Agreement" and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, "records" shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker's compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR'S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student's record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student's record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student's records by: (a) LEA student's parent; (b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to

student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof.

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, ~~CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.~~

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A - Statutory Limits

Part B - \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITY (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim

resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict

of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education

and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school; (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements. Per Sections 60851.5 and 60851.6 of the California Education Code, these requirements do not include passing the California High School Exit Exam ("CAHSEE") as the administration of that examination is currently suspended.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services

shall develop a written treatment plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is an LCI, all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

CONTRACTOR providing special education instruction for individuals with exceptional needs between the ages of three (3) and five (5) years, inclusive, shall also comply with the appropriate instructional adult to child ratios pursuant to California Education Code sections 56440 *et seq.*

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar, or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced

in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment ("LRE") options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team's recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress ("CAASP"), Desired Results Developmental Profile ("DRDP"), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), and the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test ("CELDT") as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR'S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit serious behavioral challenges must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program ("IEP") team determines that a student's behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports ("BERs"). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP that is designed to change, replace, modify, or eliminate a targeted behavior, and instead may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student, or others. Before emergency interventions may be applied, the behavior must be of the kind that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR

may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 et seq. CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student one month prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and

pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies, and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic

School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. **LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS**

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. **STATE MEAL MANDATE**

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. **MONITORING**

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent") shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching

staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

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45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for all of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

~~CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.~~

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of this Master Contract.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of

each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours, submit electronically, any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit required accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. ~~To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.~~

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay

properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), ~~at all reasonable times and without charge.~~ All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the percentage of a 314-minute instructional day.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB ("ERMHS + Room and Board"). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making ~~false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property, and are not presently indicted for, or~~ otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2016 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2017, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
SIERRA SCHOOL

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature

Date

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

CARLEE WILKES, DIRECTOR

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:

Name and Title

CARLEE WILKES, SIERRA SCHOOL

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
1150 EASTERN AVENUE

Address

SACRAMENTO CA

City

State

Zip

916-488-5455

Phone

Fax

Carlee.wilkes@sierra-school.com

Email*

(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED

By:

Signature

Date

By:

SCOTT A. LOEHR, SUPERINTENDENT

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:

SCOTT A. LOEHR, SUPERINTENDENT

Name and Title

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED

LEA
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Address

ANTELOPE CA 95843

City

State

Zip

916-338-6320

916-338-6329

Phone

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probinson@centerusd.org

Email

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY - 2016-2017 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR SIERRA SCHOOL **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 20 **2016-2017**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) **(CONTRACT YEAR)**

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ If blank, the number shall be as determined by CDE Certification.

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Rate	Period
145.00	7/1/16-6/30/17

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation - Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	\$25.00	7/1/16-6/30/17
b. Transportation - One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)		
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment		
d. Public Transportation		
e. Parent*		
(2) a. Educational Counseling - Individual		
b. Educational Counseling - Group of		
c. Counseling - Parent		
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education - Individual		
b. Adapted Physical Education - Group of		
c. Adapted Physical Education - Group of		
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy - Individual	\$100.00/ 20 min	7/1/16-6/30/17
b. Language and Speech Therapy - Group of 2		
c. Language and Speech Therapy - Group of 3		
d. Language and Speech Therapy - Assessment		
e. Language and Speech - Consultation Rate		
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)		
b. Additional Instructional Assistant - Group of 2		
c. Additional Instructional Assistant - Group of 3		
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**		
(7) a. Occupational Therapy - Individual		
b. Occupational Therapy - Group of 2		
c. Occupational Therapy - Group of 3		
d. Occupational Therapy - Group of 4 - 7		
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate		
(9) Physical Therapy		
(10) Initial Evaluations		
Independent Education Evaluations (IEEs)		
(11)		

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.
 **By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Special Education

Date: August 16, 2017

Action Item X

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

From: Michael Jordan
Director of Special Education & Curriculum

 # Attached Pages

Initials: MJ

SUBJECT: 2016/2017 Individual Services Agreements

Please ratify the following Individual Services Agreements for special education to receive services at nonpublic schools/agencies during the 2016/17 fiscal year.

2016/17-238	Placer Learning Center	\$2,712.00
2016/17-239	Sierra School/Eastern	\$ 828.00

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees to ratify Individual Service Agreements for the 2016/2017 school year.

CONSENT AGENDA

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Special Education/DO

Date: August 16, 2017

Action Item X

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

From: Michael Jordan
Director of Special Education & Curriculum

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Initials: MOJ

SUBJECT: 2017/2018 Master Contracts

Please ratify the following Master Contracts for special education students to receive services at nonpublic schools/agencies during the 2017/18 fiscal year.

- Aldar Academy
- American River Speech
- Bright Start Therapy
- C.C.H.A.T. Center
- C.T.E.C.
- Capitol Academy
- Capitol Elementary
- Easter Seal Society of CA
- Hearsay
- Jabbergym
- Maxim Healthcare Services
- Occupational Therapy for Children
- Placer Learning Center
- Sierra School
- Sierra Foothills Academy

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees to ratify Master Contracts for the 2017/2018 school year.

CONSENT AGENDA

*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: ALDAR ACADEMY

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the **CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT** (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and **ALDAR ACADEMY** (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term “CONTRACTOR” means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term “authorized LEA representative” means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (“SELPA”) of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term “credential” means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term “qualified” means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term “license” means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. “Parent” means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child’s parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child’s welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child’s behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 *et seq.*; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent") shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for all of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
DANIEL RAMIREZ

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature

Date

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
ED NOSKOWSKI, PRESIDENT

Name and Title
ALDAR ACADEMY

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
4436 ENGLE ROAD

Address
SACRAMENTO CA 95821

City State Zip
916-485-9685 916-485-9685

Phone Fax

Email*
(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

7/1/17

By:

Signature

Date

By:

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL
EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address
ANTELOPE CA 95843

City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329

Phone Fax
probinson@centerusd.org

Email

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR ALDAR ACADEMY **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 01 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ **If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.**

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

	Rate	Period
A. <u>Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction</u>	146.28	7/1/17-6/30/18
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment		

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	16.94	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)		
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment		
d. Public Transportation		
e. Parent*		
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual		
b. Educational Counseling – Group of		
c. Counseling – Parent		
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual		
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual		
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3		
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Per diem		
e. Language and Speech - Consultation Rate		
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)		
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2		
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3		
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**		
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual		
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Occupational Therapy – Group of 3		
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7		
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate		
(9) Physical Therapy		
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII		
b. Behavior Intervention – BID		
Provided by: _____		
(11) Nursing Services		

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.

**By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

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SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: AMERICAN RIVER SPEECH

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the **CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT** (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and **AMERICAN RIVER SPEECH** (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area ("SELPA") of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. "Parent" means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. **POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS**

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program ("IEP") team determines that a student's behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports ("BERs"). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 *et seq.*; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction (“Superintendent”) shall monitor CONTRACTOR’S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as “FBI”) for all of CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee’s conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (“FBI”). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. **STAFF QUALIFICATIONS**

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. **VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS**

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
AMERICAN RIVER SPEECH

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature Date

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
VICKI BEREZIN, CLINICAL DIRECTOR

Name and Title
AMERICAN RIVER SPEECH

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
11344 COLOMA ROAD, #810

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Email*
(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

7/1/17

By:

Signature Date

By:

Michael Jordan Dir. CIE & S, Ed.
Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL
EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

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City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329

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Email

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR AMERICAN RIVER SPEECH **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 02 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ **If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.**

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

Rate	Period
_____	_____
_____	_____

A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment	_____	_____
d. Public Transportation	_____	_____
e. Parent*	_____	_____
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual	_____	_____
b. Educational Counseling – Group of	_____	_____
c. Counseling – Parent	_____	_____
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual	_____	_____
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	85.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Per diem	_____	_____
e. Language and Speech - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	_____	_____
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3	_____	_____
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**	_____	_____
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Occupational Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7	_____	_____
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(9) Physical Therapy	_____	_____
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII	_____	_____
b. Behavior Intervention – BID	_____	_____
Provided by: _____	_____	_____
(11) Nursing Services	_____	_____

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.
 **By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

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MASTER CONTRACT

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**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: BRIGHT START THERAPIES

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MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and BRIGHT START THERAPIES (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area ("SELPA") of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. "Parent" means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. **POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS**

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program ("IEP") team determines that a student's behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports ("BERs"). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent") shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

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45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for all of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
BRIGHT START THERAPIES

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature

Date

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
KAREN FITTINGER, MS CC SLP, OWNER

Name and Title

BRIGHT START THERAPIES

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
198 CIRBY WAY, SUITE 140

Address

ROSEVILLE, CA 95678

City State Zip

916-773-8282 916-483-6699

Phone

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bstartaids@yahoo.com

Email*

(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

7/1/17

By:

Signature

Date

By:

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL
EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA

3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address

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Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone

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Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR BRIGHT START THERAPIES **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 03 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ **If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.**

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

Rate	Period
_____	_____
_____	_____

- A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
 Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment	_____	_____
d. Public Transportation	_____	_____
e. Parent*	_____	_____
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual	_____	_____
b. Educational Counseling – Group of	_____	_____
c. Counseling – Parent	_____	_____
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual	_____	_____
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	120.00/ session	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2	75.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Per diem	_____	_____
e. Language and Speech - Evaluation rate	750.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	_____	_____
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3	_____	_____
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**	_____	_____
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Occupational Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7	_____	_____
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(9) Physical Therapy	_____	_____
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII	_____	_____
b. Behavior Intervention – BID	_____	_____
Provided by: _____	_____	_____
(11) Nursing Services	_____	_____

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.
 **By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

Nonpublic School
 Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date: _____

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: CCHAT CENTER

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and CCHAT CENTER (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area ("SELPA") of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. "Parent" means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.
- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment ("LRE") options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team's recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress ("CAASPP"), Desired Results Developmental Profile ("DRDP"), California Alternative Assessment ("CAA"), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test ("CELDT"), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("ELPAC"), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR'S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent") shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for all of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each school/nonpublic agency monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
CCHAT CENTER

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature

Date

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
LAURA COVELLO, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

Name and Title

CCHAT CENTER SACRAMENTO

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
11100 COLOMA ROAD

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City

State

Zip

916-361-7290

916-361-8613

Phone

Fax

laurac@cchatsacramento.org

Email*

(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

7/1/17

By:

Signature

Date

By:

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
**MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL
EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM**

Name and Title

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA

3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address

ANTELOPE CA 95843

City

State

Zip

916-338-6320

916-338-6329

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probinson@centerusd.org

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Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR CCHAT CENTER **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 03 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ **If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.**

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
 Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Rate	Period
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment	_____	_____
d. Public Transportation	_____	_____
e. Parent*	_____	_____
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual	_____	_____
b. Educational Counseling – Group of	_____	_____
c. Counseling – Parent	_____	_____
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual	_____	_____
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	120.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Audiologist	150.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate	120.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	_____	_____
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3	_____	_____
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**	_____	_____
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Occupational Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7	_____	_____
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(9) Physical Therapy	_____	_____
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII	_____	_____
b. Behavior Intervention – BID	_____	_____
Provided by: _____	_____	_____
(11) Nursing Services	_____	_____

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.

**By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017-2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

 Nonpublic School
 X Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

 X Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

 Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

 Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date:

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: CTEC

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and CTEC (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area ("SELPA") of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. "Parent" means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent") shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

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45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for all of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
CTEC (COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY
EDUCATION CENTER)

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature

Date

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
JAMIE CRUM, CTEC PROGRAM DIRECTOR

Name and Title
CTEC

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
1010 HURLEY WAY, STE 180

Address
SACRAMENTO, CA 95826

City State Zip
916-361-7290 916-361-8613

Phone Fax
jcrum.ctec@gmail.com

Email*
(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

7/1/17

By:

Signature

Date

By:

Michael Jordan Dir CTE & SpEd
Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
**MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL
EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM**

Name and Title
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address
ANTELOPE CA 95843

City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329

Phone Fax
probinson@centerusd.org

Email

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR _____ **CTEC** _____ **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 05 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) _____ **(CONTRACT YEAR)**

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ **If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.**

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

Rate	Period
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment	_____	_____
d. Public Transportation	_____	_____
e. Parent*	_____	_____
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual	_____	_____
b. Educational Counseling – Group of	_____	_____
c. Counseling – Parent	_____	_____
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual	_____	_____
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	149.00/ HR	7/1/17-6/30/18
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Per diem	_____	_____
e. Language and Speech - Evaluation rate	_____	_____
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	_____	_____
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3	_____	_____
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**	_____	_____
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Occupational Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7	_____	_____
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(9) Physical Therapy	_____	_____
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII	_____	_____
b. Behavior Intervention – BID	_____	_____
Provided by: _____	_____	_____
(11) Nursing Services	_____	_____

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.
 **By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

Nonpublic School
 Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date: _____

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: CAPITOL ACADEMY

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and CAPITOL ACADEMY (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term “CONTRACTOR” means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term “authorized LEA representative” means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (“SELPA”) of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term “credential” means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term “qualified” means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term “license” means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. “Parent” means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child’s parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child’s welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child’s behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 et seq. CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent") shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for all of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
CAPITOL ACADEMY

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Nonpublic School/Agency

By: _____
Signature Date

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

By: Michael D. Jordan 7/1/17
Signature Date
By: Michael Jordan Pr. Chief of Ed
Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
IRA ROSS, DIRECTOR

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title
CAPITOL ACADEMY

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
3063 GOLD CANAL DRIVE

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RANCHO CORDOVA, CA 95670

City State Zip
916-258-7657 916-266-2615

Phone Fax
iross@capitolacademy.net

Email*
(*Required)

Name and Title
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

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ANTELOPE CA 95843

City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329

Phone Fax
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Email

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR CAPITOL ACADEMY **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 06 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

Rate	Period
146.28	7/1/17-6/30/18

A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	25.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	12.50	7/1/17-6/30/18
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment		
d. Public Transportation		
e. Parent*		
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual		
b. Educational Counseling – Group of		
c. Counseling – Parent		
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual		
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	90.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	375.00/ per assessment	7/1/17-6/30/18
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Audiology		
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate		
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	24.96/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2		
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3		
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**		
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	100.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Occupational Therapy – Assessment	395.00/ per assessment	7/1/17-6/30/18
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7		
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate		
(9) Physical Therapy		
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII		
b. Behavior Intervention – BID		
Provided by: _____		
(11) Nursing Services		

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.
 **By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

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MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

X Nonpublic School
 Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

X Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

 Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

 Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date:

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: CAPITOL ELEMENTARY

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the **CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT** (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and **CAPITOL ELEMENTARY** (nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term “CONTRACTOR” means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term “authorized LEA representative” means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (“SELPA”) of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term “credential” means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency–approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term “license” means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. “Parent” means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child’s parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child’s welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child’s behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent") shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

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45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for all of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at:
<http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
CAPITOL ELEMENTARY

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature Date

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
IRA ROSS, DIRECTOR

Name and Title
CAPITOL ELEMENTARY
Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
PO BOX 72647

Address
DAVIS, CA 95617

City State Zip
916-374-5400 916-374-5401

Phone Fax
iross@capitolelementary.com

Email*
(*Required)

By:

7/1/17

Signature Date

By:

Name and Title of Authorized Representative
Michael Jordan Dir. CTE & SpEd

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address
ANTELOPE CA 95843

City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329

Phone Fax
probinson@centerusd.org

Email

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR CAPITOL ELEMENTARY **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 07 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ **If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.**

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

	Rate	Period
A. <u>Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction</u>	<u>150.00</u>	<u>7/1/17-6/30/18</u>
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment		

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	<u>25.00</u>	<u>7/1/17-6/30/18</u>
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	<u>12.50</u>	<u>7/1/17-6/30/18</u>
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment		
d. Public Transportation		
e. Parent*		
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual		
b. Educational Counseling – Group of		
c. Counseling – Parent		
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual		
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	<u>100.00</u>	<u>7/1/17-6/30/18</u>
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	<u>375.00/</u>	<u>7/1/17-6/30/18</u>
	per assessment	
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Audiology		
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate		
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)		<u>7/1/17-6/30/18</u>
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2		
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3		
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**		
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	<u>100.00/hr</u>	<u>7/1/17-6/30/18</u>
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Occupational Therapy – Assessment	<u>395.00/</u>	<u>7/1/17-6/30/18</u>
	per assessment	
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7		
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate		
(9) Physical Therapy		
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII		
b. Behavior Intervention – BID		
Provided by: _____		
(11) Nursing Services		

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.

**By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

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*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

Nonpublic School
 Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date: _____

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and EASTER SEAL SOCIETY OF CA, INC., nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area ("SELPA") of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. "Parent" means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment ("LRE") options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team's recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress ("CAASPP"), Desired Results Developmental Profile ("DRDP"), California Alternative Assessment ("CAA"), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test ("CELDT"), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California ("ELPAC"), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR'S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. **POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS**

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program ("IEP") team determines that a student's behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports ("BERs"). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 et seq. CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent") shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for all of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
EASTER SEAL SOCIETY OF CA, INC.

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature

Date

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
EASTER SEAL SOCIETY OF CA, INC.

Name and Title

AMY HANSEN, VP OF PEDS

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
3205 HURLEY WAY

Address

SACRAMENTO, CA 95864

City

State

Zip

916-679-3155

916-679-3100

Phone

Fax

Amyh2@myeasterseals.org

Email*

(*Required)

LEA

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

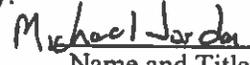
By:


Signature

7/1/17

Date

By:


Name and Title of Authorized Representative
D.R. C/IE & SpEd

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL
EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA

3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address

ANTELOPE CA 95843

City

State

Zip

916-338-6320

916-338-6329

Phone

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probinson@centerusd.org

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Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR EASTER SEAL SOCIETY OF CA, INC. **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 08 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

Rate	Period
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment	_____	_____
d. Public Transportation	_____	_____
e. Parent*	_____	_____
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual	_____	_____
b. Educational Counseling – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Counseling – Parent	_____	_____
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual	_____	_____
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Audiology	_____	_____
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate	_____	_____
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	_____	_____
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3	_____	_____
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**	_____	_____
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Occupational Therapy – Assessment	_____	_____
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7	_____	_____
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(9) Physical Therapy (weekly rate)	735.00/ weekly	7/1/17-6/30/18
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII	_____	_____
b. Behavior Intervention – BID	_____	_____
Provided by: _____	_____	_____
(11) Nursing Services	_____	_____

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.
 **By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

 Nonpublic School
 X Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

 X Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

 Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

 Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date:

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: HEAR SAY SPEECH & LANGUAGE SERVICES

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the **CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT** (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and **HEAR SAY SPEECH & LANGUAGE SERVICES**, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired,

revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term “CONTRACTOR” means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term “authorized LEA representative” means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (“SELPA”) of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term “credential” means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term “license” means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. “Parent” means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child’s parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child’s welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child’s behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school; (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction ("Superintendent") shall monitor CONTRACTOR'S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

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45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as "FBI") for all of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee's conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice ("CDOJ") and the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI"). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
HEAR SAY SPEECH & LANGUAGE SERVICES

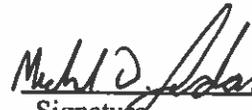
LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature _____ Date _____
GINNA BRENTS,
SITE ADMINISTRATOR
Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

By:



7/1/17

By:

Signature _____ Date _____
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF
SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM
Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
GINNA BRENTS, SITE ADMINISTRATOR

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EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR HEAR SAY SPEECH & LANGUAGE SERVICES **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 09 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

Rate	Period
_____	_____
_____	_____

A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
 Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment	_____	_____
d. Public Transportation	_____	_____
e. Parent*	_____	_____
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual	_____	_____
b. Educational Counseling – Group of	_____	_____
c. Counseling – Parent	_____	_____
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual	_____	_____
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	95.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Language and Speech Therapy - Assessment	425.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate	95.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	_____	_____
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3	_____	_____
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**	_____	_____
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Occupational Therapy – Assessment	_____	_____
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7	_____	_____
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(9) Physical Therapy (weekly rate)	_____	_____
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII	_____	_____
b. Behavior Intervention – BID	_____	_____
Provided by: _____	_____	_____
(11) Nursing Services	_____	_____

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.

**By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
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MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

 Nonpublic School
 X Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

 X Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

 Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

 Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date:

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: JABBERGYM, INC.

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the **CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT** (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and **JABBERGYM, INC.**, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term “CONTRACTOR” means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term “authorized LEA representative” means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (“SELPA”) of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term “credential” means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term “license” means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. “Parent” means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child’s parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child’s welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child’s behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 et seq. CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction (“Superintendent”) shall monitor CONTRACTOR’S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as “FBI”) for all of CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee’s conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (“FBI”). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
JABBERGYM, INC

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature Date
JOSHUA THOMAS, CFO

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
JOSHUA THOMAS, CFO

Name and Title
JABBERGYM, INC.

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
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Address
ROSEVILLE CA 95661

City State Zip
916-771-8255 916-771-8211

Phone Fax
JoshuaT@jabbergym.com

Email*
(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

7/1/17

By:

Michael D. Jordan

Signature Date

By:

MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address
ANTELOPE CA 95843

City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329

Phone Fax
probinson@centerusd.org

Email

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR JABBERGYM, INC. **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 10 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ **If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.**

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

Rate	Period
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment	_____	_____
d. Public Transportation	_____	_____
e. Parent*	_____	_____
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual	_____	_____
b. Educational Counseling – Group of	_____	_____
c. Counseling – Parent	_____	_____
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual	_____	_____
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	95.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Audiology	_____	_____
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate	375.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	_____	_____
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3	_____	_____
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**	_____	_____
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	95.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Occupational Therapy – Assessment	_____	_____
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7	_____	_____
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(9) Physical Therapy	100.00/hr	_____
(10) Initial Evaluations	375.00/hr	_____
Independent Education Evaluations (IEEs)	375.00	(First 3 hrs + 95.00/hr thereafter)

Provided by: _____

(11) Nursing Services

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.
 **By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

 Nonpublic School
 X Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

 X Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

 Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

 Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date:

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and MAXIM HEALCARE SERVICES, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired,

revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term “CONTRACTOR” means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term “authorized LEA representative” means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (“SELPA”) of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term “credential” means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term “license” means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. “Parent” means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child’s parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child’s welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child’s behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher for fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction (“Superintendent”) shall monitor CONTRACTOR’S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as “FBI”) for all of CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee’s conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (“FBI”). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature

Date

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
CHRIS TAGGART, BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT
MANAGER OF SCHOOLS

Name and Title

MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
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CA

95825

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State

Zip

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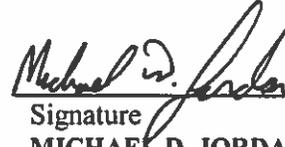
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(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

By:



7/1/17

Signature

Date

By:

MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF
SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
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CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA

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95843

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916-338-6320

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Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City

State

Zip

Phone

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EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR MAXIM HEALTHCARE **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 11 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ **If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.**

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

Rate	Period
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

A. Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment	_____	_____
d. Public Transportation	_____	_____
e. Parent*	_____	_____
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual	_____	_____
b. Educational Counseling – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Counseling – Parent	_____	_____
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual	_____	_____
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Language and Speech Therapy - Assessment	_____	_____
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate	_____	_____
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	_____	_____
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3	_____	_____
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**	_____	_____
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Occupational Therapy – Assessment	_____	_____
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7	_____	_____
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(9) Physical Therapy (weekly rate)	_____	_____
(10) Nursing services:		
a. RN	60.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. LVN – Insulin/diabetes	40.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
c. LVN – G-tube, Trach, Non-insulin	50.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
	_____	_____
	_____	_____

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.
 **By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

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MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

 Nonpublic School
 X Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

 X Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

 Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

 Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date:

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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CONTRACT NUMBER: 12

LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY FOR CHILDREN

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the **CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT** (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and **OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY FOR CHILDREN**, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired,

revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term “CONTRACTOR” means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term “authorized LEA representative” means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (“SELPA”) of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term “credential” means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term “license” means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. “Parent” means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child’s parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child’s welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child’s behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 et seq. CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction (“Superintendent”) shall monitor CONTRACTOR’S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as “FBI”) for all of CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee’s conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (“FBI”). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

**CONTRACTOR
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY FOR CHILDREN**

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature _____ Date _____
**CECILIA MARTINEZ, SITE
ADMINISTRATOR**
Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

**Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
CECILIA MARTINEZ, SITE ADMINISTRATOR**

Name and Title
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY FOR CHILDREN
Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
2129 THIRD AVENUE

Address
SACRAMENTO CA 95818

City State Zip
916-364-7800

Phone Fax
cizotr@gmail.com

Email*
(*Required)

**LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT**

7/1/17

By:

Michael D. Jordan
Signature _____ Date _____

By:

**MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF
SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM**
Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

**Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL
EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM**

Name and Title
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address
ANTELOPE CA 95843

City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329

Phone Fax
probinson@centerusd.org

Email

**Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)**

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY FOR CHILDREN **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 12 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

	Rate	Period
A. <u>Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction</u>	_____	_____
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment	_____	_____

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	_____	_____
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment	_____	_____
d. Public Transportation	_____	_____
e. Parent*	_____	_____
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual	_____	_____
b. Educational Counseling – Group of	_____	_____
c. Counseling – Parent	_____	_____
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual	_____	_____
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____	_____	_____
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	_____	_____
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3	_____	_____
d. Language and Speech Therapy - Assessment	_____	_____
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate	_____	_____
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	_____	_____
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3	_____	_____
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**	_____	_____
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	90.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2	_____	_____
c. Occupational Therapy – Assessment	400.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7	_____	_____
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate	_____	_____
(9) Physical Therapy (weekly rate)	_____	_____
(10) Nursing services:	_____	_____
a. RN	_____	_____
b. LVN – Insulin/diabetes	_____	_____
c. LVN – G-tube, Trach, Non-insulin	_____	_____

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.

**By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

PLACER LEARNING CENTER 13

*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

X Nonpublic School
 Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

X Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

 Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

 Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date:

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: CAPITOL ACADEMY

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and PLACER LEARNING CENTER(nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student

enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term “CONTRACTOR” means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term “authorized LEA representative” means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area (“SELPA”) of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term “credential” means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term “license” means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. “Parent” means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child’s parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child’s welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child’s behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof.

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction (“Superintendent”) shall monitor CONTRACTOR’S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as “FBI”) for all of CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee’s conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (“FBI”). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
PLACER LEARNING CENTER

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature

Date

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
RANDYE EICHLER, MS - DIRECTOR

Name and Title

PLACER LEARNING CENTER

Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
5477 EUREKA ROAD

Address

GRANITE BAY CA 956746

City State Zip
916-774-1260 916-791-0860

Phone Fax

Email*
(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

7/1/17

By:

Signature

Date

By:

Name and Title of Authorized
Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL
EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address

ANTELOPE CA 95843

City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329

Phone Fax
probinson@centerusd.org

Email

**Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)**

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR PLACER LEARNING CENTER **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 13 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

	Rate	Period
A. <u>Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction</u>	146.28	7/1/17-6/30/18
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment		

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	25.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	12.50	7/1/17-6/30/18
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment		
d. Public Transportation		
e. Parent*		
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual		
b. Educational Counseling – Group of		
c. Counseling – Parent		
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual		
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	80.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3		
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Audiology		
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate		
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)		
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2		
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3		
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**		
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	95.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Occupational Therapy – Assessment		
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7		
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate		
(9) Physical Therapy		
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII		
b. Behavior Intervention – BID		
Provided by: _____		
(11) Nursing Services		

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.

**By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

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*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

Nonpublic School
 Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date: _____

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 – Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: SIERRA SCHOOL/EASTERN-LOWER

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and SIERRA SCHOOL/EASTERN, nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired,

revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area ("SELPA") of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. "Parent" means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program (“IEP”) team determines that a student’s behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student’s behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports (“BERs”). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 *et seq.*; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 *et seq.* CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction (“Superintendent”) shall monitor CONTRACTOR’S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

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45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as “FBI”) for all of CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee’s conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (“FBI”). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
SIERRA SCHOOL/EASTERN-LOWER

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature Date
CARLEE ERICKSON

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

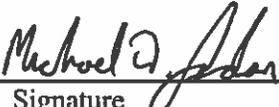
Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
CARLEE ERICKSON

Name and Title
SIERRA SCHOOL/EASTERN
Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
1150 EASTERN AVENUE

Address
SACRAMENTO CA
City State Zip
916-488-5455
Phone Fax

Email*
(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

By:  7/1/17

Signature Date
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF
SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL
EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address
ANTELOPE CA 95843
City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329
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Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

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EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR SIERRA SCHOOL/EASTERN **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 14 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ **If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.**

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

	Rate	Period
A. <u>Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction</u>	146.28	7/1/17-6/30/18
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment		

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	23.42	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)		
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment		
d. Public Transportation		
e. Parent*		
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual		
b. Educational Counseling – Group of		
c. Counseling – Parent		
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual		
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	100.00	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3		
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Audiology		
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate		
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)		
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(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**		
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual		
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e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate		
(9) Physical Therapy		
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII		
b. Behavior Intervention – BID		
Provided by: _____		
(11) Nursing Services		

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.

**By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

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*NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN
SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES*

MASTER CONTRACT

2017–2018

MASTER CONTRACT

GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL AND AGENCY SERVICES

District CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Contract Year 2017-2018

X Nonpublic School

 Nonpublic Agency

Type of Contract:

X Master Contract for fiscal year with Individual Service Agreements (ISA) to be approved throughout the term of this contract.

 Individual Master Contract for a specific student incorporating the Individual Service Agreement (ISA) into the terms of this Individual Master Contract specific to a single student.

 Interim Contract: an extension of the previous fiscal years approved contracts and rates. The sole purpose of this Interim Contract is to provide for ongoing funding at the prior year's rates for 90 days at the sole discretion of the District. Expiration Date:

When this section is included as part of any Master Contract, the changes specified above shall amend Section 4 - Term of Master Contract.

**DISTRICT MASTER CONTRACT
GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR NONSECTARIAN,
NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
2017-2018**

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LEA: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL/AGENCY/RELATED SERVICES PROVIDER: SIERRA FOOTHILLS ACADEMY

NONPUBLIC, NONSECTARIAN SCHOOL/AGENCY SERVICES
MASTER CONTRACT

AUTHORIZATION FOR MASTER CONTRACT AND GENERAL PROVISIONS

1. MASTER CONTRACT

This Master Contract is entered into on July 1, 2017, between the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter referred to as the local educational agency "LEA" or "District") and SIERRA FOOTHILLS ACADEMY, nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, hereinafter referred to as "CONTRACTOR") for the purpose of providing special education and/or related services to LEA students with exceptional needs under the authorization of California Education Code sections 56157, 56361 and 56365 *et seq.* and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3000 *et seq.*, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003) and AB1858 (Chapter 914, Statutes of 2004). It is understood that this Master Contract does not commit LEA to pay for special education and/or related services provided to any LEA student, or CONTRACTOR to provide such special education and/or related services, unless and until an authorized LEA representative approves the provision of special education and/or related services by CONTRACTOR.

Upon acceptance of a student, LEA shall submit to CONTRACTOR an Individual Services Agreement (hereinafter referred to as "ISA"), along with a Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form. CONTRACTOR shall work with LEA to complete and return these forms to LEA prior to initiating any services for any student.

Unless otherwise agreed in writing, the ISA and the Nonpublic Services Student Enrollment form shall acknowledge CONTRACTOR'S obligation to provide all services specified in the student's Individualized Education Plan (hereinafter referred to as "IEP"). The ISA shall be executed within ninety (90) days of an LEA student's enrollment. LEA and CONTRACTOR shall enter into an ISA for each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. As available and appropriate, LEA shall make available access to any electronic IEP system and/or electronic database for ISA development, including invoicing.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings (hereinafter referred to as "OAH") order, a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, or authorized by LEA for a transfer student pursuant to California Education Code section 56325, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent.

2. CERTIFICATION AND LICENSES

CONTRACTOR shall be certified by the California Department of Education (hereinafter referred to as "CDE") as a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency. All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and within the professional scope of practice of each provider's license, certification and/or credential. A current copy of CONTRACTOR'S nonpublic school/agency certification or a waiver of such certification issued by the CDE pursuant to Education Code section 56366.2 must be provided to LEA on or before the date this Master Contract is executed by CONTRACTOR. This Master Contract shall be null and void if such certification or waiver is expired,

revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. Total student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated on the applicable CDE certification. Total LEA student enrollment shall be limited to capacity as stated in Section 24 of the Master Contract.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the state of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution (hereinafter referred to as "LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall be licensed by the state, or other public agency having delegated authority by contract with the state to license, to provide nonmedical care to children, including, but not limited to, individuals with exceptional needs. The LCI must also comply with all licensing requirements relevant to the protection of the child, and have a special permit, if necessary, to meet the needs of each child so placed. If the CONTRACTOR operates a program outside of this state, CONTRACTOR must obtain all required licenses from the appropriate licensing agency in both California and in the state where the LCI is located.

With respect to CONTRACTOR'S certification, failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in: (1) credentialed/licensed staff; (2) ownership; (3) management and/or control of the agency; (4) major modification or relocation of facilities; or (5) significant modification of the program may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also be good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS, STATUTES, REGULATIONS

During the term of this Master Contract, unless otherwise agreed, CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local statutes, laws, ordinances, rules, policies, and regulations. CONTRACTOR shall also comply with all applicable LEA policies and procedures unless CONTRACTOR and LEA specifically agree, in writing, that a policy or policies, or a portion of a policy, does/do not reasonably apply to CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that it accepts all risks and responsibilities for its failure to comply with LEA policies and shall indemnify LEA under the provisions of Section 16 of this Agreement for all liability, loss, damage and expense (including reasonable attorneys' fees) resulting from or arising out of CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with applicable LEA policies (e.g., those policies relating to the provision of special education and/or related services, facilities for individuals with exceptional needs, LEA student enrollment and transfer, LEA student inactive status, corporal punishment, student discipline, and positive behavior interventions).

CONTRACTOR acknowledges and understands that LEA may report to the CDE any violations of the provisions of this Master Contract, and that this may result in the suspension and/or revocation of CDE nonpublic school/agency certification pursuant to California Education Code section 56366.4(a).

4. TERM OF MASTER CONTRACT

The term of this Master Contract shall be from July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018 unless otherwise stated. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(a).) Neither the CONTRACTOR nor LEA is required to renew this Master Contract in subsequent contract years. However, the parties acknowledge that any subsequent Master Contract is to be re-negotiated prior to June 30, 2018. In the event a Master Contract is not renegotiated by June 30th, an interim contract may be made available as mutually agreed upon for up to 90 days from July 1 of the new fiscal year. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(d).) No Master Contract will be offered unless and until all of the contracting requirements have been satisfied. The offer of a Master Contract to a CONTRACTOR is at the sole discretion of LEA.

The provisions of this Master Contract apply to CONTRACTOR and any of its employees or independent contractors. Notice of any change in CONTRACTOR'S ownership or authorized representative shall be provided in writing to LEA within thirty (30) calendar days of change of ownership or change of authorized representative.

5. INTEGRATION/CONTINUANCE OF CONTRACT FOLLOWING EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION

This Master Contract includes LEA Procedures and each Individual Services Agreement which are incorporated herein by this reference. This Master Contract supersedes any prior or contemporaneous written or oral understanding or agreement. This Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both parties. Notwithstanding the foregoing, LEA may modify LEA procedures from time to time without the consent of CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA with all information as requested in writing to secure a Master Contract or a renewal.

At a minimum, such information shall include copies of teacher credentials and clearance, insurance documentation, and CDE certification. LEA may require additional information as applicable. If the application packet is not completed and returned to LEA, no Master Contract will be issued. If CONTRACTOR does not return the Master Contract to LEA duly signed by an authorized representative within ninety (90) calendar days of issuance by LEA, the new contract rates will not take effect until the newly executed Master Contract is received by LEA and will not be retroactive to the first day of the new Master Contract's effective date. If CONTRACTOR fails to execute the new Master Contract within such ninety day period, all payments shall cease until such time as the new Master Contract for the current school year is signed and returned to LEA by CONTRACTOR. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(c)(1), (2).) In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed Master Contract between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students at the discretion of LEA.

6. INDIVIDUAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This Master Contract shall include an ISA developed for each LEA student for whom CONTRACTOR is to provide special education and/or related services. An ISA shall only be issued for LEA students enrolled with the approval of LEA pursuant to Education Code section 56366(a)(2)(A). An ISA may be effective for more than one contract year provided that there is a concurrent Master Contract in effect. In the event that this Master Contract expires or terminates, CONTRACTOR shall continue to be bound to all of the terms and conditions of the most recent executed ISAs between CONTRACTOR and LEA for so long as CONTRACTOR is servicing authorized LEA students.

Any and all changes to a LEA student's educational placement/program provided under this Master Contract and/or an ISA shall be made solely on the basis of a revision to LEA student's IEP. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a LEA student's parent, CONTRACTOR, or LEA may request a review of a LEA student's IEP subject to all procedural safeguards required by law.

Unless otherwise provided in this Master Contract, the CONTRACTOR shall provide all services specified in the IEP unless the CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in the ISA. (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(5); Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3062(e).) In the event the CONTRACTOR is unable to provide a specific service at any time during the life of the ISA, the CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within five (5) business days of the last date a service was provided. CONTRACTOR shall provide any and all subsequent compensatory service hours awarded to an LEA student as a result of lack of provision of services while the student was served by the nonpublic school or agency.

If a parent or LEA contests the termination of an ISA by initiating a due process proceeding with the OAH, CONTRACTOR shall abide by the "stay-put" requirement of state and federal law unless the parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational placement is deemed lawful and appropriate by LEA or OAH. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning changes in placement.

Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the formulation of an ISA or the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools of the County where LEA is located, or

the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code section 56366(c)(2).

7. DEFINITIONS

The following definitions shall apply for purposes of this contract:

- a. The term "CONTRACTOR" means a nonpublic, nonsectarian school/agency certified by the California Department of Education and its officers, agents, and employees.
- b. The term "authorized LEA representative" means a LEA administrator designated to be responsible for nonpublic school/agencies. It is understood that a representative of the Special Education Local Plan Area ("SELPA") of which LEA is a member is an authorized LEA representative in collaboration with LEA. LEA maintains sole responsibility for the Master Contract, unless otherwise specified in the Master Contract.
- c. The term "credential" means a valid credential, life diploma, permit, or document in special education or Pupil Personnel Services issued by, or under the jurisdiction of, the California State Board of Education if issued prior to 1970 or the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing, which entitles the holder thereof to perform services for which certification qualifications are required as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(g).
- d. As defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(r), the term "qualified" means that a person has met federal and state certification, licensing, registration, or other comparable requirements which apply to the area in which he or she is providing special education or related services (including but not limited to, for example, the requirements set forth in California Code of Regulations, title 5, sections 3064 and 3065 and Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1)), or, in the absence of such requirements, the state-education-agency-approved or recognized requirements, and adheres to the standards of professional practice established in federal and state law or regulation, including the standards contained in the California Business and Professions Code and the scope of practice as defined by the licensing or credentialing body.) Nothing in this definition shall be construed as restricting the activities or services of a graduate needing direct hours leading to licensure, or of a student teacher or intern leading to a graduate degree at an accredited or approved college or university, as authorized by state laws or regulations.
- e. The term "license" means a valid non-expired document issued by a licensing agency within the Department of Consumer Affairs or other state licensing office authorized to grant licenses and authorizing the bearer of the document to provide certain professional services or refer to themselves using a specified professional title. This includes, but is not limited to mental health and board and care services at a residential placement. If a license is not available through an appropriate state licensing agency, a certificate of registration with the appropriate professional organization at the national or state level which has standards established for the certificate that are equivalent to a license shall be deemed to be a license as defined in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3001(l).
- f. "Parent" means a biological or adoptive parent unless the biological or adoptive parent does not have legal authority to make educational decisions for the child, a guardian generally authorized to act as the child's parent or authorized to make educational decisions for the child, an individual acting in the place of a biological or adoptive parent, including a grandparent, stepparent, or other relative with whom the child lives, or an individual who is legally responsible for the child's welfare, a surrogate parent, a foster parent if the authority of the biological or adoptive parent to make educational decisions on the child's behalf has been specifically limited by court order in accordance with Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 300.30(b)(1) or (2). Parent does not include the state or any political subdivision of government or the nonpublic school or agency under contract

with LEA for the provision of special education or designated instruction and services for a child. (Ed. Code § 56028.)

- g. The term “days” means calendar days unless otherwise specified.
- h. The phrase “billable day” means a school day in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs.
- i. The phrase “billable day of attendance” means a school day as defined in California Education Code Section 46307, in which a LEA student is in attendance and in which instructional minutes meet or exceed those in comparable LEA programs unless otherwise stipulated in an IEP or ISA.
- j. It is understood that the term “Master Contract” also means “Agreement” and may be referred to as such in this document.

ADMINISTRATION OF CONTRACT

8. NOTICES

All notices provided for by this Master Contract shall be in writing. Notices shall be mailed or delivered by hand and shall be effective as of the date of receipt by addressee.

All notices mailed to LEA shall be addressed to the person and address as indicated on the signature page of the Master Contract. Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed as indicated on signature page of this Master Contract.

9. MAINTENANCE OF RECORDS

All records shall be maintained by CONTRACTOR as required by state and federal laws and regulations. Notwithstanding the foregoing sentence, CONTRACTOR shall maintain all records for at least five (5) years after the termination of this Master Contract. For purposes of this Master Contract, “records” shall include, but not be limited to pupil records as defined by California Education Code section 49061(b) including electronically stored information; cost data records as set forth in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3061; registers and roll books of teachers and/or daily service providers; chart notes, Medi-Cal logs, daily service logs and notes and other documents used to record the provision of related services including supervision; daily service logs and notes used to record the provision of services provided by instructional assistants, NPA behavior intervention aides, and bus aides and supervisors; absence verification records (parent/doctor notes, telephone logs, and related documents); bus rosters; staff lists specifying credentials held; business licenses held; documents evidencing other staff qualifications including social security numbers, dates of hire, and dates of termination; records of employee training and certification, staff time sheets; non-paid staff and volunteer sign-in sheets; transportation and other related services subcontracts; school calendars; bell/class schedules when applicable; liability and worker’s compensation insurance policies; state nonpublic school and/or agency certifications; by-laws; lists of current board of directors/trustees, if incorporated; statements of income and expenses; general journals; cash receipts and disbursement books, general ledgers and supporting documents; documents evidencing financial expenditures; federal/state payroll quarterly reports (Form 941/DE3DP); and bank statements and canceled checks or facsimile thereof.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain LEA student records in a secure location to ensure confidentiality and prevent unauthorized access. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a current list of the names and positions of CONTRACTOR’S employees who have access to confidential records. CONTRACTOR shall maintain an access log for each LEA student’s record which lists all persons, agencies, or organizations requesting or receiving information from the record and the legitimate interests therefore. Such log shall be maintained as required by California Education Code section 49064 and include the name, title, agency/organization affiliation, and date/time of access for each individual requesting or receiving information from LEA student’s record. Such log needs not to record access to LEA student’s records by: (a) LEA student’s parent;

(b) an individual to whom written consent has been executed by LEA student's parent; or (c) employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR having a legitimate educational interest in requesting or receiving information from the record. CONTRACTOR/LEA shall maintain copies of any written parental concerns granting access to student records. For purposes of this paragraph, "employees of LEA or CONTRACTOR" do not include subcontractors. CONTRACTOR shall grant parents access to student records and comply with parents' requests for copies of student records, as required by state and federal laws and regulations. CONTRACTOR agrees, in the event of school or agency closure, to forward all records within ten (10) business days to LEA. LEA shall have access to and receive copies of any and all documents required to be maintained by CONTRACTOR within five (5) business days of a request.

10. SEVERABILITY CLAUSE

If any provision of this Master Contract is held, in whole or in part, to be unenforceable for any reason, the remainder of that provision and of the entire Master Contract shall be severable and remain in effect.

11. SUCCESSORS IN INTEREST

This contract binds CONTRACTOR'S successors and assignees. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of any change of ownership or corporate control within ten (10) business days of such change.

12. VENUE AND GOVERNING LAW

The laws of the State of California shall govern the terms and conditions of this Master Contract with venue in the County where LEA is located.

13. MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO LEGAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

This Master Contract may be modified or amended by LEA to conform to administrative and statutory guidelines issued by any state, federal or local governmental agency. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR thirty (30) days' notice of any such changes or modifications made to conform to administrative or statutory guidelines and a copy of the statute or regulation upon which the modification or changes are based.

14. TERMINATION

This Master Contract or an Individual Service Agreement may be terminated for cause. Cause shall include but not be limited to non-maintenance of current nonpublic school certification, failure of either LEA or the CONTRACTOR to maintain the standards required under the Master Contract and/or Individual Services Agreement, or other material breach of the contract by CONTRACTOR or LEA. For purposes of Non Public School placement, the cause shall not be the availability of a public class initiated during the period of the Master Contract unless the parent agrees to the transfer of the student to a public school program at an IEP team meeting. To terminate the Master Contract, either party shall give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other party (Ed. Code § 56366(a)(4)), or immediately if CONTRACTOR and LEA mutually agree that there are significant health or safety concerns. At the time of termination, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documents CONTRACTOR is required to maintain under this Master Contract. ISAs are void upon termination of this Master Contract, except as provided in Section 5 or 6. CONTRACTOR or LEA may terminate an ISA for cause, without terminating the Master Contract in its entirety. To terminate the ISA, either party shall also give twenty (20) days prior written notice to the other.

15. INSURANCE

CONTRACTOR shall, at his, her, or its sole cost and expense, maintain in full force and effect, during the term of this Agreement, the following insurance coverage from a California licensed and/or admitted insurer with an A minus (A-), VII, or better rating from A.M. Best, sufficient to cover any claims, damages, liabilities, costs and expenses (including counsel fees) arising out of or in connection with CONTRACTOR's fulfillment

of any of its obligations under this Agreement or either party's use of the work or any component or part thereof:

PART I

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance**, including both bodily injury and property damage, with limits as follows:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence
\$ 500,000 fire damage
\$ 5,000 medical expenses
\$1,000,000 personal & adv. injury
\$3,000,000 general aggregate
\$2,000,000 products/completed operations aggregate

The policy may not contain an exclusion for coverage of claims arising from claims for sexual molestation or abuse. In the event that CONTRACTOR's policy should have an exclusion for sexual molestation or abuse claims, then CONTRACTOR shall be required to procure a supplemental policy providing such coverage.

- B. **Business Auto Liability Insurance** for all owned scheduled, non-owned or hired automobiles with a \$1 million combined single limit.

If no owned automobiles, then only hired and non-owned is required.

If CONTRACTOR uses a vehicle to travel to/from school sites, between schools and/or to/from students' homes or other locations as approved service locations by the LEA, CONTRACTOR must comply with State of California auto insurance requirements.

- C. **Workers' Compensation and Employers Liability Insurance** in a form and amount covering CONTRACTOR's full liability under the California Workers' Compensation Insurance and Safety Act and in accordance with applicable state and federal laws.

Part A – Statutory Limits

Part B – \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000 Employers Liability

- D. **Errors & Omissions (E & O)/Malpractice (Professional Liability) Insurance**, including sexual molestation and abuse coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability policy by endorsement or separate policy, with the following limits:

\$1,000,000 per occurrence
\$2,000,000 general aggregate

- E. CONTRACTOR, upon execution of this Master Contract and periodically thereafter upon request, shall furnish the LEA with certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. The certificate of insurance shall include a ten (10) day non-renewal notice provision. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policy shall name the LEA and the Board of Education additional insured's premiums on all insurance policies and shall be paid by CONTRACTOR and shall be deemed included in CONTRACTOR's obligations under this contract at no additional charge.

- F. Any deductibles or self-insured retentions above \$100,000 must be disclosed to and approved by the LEA. At its option, LEA may require the CONTRACTOR, at the CONTRACTOR's sole cost, to: (a) cause its insurer to reduce to levels specified by the LEA or eliminate such deductibles

or self-insured retentions with respect to the LEA, its officials and employees, or (b) procure a bond guaranteeing payment of losses and related investigation.

- G. For any claims related to the services contracted for under this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR's insurance coverage shall be primary insurance as respects to the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the LEA, its subsidiaries, officials and employees shall be excess of the CONTRACTOR's insurance and shall not contribute with it.
- H. All Certificates of Insurance may reference the contract number, name of the school or agency submitting the certificate, and the location of the school or agency submitting the certificate on the certificate.

PART II – INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS AFFILIATED WITH A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER (“RTC”)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school affiliated with a residential treatment center (NPS/RTC), the following insurance policies are required:

- A. **Commercial General Liability Insurance** of \$3,000,000 per Occurrence and \$6,000,000 in General Aggregate. The policy shall be endorsed to name the LEA and the Board of Education as named additional insureds and shall provide specifically that any insurance carried by the LEA which may be applicable to any claims or loss shall be deemed excess and the RTC's insurance primary despite any conflicting provisions in the RTC's policy. Coverage shall be maintained with no self-insured retention above \$100,000 without the prior written approval of the LEA.
- B. **Workers' Compensation Insurance** in accordance with provisions of the California Labor Code adequate to protect the RTC from claims that may arise from its operations pursuant to the Workers' Compensation Act (Statutory Coverage). The Workers' Compensation Insurance coverage must also include Employers Liability coverage with limits of \$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000.
- C. **Commercial Auto Liability** coverage with limits of \$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence if the RTC does not operate a student bus service. If the RTC provides student bus services, the required coverage limit is \$5,000,000 Combined Single Limit per Occurrence.
- D. **Fidelity Bond or Crime** coverage shall be maintained by the RTC to cover all employees who process or otherwise have responsibility for RTC funds, supplies, equipment or other assets. Minimum amount of coverage shall be \$250,000 per occurrence, with no self-insured retention.
- E. **Professional Liability/Errors & Omissions/Malpractice** coverage with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.
- F. **Sexual Molestation and Abuse** coverage, unless that coverage is afforded elsewhere in the Commercial General Liability or Professional liability policy by endorsement, with minimum limits of \$3,000,000 per occurrence and \$6,000,000 general aggregate.

If LEA or CONTRACTOR determines that a change in insurance coverage obligations under this section is necessary, either party may reopen negotiations to modify the insurance obligations. Consistent with Section 5 of this Master Contract, however, the Master Contract may be amended only by written amendment executed by both Parties.

16. INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS

Except with respect to claims arising from a Party's separate negligence or willful acts, which shall remain that Party's personal obligation, each Party agrees to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and its directors, officers, employees, agents, attorneys, volunteers, and subcontractors with respect to a claim resulting from or arising out of this Master Contract or its performance and arising from the Party's actual or alleged act, failure to act, error, or omission in the performance of their obligations under this Agreement or any governing law or regulations.

17. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to imply a joint venture, partnership or principal-agent relationship between LEA and CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide all services under this Agreement as an independent contractor, and neither party shall have the authority to bind or make any commitment on behalf of the other. Nothing contained in this Agreement shall be deemed to create any association, partnership, joint venture or relationship of principal and agent, master and servant, or employer and employee between the Parties or any affiliates of the Parties, or between LEA and any individual assigned by CONTRACTOR to perform any services for LEA.

If LEA is held to be a partner, joint venturer, co-principal, employer or co-employer of CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and hold harmless LEA from and against any and all claims for loss, liability, or damages arising from that holding, as well as any expenses, costs, taxes, penalties and interest charges incurred by LEA as a result of that holding.

18. SUBCONTRACTING

CONTRACTOR shall not enter into any subcontracting relationship without first obtaining final written approval of LEA. Should CONTRACTOR wish to subcontract for special education and/or related services pursuant to this Master Contract, it must provide written notification to LEA before any subcontracting arrangement is made. In the event LEA determines that it can provide the subcontracted service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s) at a lower rate, LEA may elect to provide such service(s). If LEA elects to provide such service(s), LEA shall provide written notification to CONTRACTOR within five (5) days of receipt of CONTRACTOR'S original request and CONTRACTOR shall not subcontract for said services.

Should LEA approve in concept of CONTRACTOR subcontracting for services, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA for approval the proposed subcontract. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate all of the provisions of this Master Contract in all subcontracts to the fullest extent possible. Furthermore, when CONTRACTOR creates subcontracts for the provision of special education and/or related services (including without limitation, transportation) for any student, CONTRACTOR shall cause each subcontractor to procure and maintain indemnification and insurance requirements which comply with the provisions of Sections 15 and 16 of this Master Contract, for the duration of the term of each subcontract. If a proposed subcontract is approved by LEA, each subcontractor must furnish LEA with original endorsements and certificates of insurance effective coverage required by Section 15 of this Master Contract. The endorsements are to be signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. Unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, the endorsements are to be on forms provided by the LEA. The Commercial General Liability and Automobile Liability policies shall name the LEA/SELPA and the LEA Board of Education as additional insured. All endorsements are to be received and approved by LEA before the subcontractor's work commences. In addition, all sub-contractors must meet the requirements as contained in Section 45 (Clearance Requirements) and Section 46 (Staff Qualifications) of this Master Contract. No subcontract shall be considered final without LEA approval.

19. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST

CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA upon request a copy of its current bylaws and a current list of its Board of Directors (or Trustees), if it is incorporated. CONTRACTOR and any member of its Board of Directors (or Trustees) shall avoid and disclose any relationship with LEA that constitutes or may constitute a conflict of interest pursuant to California Education Code section 56042 including, but not limited to, employment with LEA, provision of private party assessments and/or reports, and attendance at IEP team meetings acting as a student's advocate. Pursuant to California Education Code section 56042, an attorney or advocate for a parent of an individual with exceptional needs shall not recommend placement at CONTRACTOR'S facility if the attorney or advocate is employed or contracted by the CONTRACTOR, or will receive a benefit from the CONTRACTOR, or otherwise has a conflict of interest.

Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, LEA shall neither execute an ISA with CONTRACTOR nor amend an existing ISA for a LEA student when a recommendation for special education and/or related services is based in whole or in part on assessment(s) or reports provided by CONTRACTOR to LEA student without prior written authorization by LEA. This paragraph shall apply to CONTRACTOR regardless of when an assessment is performed or a report is prepared (i.e. before or after LEA student is enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S school/agency) or whether an assessment of LEA student is performed or a report is prepared in the normal course of the services provided to LEA student by CONTRACTOR. To avoid a conflict of interest, and in order to ensure the appropriateness of an Independent Educational Evaluation (hereinafter referred to as "IEE") and its recommendations, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund an IEE by an evaluator who provides ongoing service(s) or is sought to provide service(s) to the student for whom the IEE is requested. Likewise, LEA may, in its discretion, not fund services through the evaluator whose IEE LEA agrees to fund. When no other appropriate assessor is available, LEA may request and if CONTRACTOR agrees, the CONTRACTOR may provide an IEE.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR acknowledges that its authorized representative has read and understands Education Code section 56366.3 which provides, in relevant part, that no special education and/or related services provided by CONTRACTOR shall be paid for by LEA if provided by an individual who was an employee of LEA within three hundred and sixty five (365) days prior to executing this Master Contract. This provision does not apply to any person who is able to provide designated instruction and services during the extended school year because he or she is otherwise employed for up to ten months of the school year by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall not admit a student living within the jurisdictional boundaries of LEA on a private pay or tuition free "scholarship" basis and concurrently or subsequently advise/request parent(s) to pursue funding for the admitted school year from LEA through due process proceedings.

20. NON-DISCRIMINATION

CONTRACTOR shall not unlawfully discriminate on the basis of gender, nationality, race or ethnicity, religion, age, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or disability or any other classification protected by federal or state law, in employment or operation of its programs.

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

21. FREE AND APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION ("FAPE")

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with a copy of the IEP including the Individualized Transition Plan (hereinafter referred to as "ITP") of each LEA student served by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall provide to each LEA student special education and/or related services (including transition services) within the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency consistent with LEA student's IEP and as specified in the ISA. If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall not accept a LEA student if it cannot provide or ensure the provision of the services outlined in the student's IEP. If a LEA student's services are provided

by a third party (i.e. a related services provider) CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, if the provision of services ceases.

Unless otherwise agreed to between CONTRACTOR and LEA, CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the provision of all appropriate supplies, equipment, and/or facilities for LEA students, as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. CONTRACTOR shall make no charge of any kind to parents for special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA (including, but not limited to, screenings, assessments, or interviews that occur prior to or as a condition of LEA student's enrollment under the terms of this Master Contract). LEA shall provide low incidence equipment for eligible students with low incidence disabilities when specified in the student's IEP and ISA. Such equipment remains the property of the SELPA/LEA and shall be returned to the SELPA/LEA when the IEP team determines the equipment is no longer needed or when the student is no longer enrolled in the nonpublic school. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide all LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations. CONTRACTOR may charge a LEA student's parent(s) for services and/or activities not necessary for LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education after: (a) written notification to LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities; and (b) receipt by LEA of the written notification and a written acknowledgment signed by LEA student's parent(s) of the cost and voluntary nature of the services and/or activities. CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all LEA requirements concerning parent acknowledgment of financial responsibility.

Voluntary services and/or activities not necessary for an LEA student to receive a free appropriate public education shall not interfere with LEA student's receipt of special education and/or related services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

22. GENERAL PROGRAM OF INSTRUCTION

All nonpublic school and nonpublic agency services shall be provided consistent with the area of certification specified by CDE Certification and as defined in California Education Code section 56366 *et seq.* and shall ensure that facilities are adequate to provide LEA students with an environment which meets all pertinent health and safety regulations.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall: (a) utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (b) include curriculum that addresses mathematics, literacy and the use of educational, assistive technology and transition services; (c) be consistent with CDE's standards regarding the particular course of study and curriculum; (d) provide the services as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. LEA students shall have access to: (a) State Board of Education (SBE) - adopted Common Core State Standards ("CCSS") for curriculum and the same instructional materials for kindergarten and grades 1 to 8, inclusive; and provide standards-aligned core curriculum and instructional materials for grades 9 to 12, inclusive, used by a local education agency (LEA), that contracts with the nonpublic school: (b) college preparation courses; (c) extracurricular activities such as art, sports, music and academic clubs; (d) career preparation and vocational training, consistent with transition plans pursuant to state and federal law and; (e) supplemental assistance, including individual academic tutoring, psychological counseling, and career and college counseling. When appropriate, CONTRACTOR shall utilize the designated curriculum guidelines for students with moderate to severe disabilities who participate in the State's alternative assessment. These students shall have access to the core content, activities, and instructional materials delineated within these curriculum guidelines. CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction shall be described in writing and a copy provided to LEA prior to the effective date of this Master Contract.

When CONTRACTOR serves LEA students in grades nine through twelve inclusive, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR a specific list of the course requirements to be satisfied by the CONTRACTOR leading toward graduation or completion of LEA's diploma requirements. CONTRACTOR shall not award a high school diploma to LEA students who have not successfully completed all of LEA's graduation requirements.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, CONTRACTOR'S general program of instruction and/or services shall utilize evidence-based practices and predictors and be consistent with LEA and CDE guidelines/certifications and any state licensing requirements and shall be provided as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. The nonpublic agency providing Behavior Intervention Services shall develop a written plan that specifies the nature of their nonpublic agency service for each student within thirty (30) days of enrollment and shall be provided in writing to LEA. School-based services may not be unilaterally converted by CONTRACTOR to a substitute program or provided at a location not specifically authorized by the IEP team. Except for services provided by a contractor that is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), all services not provided in the school setting require the presence of a parent, guardian or adult caregiver during the delivery of services, provided such guardian or caregiver has a signed authorization by the parent or legal guardian to authorize emergency services as requested. LCI contractors shall ensure that appropriate and qualified residential or clinical staff is present during the provision of services under this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify LEA in writing if no parent, guardian, or adult caregiver is present. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA a written description of the services and location provided prior to the effective date of this Master Contract. Contractors providing Behavior Intervention Services must have on staff individuals trained as the law requires. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3051.23.) It is understood that Behavior Intervention Services are limited per CDE Certification and do not constitute an instructional program.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall not provide transportation nor subcontract for transportation services for students unless LEA and CONTRACTOR agree otherwise in writing.

23. INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, the total number of instructional minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be at least equivalent to the number of instructional minutes per school day provided to LEA students at like grade level attending LEA schools and shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

For students in grades kindergarten through 12, inclusive, unless otherwise specified in the student's IEP and ISA, the number of instructional minutes, excluding breakfast, recess, lunch and pass time shall be the same as the Education Code prescribes for the LEA.

The total number of annual instructional minutes shall be at least equivalent to the total number of annual instructional minutes provided to LEA students attending LEA schools in like grade levels unless otherwise specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, the total number of minutes per school day provided by CONTRACTOR shall be specified in LEA student's ISA developed in accordance with LEA student's IEP.

24. CLASS SIZE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall ensure that class size shall not exceed a ratio of one teacher per twelve (12) students unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise in writing. Upon prior written approval by an authorized LEA representative, class size may be temporarily increased by a ratio of 1 teacher to fourteen (14) students when necessary during the regular or extended school year to provide services to students with disabilities.

In the event a nonpublic school is unable to fill a vacant teaching position responsible for direct instruction to students, and the vacancy has direct impact on the California Department of Education Certification of that school, the nonpublic school shall develop a plan to ensure appropriate coverage of students by first utilizing existing certificated staff. The nonpublic school and LEA may agree to one 30 school day period per contract year where class size may be increased to ensure coverage by an appropriately credentialed

teacher. Such an agreement shall be in writing and signed by both Parties. This provision does not apply to a nonpublic agency.

25. CALENDARS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a school calendar with the total number of billable days not to exceed 180 days, plus extended school year billable days equivalent to the number of days determined by LEA's extended school year calendar. Billable days shall include only those days that are included on the submitted and approved school calendar, and/or required by the IEP (developed by LEA) for each student. CONTRACTOR shall not be allowed to change its school calendar and/or amend the number of billable days without the prior written approval of LEA. Nothing in this Master Contract shall be interpreted to require LEA to accept any requests for calendar changes. In the event LEA adjusts the number of school days for the regular school year and/or extended school year, the approved number of days shall become the total billable days for the nonpublic school or agency. In such a case, an amended calendar shall be provided by CONTRACTOR for LEA approval.

Unless otherwise specified by the student's IEP, educational services shall occur at the school site. A student shall only be eligible for extended school year services if such are recommended by his/her IEP Team and the provision of such is specifically included in the ISA. Extended school year shall consist of twenty (20) instructional days, unless otherwise agreed upon by the IEP Team convened by LEA. Any days of extended school year in excess of twenty (20) billable days must be mutually agreed to, in writing, prior to the start of the extended school year.

Student must have actually been in attendance during the regular school year and/or during extended school year and actually received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic school service. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

CONTRACTOR shall observe only the same legal holidays as LEA. As of the execution of this Master Contract, these holidays are: Labor Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day, New Year's Day, Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, Lincoln's Birthday, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, and Independence Day. With the approval of LEA, CONTRACTOR may revise the date upon which CONTRACTOR closes in observance of any of the holidays observed by LEA.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, CONTRACTOR shall be provided with a LEA-developed/approved calendar prior to the initiation of services. CONTRACTOR herein agrees to observe holidays as specified in LEA-developed/approved calendar. CONTRACTOR shall provide services pursuant to LEA-developed/approved calendar; or as specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA. Unless otherwise specified in LEA student's ISA, CONTRACTOR shall provide related services to LEA students on only those days that LEA student's school of attendance is in session and LEA student attends school. CONTRACTOR shall bill only for services provided on billable days of attendance as indicated on LEA calendar unless CONTRACTOR and LEA agree otherwise, in writing. Student must have actually been in attendance and/or received services on a billable day of attendance in order for CONTRACTOR to be eligible for payment. It is specifically understood that services may not be provided on weekends/holidays and other times when school is not in session, unless agreed to by LEA, in writing, in advance of the delivery of any nonpublic agency service provided by CONTRACTOR. Any instructional days provided without this written agreement shall be at the sole financial responsibility of the CONTRACTOR.

26. DATA REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall agree to provide to LEA, all data (including billing information) related to students who are served by the CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all data related to or referenced in any and all sections of this Master Contract if requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR agrees to provide all

requested information in the format required by LEA. It is understood that all nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or comparable program/system approved by LEA/SELPA for all IEP development and progress reporting. Additional progress reporting may be required by LEA. LEA shall provide the CONTRACTOR with appropriate software, user training and proper internet permissions to allow adequate access so that this information may be compiled.

LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with approved forms and/or format for such data including but not limited to invoicing, attendance reports and progress reports. LEA may approve use of CONTRACTOR-provided forms at its discretion.

27. LEAST RESTRICTIVE ENVIRONMENT/DUAL ENROLLMENT

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall follow all LEA policies and procedures that support Least Restrictive Environment (“LRE”) options (and/or dual enrollment options if available and appropriate) for students to have access to the general curriculum and to be educated with their nondisabled peers to the maximum extent appropriate.

CONTRACTOR and LEA shall ensure that LRE placement options are addressed at all IEP team meetings regarding students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. This shall include IEP team consideration of supplementary aids and services and goals and objectives necessary for placement in the LRE and necessary to enable students to transition to less restrictive settings.

When an IEP team has determined that a student should be transitioned into the public school setting, CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA in implementing the IEP team’s recommendations and/or activities to support the transition.

28. STATEWIDE ACHIEVEMENT TESTING

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall administer all Statewide assessments within the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (“CAASPP”), Desired Results Developmental Profile (“DRDP”), California Alternative Assessment (“CAA”), achievement and abilities tests (using LEA-authorized assessment instruments), the Fitness Gram, California English Language Development Test (“CELDT”), and the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (“ELPAC”), as appropriate to the student and mandated by LEA pursuant to LEA and state and federal guidelines.

CONTRACTOR is subject to the alternative accountability system developed pursuant to Education Code section 52052, in the same manner as public schools. Each LEA student placed with CONTRACTOR by the LEA shall be tested by qualified staff of CONTRACTOR in accordance with that accountability program. LEA shall provide test administration training to CONTRACTOR’S qualified staff. CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA test training and comply with completion of all coding requirements as required by LEA.

29. MANDATED ATTENDANCE AT LEA MEETINGS

CONTRACTOR shall attend LEA mandated meetings when legal mandates, and/or LEA policy and procedures are reviewed, including but not limited to the areas of: curriculum, high school graduation, standards-based instruction, behavior intervention, cultural and linguistic needs of students with disabilities, dual enrollment responsibilities, LRE responsibilities, transition services, standardized testing, and IEPs. LEA shall provide CONTRACTOR with reasonable notice of mandated meetings. Attendance at such meetings does not constitute a billable service hour(s).

30. POSITIVE BEHAVIOR INTERVENTIONS AND SUPPORTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all requirements of Education Code section 56521.1 and 56521.2 regarding positive behavior interventions. Failure to do so shall constitute sufficient cause for contract termination.

LEA students who exhibit behaviors that interfere with their learning or the learning of others must receive timely and appropriate assessments and positive supports and interventions in accordance with the federal law and its implementing regulations. If the individualized education program ("IEP") team determines that a student's behavior impedes his or her learning or the learning of others, the IEP team is required to consider the use of positive behavioral interventions and supports, and other strategies, to address that behavior, consistent with Section 1414(d)(3)(B)(i) and (d)(4) of Title 20 of the United States Code and associated federal regulations. This could mean that instead of developing a Behavior Intervention Plan (BIP), the IEP team may conclude it is sufficient to address the student's behavioral problems through the development of behavioral goals and behavioral interventions to support those goals.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written policy consistent with California Education Code section 56521.1 regarding emergency interventions and Behavioral Emergency Reports ("BERs"). Further, CONTRACTOR shall affirmatively inform each of its employees about the policy and provide each employee a copy thereof. CONTRACTOR shall also ensure that all of its staff members are trained annually in crisis intervention and emergency procedures as related to appropriate behavior management strategies. Training includes certification with an approved SELPA crisis intervention program. Evidence of such training shall be submitted to the LEA at the beginning of the school year and within 6 days of any new hire.

Pursuant to Education Code section 56521.1, emergency interventions shall not be used as a substitute for a BIP and shall not be employed longer than necessary to contain the behavior. Emergency interventions may only be used to control unpredictable, spontaneous behavior that poses clear and present danger of serious physical harm to the LEA student or others and that cannot be immediately prevented by a response less restrictive than the temporary application of a technique used to contain the behavior. If a situation requires prolonged use of an emergency intervention, staff must seek assistance from the school site administrator or a law enforcement agency, as suitable to the situation.

To prevent emergency interventions from being used in lieu of planned, systematic behavioral interventions, the parent, guardian, and residential care provider, if appropriate, shall be notified if an emergency intervention is used or serious property damage occurs. CONTRACTOR shall immediately complete and maintain in the file of LEA student a BER which shall include all of the following: (1) The name and age of the individual with exceptional needs; (2) The setting and location of the incident; (3) The name of the staff or other persons involved; (4) A description of the incident and the emergency intervention used, and whether the LEA student is currently engaged in any systematic behavioral intervention plan; and (5) Details of any injuries sustained by LEA student or others, including staff, as a result of the incident. The BER shall be submitted to LEA within twenty-four (24) hours for administrative action. CONTRACTOR shall also notify Parent within twenty-four (24) hours via telephone.

Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(g), if a BER is written regarding an LEA student who does not have a behavior intervention plan, the designated responsible administrator shall, within two days, schedule an IEP Team meeting to review the emergency report, to determine the necessity for a functional behavioral assessment, and to determine the necessity for an interim plan. The IEP Team shall document the reasons for not conducting the functional behavioral assessment, not developing an interim plan, or both. Consistent with the requirements of California Education Code section 56521.1(h), if a behavioral emergency report is written regarding an LEA student who has a positive behavioral intervention plan, an incident involving a previously unseen serious behavior problem, or where a previously designed intervention is ineffective, shall be referred to the IEP team to review and determine if the incident constitutes a need to modify the positive behavioral intervention plan.

All restraint practices must be reviewed and revised when they have an adverse effect on a student and are used repeatedly for an individual child, either on multiple occasions within the same classroom or multiple uses by the same individual. CONTRACTOR shall notify the student's parent/guardian when any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusion has been used. Upon the use of any type of physical or mechanical restraint or seclusions of a District student, CONTRACTOR shall complete a BER per the reporting and notification requirements listed above.

31. STUDENT DISCIPLINE

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and abide by a written policy for student discipline that is consistent with state and federal law and regulations.

When CONTRACTOR seeks to remove a LEA student from his/her current educational placement for disciplinary reasons, CONTRACTOR shall submit a written discipline report within 24 hours to LEA and a manifestation IEP team meeting shall be scheduled. Written discipline reports shall include, but not be limited to: LEA student's name; the time, date, and description of the misconduct; the disciplinary action taken by CONTRACTOR; and the rationale for such disciplinary action. A copy of LEA student's behavior plan, if any, shall be submitted with the written discipline report. CONTRACTOR and LEA agree to participate in a manifestation determination at an IEP meeting no later than the tenth (10th) day of suspension. CONTRACTOR shall notify and invite LEA representatives to the IEP team meeting where the manifestation determination will be made.

32. IEP TEAM MEETINGS

An IEP team meeting shall be convened at least annually to evaluate: (1) the educational progress of each student placed with CONTRACTOR, including all state assessment results pursuant to the requirements of Education Code section 52052; (2) whether or not the needs of the student continue to be best met at the nonpublic school and/or by the nonpublic agency; and (3) whether changes to the student's IEP are necessary, including whether the student may be transitioned to a public school setting. (Ed. Code §§ 56366(a)(2)(B)(i), (ii); 56345(b)(4).)

If an LEA student is to be transferred from a nonpublic school setting into a regular class setting in a public school for any part of the school day, the IEP team shall document, if appropriate, a description of activities provided to integrate the student into the regular education program, including the nature of each activity as well as the time spent on the activity each day or week and a description of the activities provided to support the transition of the student from the special education program into the regular education program. Each student shall be allowed to provide confidential input to any representative of his or her IEP Team. Except as otherwise provided in the Master Contract, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall participate in all IEP team meetings regarding LEA students for whom ISAs have been or may be executed. At any time during the term of this Master Contract, a parent, the CONTRACTOR or LEA may request a review of the student's IEP, subject to all procedural safeguards required by law, including reasonable notice given to, and participation of, the CONTRACTOR in the meeting. Every effort shall be made to schedule IEP team meetings at a time and place that is mutually convenient to the parent(s), the CONTRACTOR and LEA. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, at no cost and prior to an annual or triennial IEP Team meeting, documentation which shows progress on goals and any and all assessments and written assessment reports (including testing protocols) created by CONTRACTOR and any of its agents or subcontractors, upon request and/or pursuant to LEA policy and procedures. It is understood that attendance at an IEP meeting is part of CONTRACTOR'S professional responsibility and is not a billable service under this Master Contract.

It is understood that the CONTRACTOR shall utilize the Special Education Information System (SEIS) or other comparable program/system as designated by LEA at LEA's discretion, for all IEP planning and progress reporting. LEA or SELPA shall provide training for any nonpublic school and nonpublic agency to assure access to SEIS or the comparable program/system designated for use by LEA. The nonpublic school and/or nonpublic agency shall maintain confidentiality of all IEP data on SEIS or comparable program/system and shall protect the password requirements of the system. When a student disenrolls from

the nonpublic school or stops receiving services from the nonpublic agency, such CONTRACTOR shall discontinue use of SEIS and/or comparable program/system for that student.

Changes in any LEA student's educational program, including instruction, services, or instructional setting provided under this Master Contract may only be made on the basis of revisions to the student's IEP. In the event that the CONTRACTOR believes the student requires a change of placement, the CONTRACTOR may request a review of the student's IEP for the purpose of considering a change in the student's placement. Student is entitled to remain in the last agreed upon and implemented placement unless parent agrees otherwise or an interim alternative educational setting is deemed lawful and appropriate.

33. SURROGATE PARENTS AND FOSTER YOUTH

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA surrogate parent assignments. A pupil in foster care shall be defined pursuant to Education Code section 42238.01(b). The LEA shall annually notify the CONTRACTOR who the LEA has designated as the educational liaison for foster children. When a pupil in foster care is enrolled in a nonpublic school by the LEA any time after the completion of the pupil's second year of high school, the CONTRACTOR shall schedule the pupil in courses leading towards graduation based on the diploma requirements of the LEA unless provided notice otherwise in writing pursuant to Section 51225.1

34. DUE PROCESS PROCEEDINGS

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in special education due process proceedings including mediations and hearings, as requested by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall also fully participate in the investigation and provision of documentation related to any complaint filed with the State of California, the Office for Civil Rights, or any other state and/or federal governmental body or agency. Full participation shall include, but in no way be limited to, cooperating with LEA representatives to provide complete answers raised by any investigator and/or the immediate provision of any and all documentation that pertains to the operation of CONTRACTOR'S program and/or the implementation of a particular student's IEP/ISA.

35. COMPLAINT PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and adhere to its own written procedures for responding to parent complaints. These procedures shall include annually notifying and providing parents of LEA students with appropriate information (including complaint forms) for the following: (1) Uniform Complaint Procedures pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4600 et seq.; (2) Nondiscrimination Policy pursuant to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 4960(a); (3) Sexual Harassment Policy pursuant to California Education Code 231.5; (4) Title IX Student Grievance Procedures pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 106.8(a) and 106.9(a); (5) Notice of Privacy Practices in compliance with Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPPA"), 45 C.F.R. § 164.520; and (6) Notification and Complaint Procedures for Disability Access, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101 et seq. CONTRACTOR shall include verification of these procedures to LEA.

36. LEA STUDENT PROGRESS REPORTS/REPORT CARDS AND ASSESSMENTS

Unless LEA requests in writing that progress reports be provided on a monthly basis, CONTRACTOR shall provide to parents, with a concurrent copy sent to LEA, at least four written progress reports/report cards. At a minimum, progress reports shall include progress over time towards IEP goals and objectives. A copy of the progress reports/report cards shall be maintained at the CONTRACTOR'S place of business.

CONTRACTOR shall also provide an LEA representative access to supporting documentation used to determine progress on any goal or objective, including but not limited to log sheets, chart notes, observation notes, data sheets, pre/post tests, rubrics and other similar data collection used to determine progress or lack of progress on approved goals, objectives, transition plans or behavior support and/or intervention plans. LEA may request copies of such data at any time within five years of the date of service. CONTRACTOR

agrees to maintain the information for at least five years and also shall provide this data supporting progress within 5 business days of request. Additional time may be granted as needed by LEA.

CONTRACTOR shall complete academic or other assessment of LEA student ten (10) days prior to LEA student's annual or triennial review IEP team meeting for the purpose of reporting LEA student's present levels of performance at the IEP team meeting as required by state and federal laws and regulations and pursuant to LEA policies, procedures, and/or practices. Sufficient copies of reports, projected goals and/or any other relevant documents to be reviewed by the IEP Team shall be provided to the District no later than five (5) business days prior to an annual or triennial IEP team meeting. CONTRACTOR shall maintain all supporting documentation including but not limited to test protocols and data collection, which shall be made available to LEA within 5 business days of request.

CONTRACTOR is responsible for all assessment costs regarding the updating of goals and objectives, progress reporting and the development of present levels of performance. All other assessments shall be provided by LEA unless LEA specifies in writing a request that CONTRACTOR perform such additional assessment. Such assessment costs may be added to the ISA and/or approved separately by LEA at LEA's sole discretion.

It is understood that all billable hours must be in direct services to pupils as specified in the ISA. For nonpublic agency services, supervision provided by a qualified individual as specified in Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 3065, shall be determined as appropriate and included in the ISA. Supervision means the direct observation of services, data review, case conferencing and program design consistent with professional standards for each professional's license, certification, or credential.

CONTRACTOR shall not charge LEA student's parent(s) or LEA for the development or provision of progress reports, report cards, and/or any assessments, interviews, or attendance at any meetings, including but not limited to IEP meetings. It is understood that all billable hours have limits to those specified on the ISA consistent with the IEP. It is understood that copies of data collection notes, forms, charts and other such data are part of the pupil's record and shall be made available to LEA upon written request.

37. TRANSCRIPTS

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall prepare transcripts at the close of each semester, or upon LEA student transfer, for LEA students in grades nine (9) through twelve (12) inclusive. CONTRACTOR shall submit all transcripts on LEA-approved forms to LEA student's school of residence for evaluation of progress toward completion of diploma requirements as specified in LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA names of LEA students and their schools of residence for whom transcripts have been submitted as specified by LEA.

38. LEA STUDENT CHANGE OF RESIDENCE

Upon enrollment, CONTRACTOR shall notify parents in writing of their obligation to notify CONTRACTOR of LEA student's change of residence. Within five (5) school days after CONTRACTOR becomes aware of a LEA student's change of residence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA, in writing, of LEA student's change of residence. CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide upon request by LEA, documentation of such notice to parents.

If CONTRACTOR had knowledge or should reasonably have had knowledge of LEA student's change of residence boundaries and CONTRACTOR fails to follow the procedures specified in this provision, LEA shall not be responsible for the costs of services delivered after LEA student's change of residence.

39. WITHDRAWAL OF LEA STUDENT FROM PROGRAM

CONTRACTOR shall immediately report, by telephone, with a follow-up written notification within five (5) business days to LEA Representative responsible for overseeing nonpublic schools and nonpublic agencies,

and any other required representative from the California Department of Education, when a LEA student is withdrawn without prior notice from school and/or services. CONTRACTOR shall confirm such telephone call on LEA approved forms and submit to LEA and the Department of Education, if required, within five (5) business days of the withdrawal, including a student's change in residence to a residence outside of LEA service boundaries, and the student's discharge against professional advice from a Nonpublic School/Residential Treatment Center ("NPS/RTC"). CONTRACTOR shall assist LEA to verify and clear potential dropouts three (3) times per year.

40. PARENT ACCESS

CONTRACTOR shall provide for reasonable parental access to LEA students and all facilities including, but not limited to, the instructional setting, recreational activity areas, meeting rooms and LEA student's living quarters. CONTRACTOR shall comply with any known court orders regarding parental visits and access to LEA students.

CONTRACTORS operating programs associated with a NPS/RTC shall cooperate with a parent's reasonable request for LEA student therapeutic visits in their home or at the NPS/RTC. CONTRACTOR shall require that parents obtain prior written authorization for therapeutic visits from the CONTRACTOR and the LEA at least thirty (30) days in advance. CONTRACTOR shall facilitate all parent travel and accommodations and provide travel information to the parent as appropriate. Payment by LEA for approved travel-related expenses shall be made directly through the LEA.

41. SERVICES AND SUPERVISION AND PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT

If CONTRACTOR provides services on a LEA public school campus, CONTRACTOR shall comply with Penal Code section 627.1 *et seq.*, as well as all other LEA and campus-specific policies and procedures regarding visitors to/on school campuses. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the purchase and provision of the supplies and assessment tools necessary to implement the provision of CONTRACTOR services on LEA public school campuses.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed along with all procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the educational program and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher who shall remain in charge of the instructional program.

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or agency shall adhere to customary professional standards when providing services. All practices shall be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession. Reports regarding student progress shall be consistent with the provision of the Master Contract.

CONTRACTORS providing services outside of the student's school as specified in the IEP shall ensure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authority to make decisions in an emergency is present during provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home-based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot also be an employee or volunteer associated with the NPS/NPA service provider. All problems and/or concerns reported by CONTRACTOR to parents or guardians, in either verbal or written form, shall be reported to LEA.

CONTRACTOR, if providing services in a student's home as specified in the IEP, shall assure that at least one parent of the child or an adult caregiver with written and signed authorization to make decisions in an emergency is present during the provision of services. The names of any adult caregiver other than the parent shall be provided to LEA prior to the start of any home based services, including written and signed authorization in emergency situations. The parent shall inform LEA of any changes of caregivers and provide written authorization for emergency situations. The adult caregiver cannot be an employee or volunteer

associated with the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency service provider. Moreover, for services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTORS must assure that the parent or LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written, shall also be provided to the LEA.

42. LICENSED CHILDREN'S INSTITUTION ("LCI") CONTRACTORS AND RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CENTER ("RTC") CONTRACTORS

If CONTRACTOR is a licensed children's institution ("LCI"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements regarding educational placements for LCI students as stated in Education Code sections 56366(a)(2)(C) and 56366.9, Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b), (AB1858, AB490 (Chapter 862, Statutes of 2003)) and the procedures set forth in LEA Procedures. A LCI shall not require that a pupil be placed in its nonpublic school as a condition of being placed in its residential facility.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a LCI, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA, on a quarterly basis, a list of all LEA students, including those identified as eligible for special education. For those identified special education students, the list shall include: 1) special education eligibility at the time of enrollment and 2) the educational placement and services specified in each student's IEP at the time of enrollment.

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic, nonsectarian school that is owned, operated by, or associated with a residential treatment center (hereinafter referred to as "NPS/RTC"), CONTRACTOR shall adhere to all legal requirements under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. section 1411 *et seq.* and Education Code section 56000, *et seq.*; amended and reorganized by the Individuals with Disabilities Education Improvement Act of 2004 ("IDEIA"), 20 U.S.C. section 1401(29); Education Code section 56031; Title 5, California Code of Regulations section 3001 *et seq.*, Title 2, California Code of Regulations section 60100 *et seq.* regarding the provision of counseling services, including residential care for students to receive a FAPE as set forth in LEA student's IEPs.

Unless placement is made pursuant to an Office of Administrative Hearings order or a lawfully executed agreement between LEA and parent, LEA is not responsible for the costs associated with nonpublic school placement until the date on which an IEP team meeting is convened, the IEP team determines that a nonpublic school placement is appropriate, and the IEP is signed by LEA student's parent or another adult with educational decision-making rights.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this state shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

43. STATE MEAL MANDATE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR and LEA shall satisfy the State Meal Mandate under California Education Code sections 49530, 49530.5 and 49550.

44. MONITORING

CONTRACTOR shall allow representatives from LEA access to its facilities for the purpose of periodic monitoring of each LEA student's instructional program, and shall be invited to participate in the formal review of each student's progress. LEA representatives shall have access to observe each LEA student at work, observe the instructional setting, interview CONTRACTOR, and review each LEA student's records and progress. Such access shall include unannounced monitoring visits. When making site visits, LEA shall initially report to CONTRACTOR'S site administrative office. CONTRACTOR shall be invited to participate in the review of each student's progress.

If CONTRACTOR is also a LCI and/or NPS/RTC, LEA shall annually evaluate whether CONTRACTOR is in compliance with Education Code section 56366.9 and Health and Safety Code section 1501.1(b).

The State Superintendent of Public Instruction (“Superintendent”) shall monitor CONTRACTOR’S facilities, the educational environment, and the quality of the educational program, including the teaching staff, the credentials authorizing service, the standards-based core curriculum being employed, and the standard focused instructional materials used on a three-year cycle, as follows: (1) CONTRACTOR shall complete a self-review in year one; (2) the Superintendent shall conduct an onsite review in year two; and (3) the Superintendent shall conduct a follow-up visit in year three.

CONTRACTOR shall fully participate in any LEA and CDE compliance review, if applicable, to be conducted as aligned with the CDE Onsite Review and monitoring cycle in accordance with California Education Code section 56366.1(j). This review will address programmatic aspects of the nonpublic school/agency, compliance with relevant state and federal regulations, and Master Contract compliance. If requested by LEA, CONTRACTOR shall complete and submit a Nonpublic School/Agency Self-Review Assessment submitted as specified by LEA. CONTRACTOR shall conduct any follow-up or corrective action procedures related to review findings.

CONTRACTOR understands that LEA reserves the right to institute a program audit with or without cause. The program audit may include, but is not limited to, a review of core compliance areas of health and safety; curriculum/instruction; related services; and contractual, legal, and procedural compliance.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall collect all applicable data and prepare the applicable portion of a School Accountability Report Card in accordance with California Education Code Section 33126.

PERSONNEL

45. CLEARANCE REQUIREMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 44237, 35021.1 and 35021.2 including, but not limited to: obtaining clearance from both the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and clearance from the Federal Bureau of Investigation (hereinafter referred to as “FBI”) for all of CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers who will have or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students. CONTRACTOR hereby agrees that CONTRACTOR’S employees and volunteers shall not come in contact with LEA students until both CDOJ and FBI clearance are ascertained. CONTRACTOR shall further certify in writing to LEA that none of its employees, volunteers, or subcontractors who will have, or likely may have any direct contact with LEA students, have been convicted of a violent or serious felony as those terms are defined in California Education Code section 44237(h), unless despite the employee’s conviction of a violent or serious felony, he or she has met the criteria to be eligible for employment pursuant to California Education Code section 44237(i) or (j). Clearance certification shall be submitted to LEA. In addition, CONTRACTOR shall make a request for subsequent arrest service from the CDOJ as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2.

The passage of AB 389 amends Education Code sections 44237 and 56366.1 as to the verification that the CONTRACTOR has received a successful criminal background check clearance and has enrolled in subsequent arrest notification service, as specified, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. Further this bill deletes the exemption for applicants possessing a valid California state teaching credential or who are currently licensed by another state agency that requires a criminal record summary, from submitting 2 sets of fingerprints for the purpose of obtaining a criminal record summary from the California Department of Justice (“CDOJ”) and the Federal Bureau of Investigation (“FBI”). Notwithstanding the restrictions on sharing and destroying criminal background check information, CONTRACTOR, upon demand, shall make available to the LEA evidence of a successful criminal background check clearance and enrollment in subsequent arrest notification service, as provided, for each owner, operator, and employee of the nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. CONTRACTOR is required

to retain the evidence on-site, as specified, for all staff, including those licensed or credentialed by another state agency. Background clearances and proof of subsequent arrest notification service as required by California Penal Code section 11105.2 for all staff shall be provided upon request.

46. STAFF QUALIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services are qualified as defined in Section 7(d) of this Mater Contract, including but not limited to holding a license, certificate, permit, or other document equivalent to that which staff in a public school are required to hold to render the service consistent with Education Code section 56366.1(n)(1) and are qualified pursuant to Title 34 of the Code of Federal Regulations sections 200.56 and 200.58 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations, sections 3064 and 3065. Such qualified staff may only provide related services within the scope of their professional license, certification or credential and ethical standards set by each profession and not assume responsibility or authority for another related services provider or special education teacher's scope of practice.

CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all staff are appropriately credentialed to provide instruction and/or services to students with the disabling conditions placed in their program/school through documentation provided to the CDE. (Cal. Code Regs., tit. 5, § 3064(a).)

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, an appropriately qualified person shall serve as curricular and instructional leader, and be able to provide leadership, oversight and professional development.

Only those nonpublic, nonsectarian schools or agencies located outside of California that employ staff who hold a current valid credential or license to render special education and related services as required by that state shall be eligible to be certified.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with personnel standards and qualifications regarding instructional aides and teacher assistants respectively pursuant to Federal requirements and California Education Code sections 45340 *et seq.* and 45350 *et seq.* Specifically, all paraprofessionals, including, but not limited to instructional aides and teacher assistants, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or subcontracted by CONTRACTOR to provide classroom and/or individualized instruction or related services, shall possess a high school diploma (or its recognized equivalent) and at least one of the following qualifications: (a) completed at least two (2) years of study at an institution of higher education; or (b) obtained an associate's (or higher) degree; or (c) met a rigorous standard of quality and can demonstrate, through a formal state or local assessment (i) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading, writing, and mathematics; or (ii) knowledge of, and the ability to assist in instructing, reading readiness, writing readiness, and mathematics readiness, as appropriate. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all laws and regulations governing the licensed professions, including but not limited to, the provisions with respect to supervision.

In addition to meeting the certification requirements of the State of California, a CONTRACTOR that operates a program outside of this State and serving an LEA student shall be certified or licensed by that state to provide special education and related services and designated instruction and related services to pupils under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 U.S.C. Sec. 1400 *et seq.*).

47. VERIFICATION OF LICENSES, CREDENTIALS AND OTHER DOCUMENTS

CONTRACTOR shall submit to LEA a staff list, and copies of all current licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents which entitle the holder to provide special education and/or related services by individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired or sub-contracted by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall ensure that all licenses, credentials, permits or other documents are on file at the office of the County Superintendent of Schools. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students as specified in LEA Procedures. Within thirty (30) days, CONTRACTOR shall

provide LEA with the verified dates of fingerprint clearance, Department of Justice clearance and Tuberculosis Test clearance for all employees, approved subcontractors and/or volunteers prior to such individuals starting to work with any student.

CONTRACTOR shall monitor the status of licenses, credentials, certifications, permits and/or other documents for all individuals employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA and CDE in writing within thirty (30) days when personnel changes occur which may affect the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA within thirty (30) days if any such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, challenged pursuant to an administrative or legal complaint or lawsuit, or otherwise nullified during the effective period of this Master Contract. LEA shall not be obligated to pay for any services provided by a person whose such licenses, certifications or waivers are expired, suspended, revoked, rescinded, or otherwise nullified during the period during which such person is providing services under this Master Contract. Failure to notify LEA of changes in licenses, certifications or suspensions shall be good cause for termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

Failure to notify LEA and CDE of any changes in credentialing/licensed staff may result in suspension or revocation of CDE certification and shall also suffice as good cause for the suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

48. STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school and CONTRACTOR'S classroom teacher is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage on LEA substitute teacher log. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA shall not be responsible for any payment for instruction and/or services when an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher is not provided.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and/or related services provider, and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. It is understood that the parent of a student shall not be deemed to be a qualified substitute for his/her student. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and an authorized LEA representative.

49. STAFF PROFESSIONAL BEHAVIOR WHEN PROVIDING SERVICES AT SCHOOL OR SCHOOL RELATED EVENTS OR AT SCHOOL FACILITY AND/OR IN THE HOME

It is understood that all employees, subcontractors, and volunteers of any certified nonpublic school or nonpublic agency shall adhere to the customary professional and ethical standards when providing services. All practices shall only be within the scope of professional responsibility as defined in the professional code of conduct for each profession as well as any LEA professional standards as specified in Board policies and/or regulations when made available to the CONTRACTOR.

For services provided on a public school campus, sign in/out procedures shall be followed by nonpublic agency providers working in a public school classroom along with all other procedures for being on campus consistent with school and LEA policy. Such policies and procedures shall be made available to CONTRACTOR upon CONTRACTOR'S request. It is understood that the public school credentialed classroom teacher is responsible for the instructional program, and all nonpublic agency service providers shall work collaboratively with the classroom teacher, who shall remain in charge of the instructional

program. Failure to comply with this and all LEA requirements in this regard shall be sufficient cause to terminate this Master Contract.

For services provided in a pupil's home as specified in the IEP, CONTRACTOR must assure that the parent or an LEA-approved responsible adult is present during the provision of services. All problems and/or concerns reported to parents, both verbal and written shall also be provided to LEA. It is understood that unless otherwise agreed to by LEA, a public school credentialed teacher is responsible for the instructional program and all nonpublic agency related service providers shall work collaboratively with the teacher who shall remain in charge of supervising the instructional program.

HEALTH AND SAFETY MANDATES

50. HEALTH AND SAFETY

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, local, and LEA laws, regulations, ordinances, policies, and procedures regarding student and employee health and safety. CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code sections 35021 *et seq.*, and 49406, and Health and Safety Code section 121545 regarding the examination of CONTRACTOR'S employees and volunteers for tuberculosis. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation for each individual volunteering, employed, contracted, and/or otherwise hired by CONTRACTOR of such compliance before an individual comes in contact with an LEA student.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with OSHA Blood Borne Pathogens Standards, Title 29 of the Code of Federal Regulations section 1910.1030, when providing medical treatment or assistance to a student. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training regarding universal health care precautions and to post required notices in areas designated in the California Health and Safety Code.

51. FACILITIES AND FACILITIES MODIFICATIONS

CONTRACTOR shall provide special education and/or related services to LEA students in facilities that comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances related, but not limited to: disability access; fire, health, sanitation, and building standards and safety; fire warning systems; zoning permits; and occupancy capacity. When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, CONTRACTOR shall conduct fire drills as required by Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations section 550. During the duration of this Agreement, if CONTRACTOR is subject to fines, penalties and findings of non-compliance, CONTRACTOR shall assume any and all responsibilities for payment of such financial obligations. CONTRACTOR shall also be fully responsible for any structural changes and/or modifications to CONTRACTOR'S facilities as required to comply with applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, and ordinances. Failure to notify LEA or CDE of any changes in, major modification or relocation of facilities may result in the suspension or revocation of CDE certification and/or suspension or termination of this Master Contract by LEA.

In signing this Agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that its facilities either comply with federal and state and local laws regarding disability access, or possesses and has available upon demand, a self-evaluation and/or transition plan in accordance with said laws.

52. ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION

CONTRACTOR shall comply with the requirements of California Education Code section 49423 when CONTRACTOR serves a LEA student that is required to take prescription and/or over-the-counter medication during the school day. CONTRACTOR may designate personnel to assist LEA student with the administration of such medication after LEA student's parent(s) provide(s) to CONTRACTOR: (a) a written statement from a physician detailing the type, administration method, amount, and time schedules by which such medication shall be taken; and (b) a written statement from LEA student's parent(s) granting CONTRACTOR permission to administer medication(s) as specified in the physician's statement.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain, and provide to LEA upon request, copies of such written statements. CONTRACTOR shall maintain a written log for each LEA student to whom medication is administered. Such written log shall specify LEA student's name; the type of medication; the date, time, and amount of each administration; and the name of CONTRACTOR'S employee who administered the medication. CONTRACTOR maintains full responsibility for assuring appropriate staff training in the administration of such medication consistent with student's physician's written orders. Any change in medication type, administration method, amount or schedule must be authorized by both a licensed physician and parent.

In the event there is an LEA student who is on a prescription medication regimen, the CONTRACTOR is to: (a) first obtain a copy of the appropriate medication authorization form available from LEA student's primary regional or site nurse; or (b) in the event the student does not take prescription medication during the school day, but would only take such medication while in the care, custody and control of the CONTRACTOR, prior to the commencement of services to LEA student, CONTRACTOR is to obtain a signed copy of the appropriate medication authorization form from the District. Both the District and CONTRACTOR shall retain a copy of the Authorization.

53. INCIDENT/ACCIDENT REPORTING

CONTRACTOR shall within 24 hours submit electronically any accident or incident report to LEA. CONTRACTOR shall properly submit accident or incident reports as required by the District.

54. CHILD ABUSE REPORTING

CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to annually train all staff members, including volunteers, so that they are familiar with and agree to adhere to its own child and dependent adult abuse reporting obligations and procedures as specified in California Penal Code section 11164 *et seq.* and Education Code section 44691. To protect the privacy rights of all parties involved (i.e. reporter, child and alleged abuser), reports will remain confidential as required by law and professional ethical mandates. A written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be submitted to LEA.

CONTRACTOR is to read and become familiar with the District's *Mandated Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Manual*, available on the District's Risk Management Web Site at: <http://www.egusd.net/riskmanagement/Info-MandRep.html>.

In the event there is suspicion of abuse conducted by District staff (e.g. a student reports to CONTRACTOR staff of abuse from District staff), CONTRACTOR is to file the appropriate report to the Sacramento County Sheriff. CONTRACTOR is also to confidentially notify the Risk Management Department (Risk Manager) of the report. CONTRACTOR is to cooperate with any investigation conducted by the District in connection with such report.

55. SEXUAL HARASSMENT

CONTRACTOR shall have a Sexual and Gender Identity Harassment Policy that clearly describes the kinds of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and that is prohibited by the CONTRACTOR'S policy, as well as federal and state law. The policy should include procedures to make complaints without fear of retaliation and procedures for prompt and objective investigations of all sexual harassment complaints. CONTRACTOR further agrees to provide annual training to all employees regarding the laws concerning sexual harassment and related procedures.

56. REPORTING OF MISSING CHILDREN

CONTRACTOR assures LEA that all staff members, including volunteers and any independent contractor and/or subcontractor authorized pursuant to this Master Contract, are familiar with and agree to adhere to requirements for reporting missing children as specified in California Education Code section 49370. A

written statement acknowledging the legal requirements of such reporting and verification of staff adherence to such reporting shall be properly submitted to LEA. The written statement shall be submitted as specified by LEA.

FINANCIAL

57. ENROLLMENT, CONTRACTING, SERVICE TRACKING, ATTENDANCE REPORTING, AND BILLING PROCEDURES

CONTRACTOR shall assure that the nonpublic school or nonpublic agency has the necessary financial resources to provide an appropriate education for the children enrolled and will distribute those resources in such a manner to implement the IEP and ISA for each and every child.

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all LEA procedures concerning enrollment, contracting, attendance reporting, service tracking and billing, including requirements of electronic billing, as specified by LEA Procedures. CONTRACTOR shall be paid for the provision of special education and/or related services specified in LEA student's IEP and ISA which are provided on billable days of attendance. All payments by LEA shall be made in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Master Contract and in compliance with LEA Procedures, and will be governed by all applicable federal and state laws.

CONTRACTOR shall maintain separate registers for the basic education program, each related service, and services provided by instructional assistants, behavior intervention aides and bus aides. Original attendance forms (i.e., roll books for the basic education program service tracking documents and notes for instructional assistants, behavioral intervention aides, bus aides, and each related service) shall be completed by the actual service provider whose signature shall appear on such forms and shall be available for review, inspection, or audit by LEA during the effective period of this Master Contract and for a period of five (5) years thereafter. CONTRACTOR shall verify the accuracy of minutes of reported attendance that is the basis of services being billed for payment.

CONTRACTOR shall submit invoices and related documents to LEA for payment for each calendar month when education or related services were provided. Invoices and related documents shall be properly submitted electronically and, in addition, on a LEA form with signatures in the manner prescribed by LEA. Contractor will submit invoices using the format provided by LEA. At the request of LEA, invoices may require the following information: name of LEA student for whom service was provided; the type of service provided; (if payment for assessment is approved by LEA pursuant to Section 36 of this Master Contract, the invoice must describe whether the assessment was prepared for an initial, annual, amended, or triennial IEP; month of service; specific dates (date, month, year and times) of services coordinated pursuant to LEA-approved calendar unless otherwise specified in the IEP or agreed to by LEA; name of staff who provided the service and that individual's licensing and credentials; approved cost of each invoice; total for each service and total for the monthly invoice; date invoice was mailed; signature of the nonpublic school/nonpublic agency administrator authorizing that the information is accurate and consistent with the ISA, CDE certificates and staff notification; verification that attendance report is attached as appropriate; indication of any made-up session consistent with this Master Contract; and verification that progress reports have been provided consistent with the ISA (consistent with IEP benchmark dates, unless otherwise specified on the ISA); and name or initials of each student for when the service was provided. In the event services were not provided, rationale for why the services were not provided shall be included.

Such an invoice is subject to all conditions of this Master Contract. At the discretion of LEA, an electronic invoice may be required provided such notice has been made in writing and training provided to the CONTRACTOR at no additional charge for such training.

Invoices shall be submitted no later than thirty (30) days after the end of the attendance accounting period in which the services were rendered. LEA shall make payment to CONTRACTOR based on the number of billable days of attendance and hours of service at rates specified in this Master Contract within forty-five (45) days of LEA's receipt of properly submitted hard copy of invoices prepared and submitted as specified

in California Education Code Section 56366.5. CONTRACTOR shall correct deficiencies and submit rebilling invoices no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the invoice is returned by LEA. LEA shall pay properly submitted re-billing invoices no later than forty-five (45) days after the date a completely corrected re-billing invoice is received by LEA.

In no case shall initial payment claim submission for any Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond December 31st after the close of the fiscal year. In no case shall any rebilling for the Master Contract fiscal year (July through June) extend beyond six months after the close of the fiscal year unless approved by LEA to resolve billing issues including rebilling issues directly related to a delay in obtaining information from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing regarding teacher qualification, but no later than 12 months from the close of the fiscal year. If the billing or rebilling error is the responsibility of LEA, then no limit is set provided that LEA and CONTRACTOR have communicated such concerns in writing during the 12-month period following the close of the fiscal year. LEA will not pay mileage for NPA employee.

58. RIGHT TO WITHHOLD PAYMENT

LEA may withhold payment to CONTRACTOR when: (a) CONTRACTOR has failed to perform, in whole or in part, under the terms of this Contract; (b) CONTRACTOR has billed for services rendered on days other than billable days of attendance or for days when student was not in attendance and/or did not receive services; (c) CONTRACTOR was overpaid by LEA as determined by inspection, review, and/or audit of its program, work, and/or records; (d) CONTRACTOR has failed to provide supporting documentation with an invoice; (e) education and/or related services are provided to LEA students by personnel who are not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (f) LEA has not received, prior to school closure or contract termination, all documents concerning one or more LEA students enrolled in CONTRACTOR'S educational program; (g) CONTRACTOR fails to confirm a student's change of residence to another district or confirms the change or residence to another district, but fails to notify LEA within five (5) days of such confirmation; (h) CONTRACTOR receives payment from Medi-Cal or from any other agency or funding source for a service provided to a LEA student; or (i) CONTRACTOR fails to provide the required liability/insurance documentation as outlined in Section 15. It is understood that no payments shall be made for any invoices that are not received by six months following the close of the prior fiscal year, for services provided in that year.

Final payment to CONTRACTOR in connection with the cessation of operations and/or termination of a Master Contract will be subject to the same documentation standards described for all payment claims for regular ongoing operations. In addition, final payment may be withheld by LEA until completion of a review or audit, if deemed necessary by LEA. Such review or audit will be completed within ninety (90) days. The final payment may be adjusted to offset any previous payments to the CONTRACTOR determined to have been paid in error or in anticipation of correction of documentation deficiencies by the CONTRACTOR that remain uncorrected.

The amount which may be withheld by LEA with respect to each of the subparagraphs of the preceding paragraph are as follows: (a) the value of the service CONTRACTOR failed to perform; (b) the amount of overpayment; (c) the entire amount of the invoice for which satisfactory documentation has not been provided by CONTRACTOR; (d) the amount invoiced for services provided by the individual not appropriately credentialed, licensed, or otherwise qualified; (e) the proportionate amount of the invoice related to the applicable pupil for the time period from the date the violation occurred and until the violation is cured; or (f) the amount paid to CONTRACTOR by Medi-Cal or another agency or funding source for the service provided to LEA student.

If LEA determines that cause exists to withhold payment to CONTRACTOR, LEA shall, within ten (10) business days of this determination, provide to CONTRACTOR written notice that LEA is withholding payment. Such notice shall specify the basis or bases for LEA's withholding payment and the amount to be withheld. Within thirty (30) days from the date of receipt of such notice, CONTRACTOR shall take all necessary and appropriate action to correct the deficiencies that form the basis for LEA's withholding payment or submit a written request for extension of time to correct the deficiencies. Upon receipt of

CONTRACTOR'S written request showing good cause, LEA shall extend CONTRACTOR'S time to correct deficiencies (usually an additional thirty (30) days), otherwise payment will be denied.

If after subsequent request for payment has been denied and CONTRACTOR believes that payment should not be withheld, CONTRACTOR shall send written notice to LEA specifying the reason it believes payment should not be withheld. LEA shall respond to CONTRACTOR'S notice within thirty (30) business days by indicating that a warrant for the amount of payment will be made or stating the reason LEA believes payment should not be made. If LEA fails to respond within thirty (30) business days or a dispute regarding the withholding of payment continues after LEA's response to CONTRACTOR'S notice, CONTRACTOR may invoke the following escalation policy.

After forty-five (45) business days: The CONTRACTOR may notify the Authorized LEA's Representative of the dispute in writing. LEA Authorized Representative shall respond to the CONTRACTOR in writing within fifteen (15) business days.

After sixty (60) business days: Disagreements between LEA and CONTRACTOR concerning the Master Contract may be appealed to the County Superintendent of Schools or the State Superintendent of Public Instruction pursuant to the provisions of California Education Code Section 56366(c)(2).

59. PAYMENT FROM OUTSIDE AGENCIES

CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA when Medi-Cal or any other agency is billed for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students. Upon request, CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA any and all documentation regarding reports, billing, and/or payment by Medi-Cal or any other agency for the costs associated with the provision of special education and/or related services to LEA students.

60. PAYMENT FOR ABSENCES

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STAFF ABSENCE

Whenever a classroom teacher employed by CONTRACTOR is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher in the absent teacher's classroom in accordance with California Education Code section 56061. CONTRACTOR shall provide to LEA documentation of substitute coverage pursuant to LEA Procedures. Substitute teachers shall remain with their assigned class during all instructional time. LEA will not pay for instruction and/or services unless said instruction or service is provided by an appropriately credentialed substitute teacher.

Whenever a related service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute. LEA will not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided unless otherwise agreed in LEA student's IEP.

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school, no later than the tenth (10th) cumulative day of LEA student's unexcused absence, CONTRACTOR shall notify LEA of such absence as specified in LEA Procedures.

Criteria for a billable day for payment purposes is one day of attendance as defined in California Education Code sections 46010, 46010.3 and 46307. LEA shall not pay for services provided on days that a student's attendance does not qualify for Average Daily Attendance ("ADA") reimbursement under state law. *Per Diem* rates for students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted on a pro rata basis in accordance with the actual proportion of the school day the student was served. LEA shall not be responsible for payment of related services for days on which a student's attendance does not qualify for ADA reimbursement under state law, nor shall student be eligible for make-up services.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STAFF ABSENCE

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency and CONTRACTOR'S service provider is absent, CONTRACTOR shall provide a qualified (as defined in Section seven (7) of this Master Contract and as determined by LEA) substitute, unless LEA provides appropriate coverage in lieu of CONTRACTOR'S service providers. LEA shall not pay for services unless a qualified substitute is provided and/or CONTRACTOR provides documentation evidencing the provision of "make-up" services by a qualified service provider within thirty (30) calendar days from the date on which the services should have been provided. CONTRACTOR shall not "bank" or "carry over" make up service hours under any circumstances, unless otherwise agreed to in writing by CONTRACTOR and LEA. In the event services were not provided, reasons for why the services were not provided shall be included.

NONPUBLIC AGENCY STUDENT ABSENCE

If CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic agency, it shall notify LEA of the absence of a LEA student no later than the fifth (5th) consecutive service day of the student's absence. LEA shall not be responsible for the payment of services when a student is absent.

61. INSPECTION AND AUDIT

CONTRACTOR shall maintain and LEA shall have the right to examine and audit all of the books, records, documents, accounting procedures and practices and other evidence that reflect all costs claimed to have been incurred or fees claimed to have been earned under this Agreement.

CONTRACTOR shall provide LEA access to all records as defined in Section 9 of this Master Contract. CONTRACTOR shall make all records available at the office of LEA or CONTRACTOR'S offices (to be specified by LEA), at all reasonable times and without charge. All records shall be provided to LEA within five (5) working days of a written request from LEA. CONTRACTOR shall, at no cost to LEA, provide assistance for such examination or audit. LEA's rights under this section shall also include access to CONTRACTOR'S offices for purposes of interviewing CONTRACTOR'S employees. If any document or evidence is stored in an electronic form, a hard copy shall be made available to LEA, unless LEA agrees to the use of the electronic format.

CONTRACTOR shall obtain from its subcontractors and suppliers written agreements to the requirements of this section and shall provide a copy of such agreements to LEA upon request by LEA.

If an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm determines that CONTRACTOR owes LEA monies as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, LEA shall provide to CONTRACTOR written notice demanding payment from CONTRACTOR and specifying the basis or bases for such demand. Unless CONTRACTOR and LEA otherwise agree in writing, CONTRACTOR shall pay to LEA the full amount owed as a result of CONTRACTOR'S over billing and/or failure to perform, in whole or in part, any of its obligations under this Master Contract, as determined by an inspection, review, or audit by LEA, a state agency, a federal agency, and/or an independent agency/firm. CONTRACTOR shall make such payment to LEA within thirty (30) days of receipt of LEA's written notice demanding payment.

62. RATE SCHEDULE

The attached rate schedules (Exhibits A and B) limit the number of LEA students that may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students that can be provided specific services. Per Diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day may be adjusted proportionally. In such cases only, the adjustments in basic education rate shall be based on the required minimum number of minutes per grade level as noted in the California Education Code Sections 46200-46208.

Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR shall be provided by qualified personnel as per State and Federal law, and the codes and charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this Master Contract, shall be as stated in Exhibits A and B.

When CONTRACTOR is a nonpublic school associated with a Residential Treatment Center (“NPS/RTC”), Educationally Related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) are provided in an integrated, intensive, educationally related therapeutic residential setting which includes social emotional/behavior support through individual counseling, group counseling, family consultation and support, as appropriate. It is a collaborative model which includes educational professionals and related service providers, where all supports and services are integrated in the NPS/RTC program. Costs for ERMHS are all inclusive and combined with the daily rate as ERMHS+RB (“ERMHS + Room and Board”). ERMHS plus Room and Board payments are based on positive attendance (payable for up to a maximum of 365 days) only, with up to a maximum of 10 days payment per student, per contract year, when a bed is unoccupied, for home visits of a therapeutic nature.

63. DEBARMENT CERTIFICATION

By signing this agreement, CONTRACTOR certifies that:

- (a) CONTRACTOR and any of its shareholders, partners, or executive officers are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, or declared ineligible for the award of contracts by any Federal agency, and
- (b) Has/have not, within a three-year period preceding this contract, been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for: commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a Federal, state or local government contract or subcontract; violation of Federal or state antitrust statutes relating to the submission of offers; or commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, tax evasion, or receiving stolen property; and are not presently indicted for, or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a Government entity with, commission of any of these offenses.

The Parties hereto have executed this Master Contract by and through their duly authorized agents or representatives. This Master Contract is effective on the 1st day of July 2017 and terminates at 5:00 P.M. on June 30, 2018, unless sooner terminated as provided herein.

CONTRACTOR
SIERRA FOOTHILLS ACADEMY

Nonpublic School/Agency

By:

Signature Date
DR. THOMAS WILLIAMS

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to CONTRACTOR shall be addressed to:
DR. THOMAS WILLIAMS

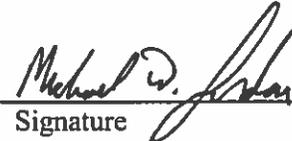
Name and Title
SIERRA FOOTHILLS ACADEMY
Nonpublic School/Agency/Related Service Provider
6245 KING ROAD

Address
LOOMIS, CA
City State Zip
916-259-2790
Phone Fax

Email*
(*Required)

LEA
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

By:

Signature Date
 7/1/17

By: MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Notices to LEA shall be addressed to:
MICHAEL D. JORDAN, DIRECTOR OF SPECIAL EDUCATION AND CURRICULUM

Name and Title
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
LEA
3243 CENTER COURT LANE

Address
ANTELOPE CA 95843
City State Zip
916-338-6320 916-338-6329
Phone Fax
probinson@centerusd.org
Email

Additional LEA Notification
(Required if Completed)

Name and Title

LEA

Address

City State Zip

Phone Fax

Email

EXHIBIT A: RATES - NON-PUBLIC SCHOOL ONLY – 2017-2018 CONTRACT YEAR

CONTRACTOR SIERRA FOOTHILLS ACADEMY **CONTRACTOR NUMBER** 15 **2017-2018**
(NONPUBLIC SCHOOL) (CONTRACT YEAR)

Per CDE Certification, total enrollment may not exceed _____ If blank, the number shall be as determine by CDE Certification.

Rate Schedule. This rate schedule limits the number of LEA students who may be enrolled and the maximum dollar amount of the contract. It may also limit the maximum number of students who can be provided specific services. Special education and/or related services offered by CONTRACTOR, and the charges for such educational and/or related services during the term of this contract shall be as follows:

Payment under this contract may not exceed _____
 Total LEA enrollment may not exceed _____
 (per Master Contract Section 62)

	Rate	Period
A. <u>Basic Education Program/Special Education Instruction</u>	147.25	7/1/17-6/30/18
Basic Education Program/Dual Enrollment		

Per diem rates for LEA students whose IEPs authorize less than a full instructional day shall be adjusted proportionally.

B. Related Services

(1) a. Transportation – Round Trip (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)	28.14	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Transportation – One Way (NPS only, unless otherwise agreed to by LEA)		
c. Transportation-Dual Enrollment		
d. Public Transportation		
e. Parent*		
(2) a. Educational Counseling – Individual		
b. Educational Counseling – Group of		
c. Counseling – Parent		
(3) a. Adapted Physical Education – Individual		
b. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
c. Adapted Physical Education – Group of _____		
(4) a. Language and Speech Therapy – Individual	110.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Language and Speech Therapy – Group of 3		
d. Language and Speech Therapy – Audiology		
e. Language and Speech - Consultation rate		
(5) a. Additional Instructional Assistant - Individual (must be authorized on IEP)	105.00/ daily	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 2		
c. Additional Instructional Assistant – Group of 3		
(6) Intensive Special Education Instruction**		
(7) a. Occupational Therapy – Individual	100.00/hr	7/1/17-6/30/18
b. Occupational Therapy – Group of 2		
c. Occupational Therapy – Assessment		
d. Occupational Therapy – Group of 4 - 7		
e. Occupational Therapy - Consultation Rate		
(9) Physical Therapy		
(10) a. Behavior Intervention – BII		
b. Behavior Intervention – BID		
Provided by: _____		
(11) Nursing Services		

*Parent transportation reimbursement rates are to be determined by LEA.

**By credentialed Special Education Teacher.

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Special Education

Date: August 16, 2017

Action Item X

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

From: Michael Jordan
Director of Special Education & Curriculum

_____ # Attached Pages

Initials: MJ

SUBJECT: 2017/2018 Individual Services Agreements

Please ratify the following Individual Services Agreements for special education to receive services at nonpublic schools/agencies during the 2017/18 fiscal year.

2017/18-1	Aldar Academy	\$ 32,644.00
2017/18-2, 134	Bright Start Therapies	\$ 22,030.00
2017/18-3-5	CCHAT	\$ 1,320.00
2017/18-6-7	CTEC	\$ 1,225.00
2017/18-8	Capitol Academy	\$ 37,000.00
2017/18-9-15	Easter Seals Soc.	\$ 30,870.00
2017/18-16	Guiding Hands	\$ 41,042.00
2017/18-17	Hear Say Speech	\$ 3,800.00
2017/18-18-103	Jabbergym	\$ 79,920.00
2017/18-104-109	M. McCarthy	\$ 4,200.00
2017/18-110-121	D. McGlaughlin	\$ 16,463.00
2017/18-122	Maxim Healthcare	\$ 57,813.00
2017/18-123	Occupational Therapy	\$ 1,800.00
2017/18-128-131	Placer Learning Center	\$286,716.00
2017/18-132	Sierra School/Eastern	\$ 950.00
2017/18-133	Sierra Foothills Acad.	\$ 60,278.00

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees to ratify Individual Service Agreements for the 2017/2018 school year.

CONSENT AGENDA

Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	SPECIAL EDUCATION	
Date:	August 16, 2017	Action Item <u> X </u>
To:	Board of Trustees	Information Item
From:	Michael Jordan Director of Special Education & Curriculum	
		<u> </u> # Attached Pages
Initials: <u> MOS </u>		

SUBJECT: PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AGREEMENT	
CONSULTANT'S NAME:	Meladee McCarty
COMPANY NAME (if applicable)	
SERVICE(S) TO BE RENDERED:	Provide OI assessments, reports, attendance at IEP's & consultations, a minimum of 4 x's per school year. I will prepare documentation for Low Incidence Funding should the student need specialized equipment to provide access to the curriculum.
DATE(S) OF SERVICE:	7/1/17 through 6/30/18
PAYMENT PER HOUR:	100.00
TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRACT:	As per request or needed
FUNDING SOURCE:	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-003-000
RECOMMENDATION:	CJUSD Board of Trustees Ratify Professional Service Agreement with: Meladee McCarty during the 2017/18 fiscal year.

CONSENT AGENDA



Center Unified School District
 8408 Watt Avenue
 Antelope, California 95843

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This agreement for professional services is entered into this 1st day of July, by and between the Center Unified School District and the person(s) or firm described below, hereinafter described as CONTRACTOR. Persons performing services under this contract hold themselves out to be independent contractors, not employees of the DISTRICT, and hold(s) the DISTRICT harmless from claims under workers' compensation laws. CONTRACTOR further declares that he/she/it is/are in the business of providing the described service for any and all persons/organizations desiring such services, that such services are not provided exclusively for Center Unified School District. CONTRACTOR also holds the DISTRICT harmless from claims arising from loss, damage, or injury while performing the stipulated services.

*Contractor Name: Meladee McCarty

Address: 12970 Self-Esteem Lane, Galt, CA 95632

Phone: (209) 601-2940 Taxpayer ID#: [REDACTED]

*Full description of services to be provided: speech/language therapy, maintain records, conduct assessments, attend IEPs, coordinate services and communicate with staff and families.
Teacher for the Orthopedically Impaired

*Payment \$ 100 per hour. CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt of invoice or service, whichever is later.

*Beginning Date of Service: 7/1/17 *Frequency of Service Dates: as needed
 *Ending Date of Service: 6/30/18

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)
 Variable Payroll- W-2 Generated (requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.)
 Accounts Payable-1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on pg. 2 of this form)

Total amount of this contract \$ 100.00/hr as needed Budget # /Spec Ed

Reason service cannot be provided by a District employee: Contractor will be able to adjust schedule to fit needs of the district. Contractor also has experience working as a program specialist in a wide variety of settings.

Signature of CONTRACTOR: <u>Meladee McCarty</u>	Date: <u>8.9.17</u>
Signature of District employee requesting service: <u>[Signature]</u>	Date: <u>8/9/17</u>
Signature of Accounting Supervisor: _____	Date: _____
Date Board of Trustees Approved: _____	Date: _____
Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____	Date: _____

CONTRACT NOT VALID WITHOUT AUTHORIZED DISTRICT SIGNATURE

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the
requester. Do not
send to the IRS.

Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.	<p>1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank. Meladee McCarty</p> <p>2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above</p> <p>3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) > _____ <small>Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner.</small> <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) > _____</p> <p>4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ <small>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</small></p> <p>5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) 12970 Self Esteem Ln.</p> <p>6 City, state, and ZIP code Galt, CA 95632</p> <p>7 List account number(s) here (optional)</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Requester's name and address (optional)</p>
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<p>Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)</p> <p>Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see <i>How to get a TIN</i> on page 3.</p> <p><small>Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.</small></p>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Social security number</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">[REDACTED]</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">or</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Employer identification number</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">[REDACTED]</td> </tr> </table>	Social security number	[REDACTED]	or	Employer identification number	[REDACTED]
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<p>Part II Certification</p> <p>Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct. <p><small>Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.</small></p>	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 10%;">Sign Here</td> <td style="width: 50%;">Signature of U.S. person > Meladee McCarty</td> <td style="width: 40%;">Date > 8.9.17</td> </tr> </table>	Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person > Meladee McCarty	Date > 8.9.17
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.
 Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/ir9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

• Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
 • Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
 • Form 1098-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See *What is backup withholding?* on page 2.

By signing the filed-out form, you:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued).
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
- Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.

**INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR OR EMPLOYEE?
DISTRICT GUIDELINES**

PART I

YES NO

1. Has this category of worker already been classified an "employee" by the IRS? Refer to page 1 for individuals listed in IRS Publication SWR 40 and others identified during the IRS compliance studies in San Diego County.		✓
2. Is the individual working as an employee prescribed by the Education Code? Education Code sections 43100-45451/88000-88263 define what constitutes classified service and 44800-45060/87000-87333 define certificated service. The IRS predisposes an employer/employee relationship when state law mandates such a relationship.		
3. Is the individual already an employee of the district in another capacity?		✓
4. Has the individual performed substantially the same services for the district as an employee in the past? <i>Is the individual retired, returning to substitute, or train, etc.?</i>		✓
5. Are there currently employees of the district doing substantially the same services as will be required of this individual?		✓
6. Does the district have the legal right to control the method of performance by this individual? <i>Consider whether the district has to train this individual or give instruction as to when, where, how, and in what order to work. Does the district require the individual to submit reports or perform the services at a district site? These factors would indicate the district maintains control sufficient for an employer/employee relationship. However, it is not necessary that the district exercise this right or have the expertise required to do so. In many cases this would not be practical nor advisable.</i>		✓
7. Are the services, as being provided, an integral part of school operations? Are the services being provided necessary to the operation of the school program, project, etc.? This indicates the district has an interest in the method of performance and implies the maintenance of legal control.		✓

If the answer to any of the above questions is "YES",

STOP HERE

Do not complete the rest of the questions. The individual is the district employee and must be paid and reported accordingly.

If all of the above are "NO", continue...

PART II

YES NO

8. Must the required service be performed by this individual? <i>Consider whether or not the individual may designate someone else to do the work without the district's knowledge or approval.</i>		✓
9. Does the district have a continuing relationship with this individual? <i>Is this a "one shot deal" or will the district continue to use this individual in the future? This could be on an infrequent or irregular basis but a continuous relationship exists.</i>		✓
10. Can this relationship be terminated without the consent of both parties?		✓

If the answer to questions 8, 9, or 10 is "YES", there is a good possibility that an employment relationship exists. Questions 8 & 9 are indicators of district control that, in conjunction with other factors, imply an employment relationship. Go back to PART I and re-evaluate each question. If questions 1-7 are still all "NO", continue...

PART II - continued

	YES	NO
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Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	Special Education	
Date:	August 16, 2017	Action Item <u> X </u>
To:	Board of Trustees	Information Item
From:	Michael Jordan Director of Special Ed & Curriculum Initials: <u>moj</u>	# Attached Pages

SUBJECT: PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AGREEMENT	
CONSULTANT'S NAME:	Carina Grandison, Ph.D.
COMPANY NAME (if applicable)	
SERVICE(S) TO BE RENDERED:	Provide Independent Educational Evaluation
DATE(S) OF SERVICE:	7/1/16 through 6/30/17
PAYMENT PER HOUR:	n/a
TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRACT:	\$ 6,300.00
FUNDING SOURCE:	01-6512-0-5800-102-5750-1180-003-000
RECOMMENDATION:	CJUSD Board of Trustees ratify Professional Service Agreement with: Carina Grandison Ph.D. for the 2016/17 fiscal year.



Center Unified School District
 8408 Watt Avenue
 Antelope, California 95843

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This agreement for professional services is entered into this 1st day of July 2016, by and between the Center Unified School District and the person(s) or firm described below, hereinafter described as CONTRACTOR. Persons performing services under this contract hold themselves out to be independent contractors, not employees of the DISTRICT, and hold(s) the DISTRICT harmless from claims under workers' compensation laws. CONTRACTOR further declares that he/she/it is/are in the business of providing the described service for any and all persons/organizations desiring such services, that such services are not provided exclusively for Center Unified School District. CONTRACTOR also holds the DISTRICT harmless from claims arising from loss, damage, or injury while performing the stipulated services.

*Contractor Name: Carina Grandison, Ph.D.

Address: 2006 Dwight Way, Suite 301, Berkeley, CA 94704

Phone: (510) 704-1820

Taxpayer ID#: [REDACTED]

*Full description of services to be provided: Provide independent Educational Evaluation

*Payment \$6,300.00 1x CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt of invoice or service, whichever is later.

*Beginning Date of Service: 7/1/16 *Frequency of Service Dates: 1x

*Ending Date of Service: 6/30/17

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)

Variable Payroll- W-2 Generated (requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.)

Accounts Payable-1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on pg. 2 of this form)

Total amount of this contract \$ 6,300.00 Budget # _____

Reason service cannot be provided by a District employee:

IEE Specific

Signature of CONTRACTOR * [Signature] Date: 7/20/17

Signature of District employee requesting service: [Signature] Date: 7/21/17

Signature of Accounting Supervisor: _____ Date: _____

Date Board of Trustees Approved _____ Date: _____

Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____ Date: _____

CONTRACT NOT VALID WITHOUT AUTHORIZED DISTRICT SIGNATURE

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.

Print or type
 See Specific Instructions on page 2.

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.
CARINA GRANDISON PhD

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes:
 Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC
 Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____
 Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner.
 Other (see Instructions) ▶ _____
 C Corporation
 S Corporation
 Partnership
 Trust/estate

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):
 Exempt payee code (if any) _____
 Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____
(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)
2006 Dwight Way, Suite 301

6 City, state, and ZIP code
Berkeley CA 94704

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

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Social security number

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or

Employer identification number

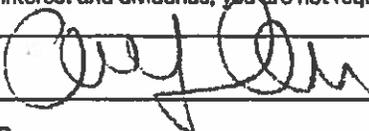
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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out Item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, Item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign Here Signature of U.S. person ▶  Date ▶ 1/17/17

General Instructions

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Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
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- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

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- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See *What is backup withholding?* on page 2.

By signing the filled-out form, you:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued).
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
- Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.

**INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR OR EMPLOYEE?
DISTRICT GUIDELINES**

PART I

	YES	NO
1. Has this category of worker already been classified an "employee" by the IRS? Refer to page 1 for individuals listed in IRS Publication SWR 40 and others identified during the IRS compliance studies in San Diego County.		✓
2. Is the individual working as an employee prescribed by the Education Code? Education Code sections 45100-45451/88000-88263 define what constitutes classified service and 44800-45060/87000-87333 define certificated service. The IRS predisposes an employer/employee relationship when state law mandates such a relationship.		✓
3. Is the individual already an employee of the district in another capacity?		✓
4. Has the individual performed substantially the same services for the district as an employee in the past? <i>Is the individual retired, returning to substitute, or train, etc.?</i>		✓
5. Are there currently employees of the district doing substantially the same services as will be required of this individual?		
6. Does the district have the legal right to control the method of performance by this individual? <i>Consider whether the district has to train this individual or give instruction as to when, where, how, and in what order to work. Does the district require the individual to submit reports or perform the services at a district site? These factors would indicate the district maintains control sufficient for an employer/employee relationship. However, it is <u>not necessary</u> that the district <u>exercise</u> this right or have the expertise required to do so. In many cases this would not be practical nor advisable.</i>		✓
7. Are the services, as being provided, an integral part of school operations? Are the services being provided necessary to the operation of the school, program, project, etc.? This indicates the district has an interest in the method of performance and implies the maintenance of legal control.		✓

If the answer to any of the above questions is "YES",

STOP HERE

Do not complete the rest of the questions. The individual is the district employee and must be paid and reported accordingly.

If all of the above are "NO", continue...

PART II

	YES	NO
8. Must the required service be performed by this individual? Consider whether or not the individual may designate someone else to do the work without the district's knowledge or approval		✓
9. Does the district have a continuing relationship with this individual? Is this a "one shot deal" or will the district continue to use this individual in the future? This could be on an infrequent or irregular basis but a continuous relationship exists.		✓
10. Can this relationship be terminated without the consent of <u>both</u> parties?		✓

If the answer to questions 8, 9, or 10 is "YES", there is a good possibility that an employment relationship exists. Questions 8 & 9 are indicators of district control that, in conjunction with other factors, imply an employment relationship. Go back to PART I and re-evaluate each question. If questions 1-7 are still all "NO", continue...

PART II - continued

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11. Does the individual operate an <u>independent</u> trade or business that is available to the general public? <i>A determining factor in judging independence is the performance of services to the general public. In evaluating this criteria, school districts are considered to be separate entities. Keep in mind: if the district is utilizing this individual's services on a full-time basis, the individual is <u>not</u> available to the general public. NOTE: Possession of a business license or incorporation does <u>not</u> automatically satisfy this requirement. The determination <u>must</u> be made on the actual <u>relationship</u> between the district and the individual performing services.</i>	✓	
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Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: SPECIAL EDUCATION

Date: August 16, 2017

Action Item

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

From: Michael Jordan
Director of Special Ed & Curriculum

_____ # Attached Pages

Initials: MS

SUBJECT: PROFESSIONAL SERVICE AGREEMENT

CONSULTANT'S NAME: Donna McGlaughlin

COMPANY NAME (if applicable)

SERVICE(S) TO BE RENDERED: Provide speech/language therapy, maintain records, conduct Assessments, attend IEPs, coordinate services and Communicate with staff and families.

DATE(S) OF SERVICE: 7/1/17 through 6/30/18

PAYMENT PER HOUR: \$90.00

TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRACT: on as needed basis

FUNDING SOURCE: 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-019-000

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees Ratify Professional Service Agreement with: Donna McGlaughlin for the 2017/18 fiscal year.

CONSENT AGENDA



Center Unified School District
 8408 Watt Avenue
 Antelope, California 95843

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*Contractor Name: Donna McGlaughlin
 Address: 466 Olive Orchard, Auburn, CA 95603
 Phone: (530) 613-5978 Taxpayer ID#: [REDACTED]

*Full description of services to be provided: speech/language therapy, maintain records, conduct assessments, attend IEPs, coordinate services and communicate with staff and families.

*Payment \$ 90 per hour. CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt of invoice or service, whichever is later.

*Beginning Date of Service: 7/1/17 *Frequency of Service Dates: as needed
 *Ending Date of Service: 6/30/18

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)
 Variable Payroll- W-2 Generated (requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.)
 Accounts Payable-1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on pg. 2 of this form)

Total amount of this contract \$ 90.00/hr as needed Budget # /Spec Ed

Reason service cannot be provided by a District employee: Contractor will be able to adjust schedule to fit needs of the district. Contractor also has experience working as a program specialist in a wide variety of settings.

Signature of CONTRACTOR [Signature] Date: 8-2-2017
 Signature of District employee requesting service: [Signature] Date: 8/9/17
 Signature of Accounting Supervisor: _____ Date: _____
 Date Board of Trustees Approved _____ Date: _____
 Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____ Date: _____

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Donna McGlaughlin

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above
Donna McGlaughlin

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes:
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 C Corporation
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Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶ <u>Donna McGlaughlin</u>	Date ▶ <u>8-8-2017</u>
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Center Joint Unified School District

Dept./Site: Special Education	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
To: Board of Trustees	Action Item _____
Date: August 16, 2017	Information Item _____
From: Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent	# Attached Pages <u>4</u>
Principal/Administrator Initials: _____	

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Agreement For Continuation of the Sacramento County Office of Education Maintaining and Operating Classes for Severely Handicapped and Seriously Emotionally Disturbed Students of the Participating Districts

This agreement would allow the County Office to continue to operate the Severely Handicapped and Seriously Emotionally Disturbed classes for the Districts from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees Ratify Memorandum of Agreement For Continuation of the Sacramento County Office of Education Maintaining and Operating Classes for Severely Handicapped and Seriously Emotionally Disturbed Students of the Participating Districts.

CONSENT AGENDA

Memorandum of Agreement

Continuation of the Sacramento County Office of Education
Maintaining and Operating Classes for Severely Handicapped
and Seriously Emotionally Disturbed Students of the Participating Districts

2017-2018

I. Parties to Agreement

This Agreement is by and between the Sacramento County Office of Education (hereinafter called "County Office") and Districts comprising the Sacramento County Special Education Local Plan Area, specifically, Arcohe Union School District, Center Joint Unified School District, Elverta Joint School District, Galt Joint Union School District, Galt Joint Union High School District, Natomas Unified School District, River Delta Unified School District, Robla School District, and Twin Rivers Unified School District (hereinafter called "Districts").

II. Services to be Provided

The County Office and the Districts agree that the County Office shall continue to operate the Severely Handicapped and Seriously Emotionally Disturbed classes for the Districts for the term of this agreement.

III. Term of Agreement

The term of this agreement is for one (1) year commencing July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2018. Any further extension shall be as mutually agreed upon between the parties.

IV. Conditions of Agreement

1. Excess Costs

The Districts agree to pay to the County Office the amount of Five Thousand Eight Hundred Twenty-five dollars (\$5,825.00) per student for the 2017-18 school year. For purposes of determining the amount to be billed, the Districts' actual student count on December 1st of that year shall be used.

2. Prior Maximization and Unit Transfer Revenue

As in the previous agreement and hereby continuing in concept, it is agreed by the parties that the additional district base revenue generated as a result of prior funding maximization and/or unit transfer methods

shall be provided to the County Office as these funds have been provided in the past.

It is the intent of this section that neither the County Office nor the districts be financially penalized as a result of changes to the State funding model that occurred as a result of Chapter 854, Statutes of 1997 (AB602).

3. Additional Aide Time

If, after a review by the parties, it is determined that additional Instructional Aide time is required to be provided in accordance with any pupil's Individualized Education Program "IEP," the cost of providing such additional aide time shall be the exclusive responsibility of the pupil's individual district of residence.

4. Review of Facility Requirements

It is hereby agreed that a committee composed of representatives of the County Office and the Districts shall be established to review the existing facility needs of the SH/ED programs, in order to provide for appropriate facilities for the following year. The committee will address issues including, but not limited to, maintenance, rent amounts, space allocations, etc.

V. Amendments

This agreement may be amended by mutual written consent of the parties. The terms and conditions of the agreement will be renegotiated if either of the following two events occur:

1. The County Office or the Districts suffer a significant fiscal shortfall as a result of extraordinary and/or unanticipated cost increases or funding reductions.
2. The basic funding model for Special Education changes during the term of this Agreement.

It is the intent of the parties to negotiate any amendments to this agreement to protect both the County Office and the Districts from significant funding and/or expenditure changes caused by circumstances not under their respective controls.

VI. Mutual Indemnification

Each party shall defend, indemnify, and hold the other parties, their officers, agents, and employees harmless from and against any and all third party

demands, debts, liens, claims, losses, damages, liability, costs, expenses (including, but not limited to, attorneys fees and costs actually incurred, whether or not litigation has commenced), judgments or obligations, actions, or causes of action whatsoever, for or in connection with injury, damage, or loss (including, but not limited to death) to any person or property resulting from the willful misconduct or negligent acts or omissions of the indemnifying party or any of its agents, subcontractors, employees, suppliers, laborers, or any other person, firm, or corporation furnishing or supplying work, services, materials, or supplies at the direction of the indemnifying party in connection with the performance of this Contract. The provisions of this clause shall not be limited to the availability or collectability of insurance coverage.

The defense of Due Process Complaints and the services, if any, agreed to or awarded as a result of the Due Process Complaint shall be the sole responsibility of the district of residence of the pupil on whose behalf the Due Process complaint was brought.

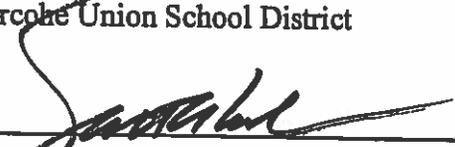
This Agreement is entered into on the dates indicated below. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts.

David W. Gordon, Superintendent
Sacramento County Office of Education

Date

Troy Miller, Superintendent
Arcohe Union School District

Date



Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent
Center Joint Unified School District

Date

7/25/17

Dr. Michael D. Borggaard, Superintendent
Elverta Joint School District

Date

Dr. Karen Schauer, Superintendent
Galt Joint Union School District

Date

**Dr. Elizabeth Kaufman, Superintendent
Galt Joint Union High School District**

Date

**Chris Evans, Superintendent
Natomas Unified School District**

Date

**Don Beno, Superintendent
River Delta Unified School District**

Date

**Ruben Reyes, Superintendent
Robla School District**

Date

**Dr. Steve Martinez, Superintendent
Twin Rivers Unified School District**

Date

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Student Services
Date: August 16, 2017 Action Item X
To: Board of Trustees Information Item
From: David Grimes *[Signature]*
Director of Personnel & Student Services # Attached Pages

SUBJECT: Center JUSD Employees Certified for Expulsion Hearings
2017/2018 SY

Each year the Board must certify which district employees may serve as panel chair/members on expulsion hearings. Below are the employees that will be serving in this capacity.

- Mike Jordan
- Charles Chauvin
- Shirley McNichols
- Joyce Frisch
- Chris Borasi
- Doug Hughey
- David French
- Steve Jackson
- Kathy Lord
- Jerald Ferguson
- Erica Olmstead
- Patty Spore
- Tracie Daubenmire
- David DeArcos
- Craig Deason
- Tami JBeily
- Becky Lawson
- Scott Loehr
- Jason Farrel
- Jill Warriner
- Julie Opfer
- Allison Kent

RECOMMENDATION: Please approve list as presented.

CONSENT AGENDA

Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	Student Services	
Date:	August 16, 2017	Action Item <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
To:	Board of Trustees	Information Item
From:	David Grimes <i>DG</i> Director of Student Services/Personnel	# Attached Pages

SUBJECT:	2017/2018 Contract with Dr. Robert A. Hoffman O.D. MCT Vision Screening
<p>Please approve the attached contract for MCT Vision screening services for students enrolled in Center Joint Unified School District.</p> <p>Contractor or his agents agree to test up to approximately, but not limited to, Three Hundred (300) students per day. For these services, contractor shall be paid Three Dollars per student and not less than Four Hundred and Fifty dollars (\$450) Dollarsper day, whichever is greater.</p>	
RECOMMENDATION:	Approve Vision Screening Contract 2017/18 SY

CONSENT AGENDA



DR. ROBERT A. HOFFMAN
 DR. LIANNE C. INOUE
 Optometrists

2390 E. Bidwell Street, Suite 400
 Folsom, CA 95630

916.983.6211
 Fax 916.983.6608
 www.eyefinity.com/folsomeye

MCT Vision Screening Contract 2017-18

Contractor or his agents shall provide Modified Clinical Technique Vision Screening Services for children enrolled in Center Unified School District.

The specific days for testing are to be mutually agreed upon by contractor and School District. The School District shall designate which children are to be tested as well as the school site(s) where testing is to occur.

Contractor or his agents agree to test up to approximately Three Hundred (300) students per day. For these services contractor shall be paid Three Dollars per student and not less than four hundred and fifty dollars per day, whichever is greater.

Contractor must be notified at least ten (10) days prior to the cancellation of any screening day by the School District in order to avoid being charged for that testing day.

Payment for services is due thirty days after the final day of testing.

County(District) Office of Education

Contractor

By: 

By 
 Robert A. Hoffman O. D.

Tax ID 68-0201477

Date 8/10/17

Date 5/21/12

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site:	Student Services	Action Item	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> X
Date:	August 16, 2017	Information Item	<input type="checkbox"/>
To:	Board of Trustees	# Attached Pages	
From:	David Grimes <i>[Signature]</i> Director of Student Services/Personnel		

SUBJECT: 2017/2018 Contract with CHH/Center for Hearing Health, Hearing Conservation Services

Please approve the attached contract for hearing screening services for grades K, or 1, 2, 5, 8, 10, preschool and special education students and student referrals for the 2016/17 school year.

Contract Rate for each site:	1-130 tests	\$485.00 Minimum
	130 – to total quantity tested	\$2.85 each
	Individuals Test	\$7.50 each
	(i.e., Pre-school, Special Education students)	

Terms: Net 10 Days Tax ID: 94-2722490

RECOMMENDATION: Approve Student Hearing Testing Contract 2017/2018 SY

CONSENT AGENDA

Center for Hearing Health, Inc., hereinafter known as "CHH" agrees to provide California Education Code hearing screening tests on mutually agreeable date(s), time(s), and site(s) for the students of hereinafter known as "School, The School, or Schools."

Center Joint Unified School District

School District or School Name

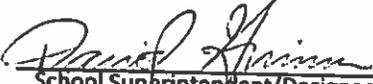
- 1) CHH simultaneously administers individual hearing screening tests for groups of eight students utilizing specially designed vehicles.
- 2) Screenings are administered for students in grades K or 1, 2, 5, 8, 10, preschool and Special Education. Pre-school and Special Education students, unable to respond in group screening, are individually tested at a separate fee as noted in the Contract Rate.
- 3) Fully compliant tests are administered by a Certified School Audiometrist or Licensed Audiologist in accordance with SECTION 2951 of the CALIFORNIA ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, TITLE 17.
- 4) The initial screening test is a pass/fail in response to a 25 decibel pure tone at 1000Hz, 2000Hz and 4000Hz. Students who fail the initial screening are further tested to record individual thresholds at 500Hz, 1000Hz, 2000Hz, and 4000Hz. Post follow-up (2-6 weeks) audiograms and parental notification will be the responsibility of The School.
- 5) A summary report totaling each category of screening and an audiometric record for each student who Failed or Could Not Condition (CNC) will be presented to each School upon completion of the schedule at each site.
- 6) It is the responsibility of The School to exclude participation of students who have corrective devices (e.g. hearing aids, cochlear implants) and students whose parents or guardians have filed a written statement with regard to Education Code, section 49451.
- 7) Employees of CHH are duly licensed by all applicable Local, State and Federal agencies to provide the services referred to herein and have complied with all laws and regulations to which employees of CHH are required to comply.
- 8) Employees of CHH who are in contact with students while providing the services referred to herein are subject to a criminal background check through the State of California Justice Department fingerprint program (CA Ed Code Section 45125.1) and it has been verified that these employees have not been convicted of a violent or serious felony as specified in Penal Code sections 667.5(c) and/or 1192.7(c).
- 9) The School and CHH shall maintain confidentiality of student records and information, in accordance with federal and state law, to include the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), the California Education Code HIPAA and the Welfare and Institutions Code governing confidentiality. The discussion, transmission, or narration (in any form) of student information is forbidden except as permitted by law. This includes candid discussion between CHH employees and school personnel, including parent volunteers and teachers.

Contract rate per site: \$525.00 up to 120 tests; \$2.90 each over 120 tests

Local School Site Testing Discount of 7% applied to each invoice.

Individual tests: \$7.50 each, i.e., Pre-school; Special Ed

Terms: Net 10 Days - Tax ID: 942722490 - School Dist. PO # _____


School Superintendent/Designee 4/25/17
Date

(If applicable; not required)
NORMA G. RAMÍREZ 4/24/2017
Center for Hearing Health Date

- Return signed Service Agreement to CHH (mail, fax, or email); Retain copy
- Invoice presented upon completion or weekly for services extending beyond five days

Center Unified School District

Dept./Site: Family Resource Center	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Date: 8/3/2017	Action Item X
To: Board of Trustees	Information Item
From: Alyson Collier	
Principal's Initials: 	# Attached Pages: 4

CONSENT AGENDA

SUBJECT: Professional Service Agreement
CONSULTANT'S NAME: A Touch of Understanding
COMPANY NAME (if applicable): A Touch of Understanding
SERVICES TO BE RENDERED: ATOU Bullying Prevention Presentation workshops for 4 th grade students in all CJUSD Elementary Schools.
DATES OF SERVICE: 8/24/2017 North Country; 9/6/2017 Oak Hill; 12/7/2017 Spinelli; 5/4/2018 Dudley
PAYMENT PER DAY: 8/24/2017 \$1,340.00; 9/6/2017 \$1,508.00; 12/7/2017 \$600.00; 5/4/2018 \$1,800.00
TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRACT: \$5,248.00
FUNDING SOURCE: 01-9315-0-5800-601-1110-1000-017-000
RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees approve Professional Services Agreement as Presented



Center Unified School District
8408 Watt Avenue
Antelope, California 95843

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This agreement for professional services is entered into this 3rd day of August, by and between the Center Unified School District and the person(s) or firm described below, hereinafter described as CONTRACTOR. Persons performing services under this contract hold themselves out to be independent contractors, not employees of the DISTRICT, and hold(s) the DISTRICT harmless from claims under workers' compensation laws. CONTRACTOR further declares that he/she/it is/are in the business of providing the described service for any and all persons/organizations desiring such services, that such services are not provided exclusively for Center Unified School District. CONTRACTOR also holds the DISTRICT harmless from claims arising from loss, damage, or injury while performing the stipulated services.

Contractor Name: A Touch of Understanding

Address: 5280 Stirling Street, Suite 102, Granite Bay, CA 95746

Phone: (916) 791-4146

Taxpayer ID # 08-0389777

Full description of services to be provided:

ATOU Bullying Prevention Presentation workshops for 4th grade students at all CJUSD Elementary schools.

Payment \$ *see per below. CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt invoice or service, whichever is later.

Beginning Date of Service: *see below Frequency of Service: once per school site

Ending Date of Service: *see below

* N. Country: 8/24/17 \$1,340.00

Oak Hill: 9/6/17 \$1,508.00

Spinelli: 12/7/17 \$600

Oudley: 5/4/18 \$1,800.00

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)

Variable Payroll - W-2 Generated (Requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.)

Accounts Payable - 1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on back of this form)

Total amount of this contract \$ 5,248

Budget # 01-9315-0-5800-601-1110-1000-017-00

Reason service cannot be provided by a District employee:

No district employee trained & qualified.

Signature of CONTRACTOR: [Signature]

Date: 8/3/17

Signature of District employee requesting service: [Signature]

Date: 8/3/17

Signature of Business Manager: _____

Date: _____

Date Board of Trustees Approved _____

Date: _____

Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____

Date: _____

*** CONTRACT NOT VALID WITHOUT AUTHORIZED DISTRICT SIGNATURE ***

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.
A Touch of Understanding, Inc.

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes:
 Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC
 Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____
 C Corporation
 S Corporation
 Partnership
 Trust/estate
 Other (see instructions) ▶ **Non profit corporation**
Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner.

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):
 Exempt payee code (if any) _____
 Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____
(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)
5280 Stirling Street, Suite 102

6 City, state, and ZIP code
Granite Bay, CA 95746

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)

Print or type
See Specific Instructions on page 2.

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign Here Signature of U.S. person ▶ *Louise J. DeDora*

Date ▶ *2/6/2015*

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.
 Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/fw9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
 - Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
 - Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)
- Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See *What is backup withholding?* on page 2.

By signing the filled-out form, you:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued).
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
- Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.

INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR OR EMPLOYEE?
DISTRICT GUIDELINES

PART I

	YES	NO
1. Has this category of worker already been classified an "employee" by the IRS? Refer to page 1 for individuals listed in IRS Publication SWR 40 and others identified during the IRS compliance studies in San Diego County.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Is the individual working as an employee prescribed by the Education Code? Education Code sections 45100-45451/88000-88263 define what constitutes classified service and 44800-45060/87000-87333 define certificated service. The IRS predisposes an employer/employee relationship when state law mandates such a relationship.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3. Is the individual already an employee of the district in another capacity?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Has the individual performed substantially the same services for the district as an employee in the past? <i>Is the individual retired, returning to substitute, or train, etc.?</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5. Are there currently employees of the district doing substantially the same services as will be required of this individual?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6. Does the district have the legal right to control the method of performance by this individual? <i>Consider whether the district has to train this individual or give instruction as to when, where, how, and in what order to work. Does the district require the individual to submit reports or perform the services at a district site? These factors would indicate the district maintains control sufficient for an employer/employee relationship. However, it is <u>not necessary</u> that the district <u>exercise</u> this right or have the expertise required to do so. In many cases this would not be practical nor advisable.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7. Are the services, as being provided, an integral part of school operations? Are the services being provided necessary to the operation of the school, program, project, etc.? This indicates the district has an interest in the method of performance and implies the maintenance of legal control.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

If the answer to any of the above questions is "YES",

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Do not complete the rest of the questions. The individual is the district employee and must be paid and reported accordingly.

If all of the above are "NO", continue...

PART II

	YES	NO
8. Must the required service be performed by this individual? <i>Consider whether or not the individual may designate someone else to do the work without the district's knowledge or approval</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
9. Does the district have a continuing relationship with this individual? <i>Is this a "one shot deal" or will the district continue to use this individual in the future? This could be on an infrequent or irregular basis but a continuous relationship exists.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10. Can this relationship be terminated without the consent of <u>both</u> parties?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

If the answer to questions 8, 9, or 10 is "YES", there is a good possibility that an employment relationship exists. Questions 8 & 9 are indicators of district control that, in conjunction with other factors, imply an employment relationship. Go back to PART I and re-evaluate each question. If questions 1-7 are still all "NO", continue...

PART II - continued

	YES	NO
11. Does the individual operate an <u>independent</u> trade or business that is available to the general public? <i>A determining factor in judging independence is the performance of services to the general public. In evaluating this criteria, school districts are considered to be separate entities. Keep in mind: if the district is utilizing this individual's services on a full-time basis, the individual is <u>not</u> available to the general public. NOTE: Possession of a business license or incorporation does <u>not</u> automatically satisfy this requirement. The determination <u>must</u> be made on the actual <u>relationship</u> between the district and the individual performing services.</i>	X	
12. Does the individual have a substantial investment in his/her business, i.e. maintains a facility, equipment, etc.? <i>This is indicative of economic risk inherent in business enterprises. An independent contractor must be able to make a profit or sustain a loss.</i>	X	

If either 11 or 12 are "NO", the individual is a district employee

STOP HERE

and process the individual through payroll.

If 11 and 12 are both "YES", continue

	YES	NO
13. Does the individual provide all materials and support services necessary for the performance of this service? <i>The district should not be providing office space, clerical, secretarial, or any other support for this individual such as materials, xeroxing, printing, office supplies, etc. Any necessary assistants would be hired by the individual.</i>	X	
14. Is this paid by the job or on a commission?	X	
15. Does the individual bear the cost of any travel and business expenses incurred to perform this service? <i>Generally, these types of expenses are paid by an employer, however, some contracts provide for payment of airfare, mileage, etc. for consultants.</i>	X	

If 11 and 12 are "YES", 13 through 15 should also be "YES" and are items that should be written into the consultant contract. This individual is an independent contractor. A "YES" on questions 13 through 15 supports the district's conclusion and substantiates a "reasonable basis" for treatment as an independent contractor. While there are circumstances where the district might pay contractually provided expenses, these should be kept at a minimum to avoid giving the impression of an employment relationship.

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Family Resource Center

Action Item X

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

Date: August 16, 2017

Attached Pages 4

From: Alyson Collier

Principal's Initials: AC

SUBJECT

Contract with Communities Matters to provide workshops and support for the Safe School Ambassadors program at five district schools.

This is year two of this bullying prevention program underwritten by Schools Insurance Authority.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve

CONSENT AGENDA

2199
Contract
DUE BACK BY: Aug 1, 2017
 CM Contract # **3706**
 Date of Contract: **Jun 27, 2017**

Fax back to
Community Matters
707-823-3373

**Contract
 between**

Community Matters

and

Center Joint Unified School District

P. O. Box 14816
 Santa Rosa, CA 95402
 PH: 707-823-6159 FAX: 707-823-3373
 Vendor ID #
 hereinafter referred to as "CM"

8408 Watt Ave.
 Antelope CA 95843
 916-338-6400
 hereinafter referred to as "Client"

This Contract details the responsibilities of the above parties relative to the services listed below.

CM Will Deliver the services outlined below:

Service Code	Service Name and Description	Cost
SSAXM/H	Expansion Mid/High - Safe School Ambassadors Training & Support	\$8,300.00
	For: Center High School Antelope CA	
	On: School Year 2017/18	
	Times: 2 full school days (6.5 hrs ea) PLUS 1 additional hour each day for adults	
	Deliverables: 1) Provide 2 days of on-site training for 35-40 NEW Safe School Ambassadors and 5-8 adults; on Day 2 schools may add up to 12 previously trained veteran Ambassadors. (1:6 adult to student ratio for each day) 2) Provide program materials for all training participants. 3) Provide up to 2 hours of program implementation support by phone, web and email. 4) Provide 1-year access to the web based data collection tool for measuring and tracking Ambassadors interventions	
	17 - SIA - Center Joint Unified	-\$6045.00
	CM Discount	-\$255.00
	Service Subtotal:	\$0.00
SSAXE	Expansion Elem - Safe School Ambassadors Training & Support	\$8,300.00
	For: Oak Hill Elementary School Antelope CA	
	On: School Year 2017/18	
	Times: 2 full school days (6.5 hrs ea) PLUS 1 additional hour each day for adults	
	Deliverables: 1) Provide 2 days of on-site training for 30-40 NEW Safe School Ambassadors and 5-8 adults; on Day 2 schools may add up to 12 previously trained veteran Ambassadors. (1:6 adult to student ratio for each day) 2) Provide program materials for all training participants. 3) Provide up to 2 hours of program implementation support by phone, web and email. 4) Provide 1-year access to the web based data collection tool for measuring and tracking Ambassadors interventions	
	17 - SIA - Center Joint Unified	-\$6045.00
	CM Discount	-\$255.00
	Service Subtotal:	\$0.00

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CM Contract #	3706
Date of Contract:	Jun 27, 2017

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SSAXM/H Expansion Mid/High - Safe School Ambassadors Training & Support \$6,300.00

For: Wilson Riles Middle School Roseville CA
 On: School Year 2017/18

Times: 2 full school days (6.5 hrs ea) PLUS 1 additional hour each day for adults

- Deliverables: 1) Provide 2 days of on-site training for 35-40 NEW Safe School Ambassadors and 5-8 adults; on Day 2 schools may add up to 12 previously trained veteran Ambassadors. (1:6 adult to student ratio for each day)
 2) Provide program materials for all training participants.
 3) Provide up to 2 hours of program implementation support by phone, web and email.
 4) Provide 1-year access to the web based data collection tool for measuring and tracking Ambassadors interventions

17 - SIA - Center Joint Unified -\$6045.00
 CM Discount -\$255.00

Service Subtotal: \$0.00

SSAXE Expansion Elem - Safe School Ambassadors Training & Support \$6,300.00

For: Spinelli Elementary School Antelope CA
 On: School Year 2017/18

Times: 2 full school days (6.5 hrs ea) PLUS 1 additional hour each day for adults

- Deliverables: 1) Provide 2 days of on-site training for 30-40 NEW Safe School Ambassadors and 5-8 adults; on Day 2 schools may add up to 12 previously trained veteran Ambassadors. (1:6 adult to student ratio for each day)
 2) Provide program materials for all training participants.
 3) Provide up to 2 hours of program implementation support by phone, web and email.
 4) Provide 1-year access to the web based data collection tool for measuring and tracking Ambassadors interventions

17 - SIA - Center Joint Unified -\$6045.00
 CM Discount -\$255.00

Service Subtotal: \$0.00

SSAIE Initial Elem - Safe School Ambassadors Training & Support \$6,300.00

For: Dudley Elementary School Antelope CA
 On: School Year 2017/18

Times: 2 full school days (6.5 hrs ea) PLUS 1 additional hour each day for adults

- Deliverables: 1) Provide 2 days of on-site training for 30-40 NEW Safe School Ambassadors and 5-8 adults (1 adult per 6 students), as described in SSA program literature.
 2) Provide program materials for all training participants.
 3) Provide up to 2 hours of program implementation support by phone, web and email.
 4) Provide 1-year access to the web based data collection tool for measuring and tracking Ambassadors interventions

17 - SIA - Center Joint Unified -\$6045.00
 CM Discount -\$255.00

Service Subtotal: \$0.00

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Contract DUE BACK BY:	Aug 1, 2017
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Client Will fulfill the following obligations:

- Return this contract by 8/1/2017 to guarantee CM's availability for the Service(s) on the above date(s). Otherwise, all prior agreements will be voided.
- Complete the tasks and comply with the conditions specified in the "Contract Addendum" attached to and hereby specifically included in this Contract.
- Provide a suitable facility for training, as outlined in the "Training Room Requirements" attachment.
- Provide necessary supplies and equipment, as outlined in the "Training Supplies, Equipment and Logistics" attachment.
- Perform the duties and fulfill the responsibilities specified in the Grant Application submitted to CM, which is hereby made a part of this Agreement.

Payment for Services: Client agrees to pay CM, in US funds, the following fees for delivery of the services outlined above:

Total Price:	\$31,500.00
Total Awards & Sponsorships:	-\$30,225.00
Total Discount & Other Charges:	-\$1,275.00

Upon completion of services or as specified herein, CM will invoice client for the items described above. Client agrees to pay such invoice(s) in full no later than 30 days from invoice date.

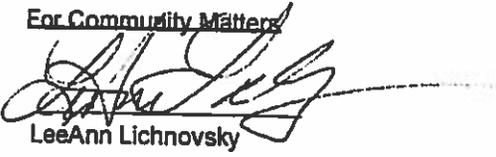
Grand Total: \$0.00

Signatures

I have read the Contract Addendum. Initials: _____

For Community Matters

For Client



LeeAnn Lichnovsky

Signature: _____ Date: _____
 Name: Scott Loehr Title: Superintendent
 Organization: Center JUSD

Date: 6/27/2017

Attachments

- Contract Addendum - Please review and INITIAL ABOVE to accept these terms.
- Billing Information Sheet - please complete and return with this Contract
- Training Room Requirements - please give this to the person handling training logistics.
- Training Supplies, Equipment and Logistics - please give this to the person handling training logistics.
- Service Addendum
- Award Letter
- SSA TOT Participation Agreement
- SSA Site License Agreement



CONTRACT ADDENDUM

By signing the preceding Contract with Community Matters (CM), Client / Recipient further agrees to comply with these terms and requirements:

A1. Program Tasks

Prior to service delivery, CM and Client (or Recipient) agreed upon requirements directly related to planning, preparation & carrying out the service(s); proper implementation is critical to the process and without such, it would not be possible to execute our highest level of service and ensure success. This includes but is not limited to: providing suitable working space, recruiting and preparing participants (as applicable), providing supplies & equipment, copying participant handouts from masters supplied by CM, unless noted otherwise.

A2. Failure to Perform

If Client fails to complete or fulfill any of these requirements, CM may (at its sole discretion), at any point up to and including the first day of the training, postpone the training. In such a situation, Client agrees to pay CM the fees specified in Rescheduling or Cancellation below. *Client agrees that CM shall not be liable for costs or consequences beyond its control, including but not limited to weather conditions, traffic or travel delays.*

A3. Liability for Services

Client agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless CM from any and all claims, damages, or liabilities arising from the service(s), provided however that the foregoing indemnification and hold harmless shall not apply to any claims, damages, or liability arising solely from the negligence or willful misconduct of CM or its agents.

A4. Non-Disclosure of Program Materials & Training

As required for delivery of the service(s), CM will provide information and/or materials for participants. Client acknowledges said information/materials and training are the result of extensive research and effort expended by CM and that same are considered by CM to be proprietary and a trade secret. Client warrants that neither its employees, agents, nor participants in this service will under its authority provide, duplicate, or recreate any portion of the training received, without the prior express written consent of CM.

Any audio, photographic or video recording of the service(s) is expressly prohibited, except for public relations purposes; total length of recorded segments may not exceed 15 minutes without prior written permission from CM.

[SSA ONLY- If applicable: Recipient/Client is provided with program materials as part of the training to support the Safe School Ambassadors program. CM hereby grants Client a limited and non-exclusive license to use these materials at and only at the school site receiving the training. Materials are not be copied for any person(s) who are not serving as Safe School Ambassadors, Family Group Facilitators, or Program Advisors.]

A5. Rescheduling or Cancellation

If Client *reschedules or cancels* any service(s), Client agrees to pay CM the following fees:

Rescheduling: *If CM is notified less than 30 days prior to Service Date: 15% of Service Subtotal; if CM is notified less than 14 days prior to Service Date: 25% of Service Subtotal.*

Cancellation: *If CM is notified less than 30 days prior to Service Date: 25% of Service Subtotal; if CM is notified less than 14 days prior to Service Date: 50% of Service Subtotal.*

Client further agrees to pay CM for any non-recoverable travel expenses incurred in its behalf if any event is rescheduled or cancelled less than 4 weeks of the agreed upon service date.

*[*Grant funded schools: The client or contract holder will be held responsible for the above fees. The funder will be informed of any reschedule or cancellation requests. This could affect grant funding in subsequent years.]*

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Family Resource Center

Action Item X

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

Date: August 16, 2017

Attached Pages 3

From: Alyson Collier

Principal's Initials: AC

SUBJECT

MOU with Sacramento Children's Home to provide Social Skills workshops in Center JUSD schools.

This is an ongoing program at all four elementary schools. In grade 3 or 4 they deliver the Stop and Think curriculum and in grade 6 they deliver the Too Good for Violence curriculum. We have received a positive response from school staff, students and parents.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve

CONSENT AGENDA

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
Between
Sacramento Children's Home
AND
Center Joint Unified School District

I. PURPOSE:

The purpose of this agreement is to clarify roles, responsibilities and services provided by Sacramento Children's Home (SCH) and Center Joint Unified School District while conducting business at school district sites.

II. PROGRAM DESIGN: The Sacramento Children's Home eVIBE (Early Intervention in Violence Begins with Education) Program is an evidenced based model using the following three curriculums: *Nurturing Parenting Program* (NPP), designed to decrease abuse and neglect, *Stop and Think* Social Skills Program, to teach children interpersonal problem solving and conflict resolution skills necessary to interact positively and safely, and *Too Good For Violence* (TGFV) focusing on the development of positive peer relationships and the skills necessary to prevent youth violence. These voluntary programs target students in 3rd through 12th grades. NPP targets parents or family caregivers. eVIBE 3 curricula teach emotional awareness, social skills, violence prevention and conflict resolution strategies to empower children and families to avoid mental health challenges that otherwise could arise subsequent to bullying or other unhealthy relationships in home, school, and our community.

III. RESPONSIBILITIES:

- A. Sacramento Children's Home** agrees to commit the following staff, resources, and services to support the goals and objectives of the eVIBE program:
1. Sacramento Children's Home (SCH) will be responsible to Center Joint Unified School District for the contractual, administrative, and fiscal responsibilities of the eVIBE program.
 2. Sacramento Children's Home will be responsible for implementing the Stop and Think, Too Good for Violence and Nurturing Parenting Program curriculums at selected school sites.
 3. The District has determined that services performed under this Agreement will result in contact with students. Sacramento Children's Home shall obtain fingerprinting clearance for all employees before services can begin. Sacramento Children's Home will provide a complete list to the school site/District employees cleared by the DOJ who will provide services under this Agreement. Failure to provide such a written certification before services begin, or within thirty days after execution of this Agreement, whichever comes first, will result in immediate termination.

4. Sacramento Children's Home will share all eVIBE program curriculum, program events and literature with Center Joint Unified School District.
5. Sacramento Children's Home will present an eVIBE program brochure and flyer that outlines all program services and program contacts.
6. Sacramento Children's Home will provide a completion of eVIBE program certificate to students who complete required number of classes.
7. Sacramento Children's Home will host parent engagement activities for parents/caregivers of students enrolled in the eVIBE program. Site locations for these events will be determined and approved by school site administrators.
8. Sacramento Children's Home will work with school administrators for eVIBE program referrals.
9. Sacramento Children's Home will follow all policies and procedures of the Center Joint Unified School District. This will include maintaining the care and cleanliness of all designated classrooms or facilities used by the eVIBE program staff.
10. Sacramento Children's Home will collect outcome data for the purposes of compliance with outcome measures.

B. Center Joint Unified School District agrees to collaborate and partner with the Sacramento Children's Home to support the goals and objectives of the eVIBE program:

1. Center Joint Unified School District will provide the facility/classroom space to conduct concurrent groups of up to 30 students for the Stop and Think and 20 students for the Too Good For Violence program.
2. Center Joint Unified School District will provide facility space to conduct parent /family activity meetings.
3. Center Joint Unified School District will refer students/families to the Stop and Think, Too Good for Violence and Nurturing Parenting programs.
4. Center Joint Unified School District will work with Sacramento Children's' Home to coordinate the program implementation schedule during the school day.

IV. TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

The terms of this MOU shall commence on July 1st, 2017 - June 30th, 2018 are renewable thereafter from year to year unless either participating party gives written notice of termination. Either party may terminate this MOU in thirty (30) days upon written notification on intention to terminate the agreement with or without cause. The MOU is predicated on obtaining funding from the County of Sacramento.

V. INSURANCE:

Without limiting indemnification, SCH shall maintain in force at all times during the term of this MOU and any extensions or modifications thereto, insurance against claims for injuries to person or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the MOU by SCH, its agents, representatives or employees. Center Joint Unified School District reserves the right at any time to review the coverage, form, and amount of the insurance and may require SCH to obtain sufficient coverage, form and amount to provide adequate protection.

VI. INDEMNIFICATION:

Center Joint Unified School District shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless SCH, its officers, agents, and employees, from and against any and all claims, losses, liabilities or damages, including payment of attorney's fees, arising out of or resulting from the failure of Center Joint Unified School District to perform the terms of this MOU or performance of this MOU, caused in whole or in part by any act or omission of Center Joint Unified School District, its officers, agents, employees, subcontractors, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them regardless of whether caused in part by a party indemnified hereunder. SCH shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless Center Joint Unified School District, its officers, agents, and employees, from and against any and all claims, losses, liabilities or damages, including payment of attorney's fees, arising out of or resulting from the failure of SCH to perform the terms of this MOU or performance of this MOU, caused in whole or in part by any act or omission of SCH, its officers, agents, employees, subcontractors, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them regardless of whether caused in part by a party indemnified hereunder.

VII. AMENDMENTS:

Amendments to this MOU may be made with mutual written agreement from the participating parties.

This operational agreement shall be effective upon signature. We, the undersigned, as authorized representatives of the Sacramento Children's Home and the Center Joint Unified School District, do hereby approve this document.

Roy L. Alexander, Chief Executive Officer
Sacramento Children's Home

Date

Scott Loehr, Superintendent
Center Joint Unified School District

Date

Date

Center Joint Unified School District

<p>Dept./Site: Superintendent's Office</p> <p>To: Board of Trustees</p> <p>Date: August 16, 2017</p> <p>From: Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent</p> <p>Principal/Administrator Initials: _____</p>	<p>AGENDA REQUEST FOR:</p> <p>Action Item _____</p> <p>Information Item _____</p> <p># Attached Pages <u>6</u></p>
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SUBJECT: Memorandum of Understanding Between United Way California Capital Region and CJUSD to Operate the Experience Corps Tutoring Program in Selected Schools

United Way California Capital Region and Center Joint Unified School District have entered into a collaborative agreement to operate the Experience Corps Tutoring Program in some of our schools. The Experience Corps Tutoring Program uses volunteers 50 and older to work with K-3 students 2 days a week for 25-30 minutes each day to improve their literacy skills. Volunteers work with 2 to 3 small groups of students per day, with 2 to 4 students per small group. Volunteers are given 25 hours of training in a number of disciplines including the components of literacy, Reading A to Z curriculum, behavior management, mentoring, and social emotional learning. The Experience Corps Tutoring Program will be used to supplement (support) and not supplant (take the place of) current services offered by the district/school. Students in this program are in need of Tier II or strategic support and are below grade level, but not far below, in one or more of the foundational literacy skills.

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees Approve Memorandum of Understanding Between United Way California Capital Region and CJUSD to Operate the Experience Corps Tutoring Program in Selected Schools.

CONSENT AGENDA



Memorandum of Understanding

United Way California Capital Region ("UWCCR") and Center Joint Unified School District have entered into a collaborative agreement to operate the Experience Corps Tutoring Program ("Experience Corps") in schools selected by Center Joint Unified School District with the goal of ensuring more students enter into the fourth grade reading at grade level. Experience Corps uses volunteers age 50 and older to work with K-3 students 2 days per week for 25-30 minutes each day to improve their literacy skills. Volunteers work with 2 to 3 small groups of students per day, with 2 to 4 students per small group. Volunteers are given 25 hours of training in a number of disciplines including the components of literacy, Reading A to Z curriculum, behavior management, mentoring, and social emotional learning. The Experience Corps Tutoring Program will be used to supplement (support) and not supplant (take the place of) current services offered by the district/school. Students in this program are in need of Tier II or strategic support and are below grade level, but not far below, in one or more of the foundational literacy skills.

UWCCR and Center Joint Unified School District are entering into a Memorandum of Understanding defining the responsibilities and expectations for each party in accordance and compliance with Center Joint Unified School District, AARP Foundation Experience Corps ("AARP Foundation") and UWCCR standards and policies.

- A.) As a result of Experience Corps both parties want to see in place:
- a. Nurturing relationships that lead to empowered partners
 - b. Continuous feedback leading to measurable outcomes and a cycle of continuous improvement
 - c. A culture and climate of success
 - d. Systems of continuity and sustainability of the Tutoring Program.

This agreement will be effective August 2017 to June 2018.

United Way California Capital Region will deliver the following services and agrees to:

1. Recruit, screen, train and place adults age 50+ to serve as volunteer tutors in K-3 classrooms, as designated by Superintendent, principal and/or appropriate school staff;
2. Ensure all volunteers have no records in the National Sex Offender Public Registry ("NSOPR"), as required by Center Joint Unified School District and AARP Foundation policies and procedures;



Memorandum of Understanding

3. Sponsor background checks for up to 25 volunteers in the 2017-18 school year;
4. Deliver pre-service and in-service training to volunteers. Comprehensive pre-service training topics will include but are not limited to: conducting literacy tutoring in a differentiated learning environment, the components of literacy, Reading A to Z curriculum, behavior management, child development, and mentoring;
5. Evaluate volunteer performance with the Tutor Progress Review to ensure volunteers meet or exceed performance standards;
6. Furnish accident and liability insurance to all UWCCR volunteers in the amount of \$1,000,000;
7. Implement a sustained tutoring model (minimum 30 sessions per year) for grades K-3, via small group (2-4 students) or a blended model in which a minimum of 80% of tutoring time is spent doing sustained tutoring and the remainder (up to 20%) is spent doing classroom literacy assistance;
8. Manage a team of volunteers for a specific number of K-3 classrooms as agreed upon yearly by UWCCR and Center Joint Unified School District;
9. Provide weekly or biweekly school site visits by a Literacy Program Coordinator to conduct volunteer monitoring, coaching, coordination, and management;
10. UWCCR staff will dismiss volunteers from the Experience Corps program if deemed necessary by Center Joint Unified School District or UWCCR;
11. UWCCR staff will deliver an orientation session to teachers prior to service delivery, outlining: the Experience Corps model, programmatic expectations, performance measures, and survey tools;
12. Coordinate and support a volunteer orientation/welcome meeting on-site prior to service delivery to address school policies, procedures, logistics, and introduce participating teachers and staff;
13. Coordinate volunteer recognition events with teachers and school staff, as appropriate;



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14. Receive signed "Program Information and Data Sharing Consent" form from the parent/guardian required for their child/children to participate in Experience Corps;
15. Receive voluntarily signed "Interview and Multimedia Permission and Release" form from the parent/guardian for their child/children;
16. Protect the confidentiality of student identity, information, and data;
17. Provide a summary report on program outcomes for the school;
18. United Way California Capital Region will list Center Joint Unified School District on our insurance policy to provide mutual indemnification.

Principal/Administrator agrees to:

1. Welcome and integrate Experience Corps and volunteers into the school;
2. Designate a contact person at each school site to serve as program liaison with UWCCR;
3. Participate in and support Experience Corps volunteer outreach and recruitment efforts;
4. Create a tutoring schedule which accommodates volunteers being at the school for 2 to 3 consecutive hours a day, twice a week;
5. Ensure all volunteers complete mandatory state (DOJ) and federal (FBI) background checks per AARP Foundation policies and procedures, and TB screening as required by Center Joint Unified School District;
6. Furnish a letter to UWCCR about the background check status of each volunteer stating if he/she has clearance;
7. Receive written parent/guardian permission for child to participate in the Experience Corps program as required by Center Joint Unified School District;
8. Ensure students identified for the Experience Corps program are in need of Tier II or strategic support and are below grade level, but not far below, in one or more of the foundational literacy skills;



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9. Schedule a teacher orientation prior to program service delivery outlining: the Experience Corps model, programmatic expectations, performance measures and survey tools;
10. Ensure participating teachers use volunteers appropriately;
11. In case of a volunteer incident, teacher/designee will document event immediately, contact UWCCR Literacy Program Coordinator and Principal, and work towards mutual resolution;
12. Provide time for participating teachers to meet periodically with their volunteers and UWCCR Literacy Program Coordinator;
13. Designate space for volunteer preparation and review, and materials such as Reading A to Z curriculum, read aloud books, word work games, tutor files, tutor timesheet, and tutor session logs;
14. Provide computers and Internet connection for volunteers to access Salesforce, electronic timesheets/session logs, and online surveys.
15. Support volunteer activities including, but not limited to, providing space for orientation, inviting volunteers to appropriate staff development trainings, and attending volunteer recognition activities;
16. Provide student assessment data to UWCCR and support the collection/submission of teacher surveys in a timely manner to measure program impact, teacher satisfaction, and volunteer effectiveness;
17. Ensure teachers complete the pre-tutoring survey for every participating student prior to first day of tutoring; the post-tutoring survey after the last day of tutoring; and the teacher program evaluation at the end of the year;
18. Share mid-year student assessment data with volunteers to demonstrate progress and support adjustment of curriculum, if necessary;
19. Participate on Leadership Team and in a mid- and end-of-year meeting with UWCCR staff to review partnership and plan for following school year;



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20. Provide fiscal support to the program in years 2 through 4 in an amount mutually agreed upon by UWCCR and Center Joint Unified School District.

21. List UWCCR on accident and liability insurance to provide mutual indemnification.

Evaluation

Program evaluation activities will be coordinated with the School and Center Joint Unified School District. Specific metrics and expected results will be agreed upon by the school and UWCCR prior to the start of the school year. UWCCR tools to be used to measure outcomes may include:

- Pre-Tutoring Survey
- Post-Tutoring Survey
- Teacher Program Evaluation
- Tutor Survey
- Tutor Progress Review
- Volunteer Timesheets
- Volunteer Session Logs
- Student Literacy Assessment Data



Memorandum of Understanding

In witness whereof, the parties have executed this agreement as of the date written below.

Signature for:
UNITED WAY CALIFORNIA CAPITAL REGION



Signature For:
SUPERINTENDENT

Date



Date

AGREEMENT NUMBER: 44710

CALIFORNIA SUMS INITIATIVE: SCALING UP MULTI-TIERED SYSTEM OF SUPPORT
(SUMS) STATEWIDE GRANT
LOCAL EDUCATION AGENCY AGREEMENT

This AGREEMENT is hereby entered into this 1st day of May, 2017, which date is enumerated for purposes of reference only, by and between the Orange County Superintendent of Schools, 200 Kalmus Drive, P.O. Box 9050, Costa Mesa, California 92628-9050, hereinafter referred to as "SUPERINTENDENT", and Center Joint Unified School District, 8408 Watt Ave, Antelope, California 95843, hereinafter referred to as "DISTRICT". SUPERINTENDENT and DISTRICT shall be individually referred to as "Party" and collectively referred to as the "Parties."

WHEREAS, SUPERINTENDENT has received funding from the State of California, California Department of Education for the Improving Systems of Academic and Behavioral Supports (ISABS); Scaling Up Multi-Tiered System of Support Statewide (SUMS) grant to address barriers to learning and re-engage disconnected students by creating a culture of collaboration among marginalized and fragmented support systems; and

WHEREAS, the Improving Systems of Academic and Behavioral Supports (ISABS); Scaling Up Multi-Tiered System of Support Statewide (SUMS) grant requires SUPERINTENDENT to allocate a portion of the grant funds to Schools throughout the State of California; and

WHEREAS, District is specially trained, experienced and competent to perform the services required and is agreeable to the rendering of such services according to the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties agree as follows:

1.0 TERM. The term of this AGREEMENT shall commence on May 1, 2017 and terminate on June 30, 2020, subject to earlier termination as set forth in this AGREEMENT, provided, however, DISTRICT shall be obligated to perform such duties as would normally extend beyond this term

1 including, but not limited to, obligations with respect to indemnification, audits, reporting, and
2 accounting.

3 **2.0 SCOPE OF WORK.**

4 A. SUPERINTENDENT hereby engages DISTRICT as an independent contractor to perform the
5 following described work and DISTRICT hereby agrees to perform said work upon the terms and
6 conditions hereinafter set forth. DISTRICT shall meet all of the contractual requirement listed herein
7 and shall provide all labor, materials, supplies, and equipment necessary to fully perform all
8 responsibilities required by this AGREEMENT and specifically described in Exhibit "A", Scope of Work,
9 which is attached hereto and incorporated herein by this reference to this AGREEMENT.

10 **3.0 COMPENSATION.**

11 A. The Maximum Payment Obligation of SUPERINTENDENT to DISTRICT under this
12 AGREEMENT for the period of May 1, 2017 through June 30, 2020 is Twenty-five thousand dollars
13 (\$25,000.00).

14 B. DISTRICT agrees to establish and maintain fiscal control and accounting procedures as
15 may be necessary to assure proper accounting for all funds under this AGREEMENT. Any work
16 performed prior to approval of the SUPERINTENDENT will be rendered on a voluntary basis, and shall
17 not be compensated unless and until funding is authorized. Any work performed prior to approval
18 of the State of California will be rendered on a voluntary basis and shall not be compensated unless
19 and until funding is authorized.

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21 **4.0 BUDGET ALLOCATION.** Scaling Up Multi-Tiered System of Support Statewide (SUMS) grant
22 funds shall be expended only for those purposes expressed under Section 2.0 of this AGREEMENT.
23 No monies from the Scaling Up Multi-Tiered System of Support Statewide (SUMS) grant shall be used
24 to supplant state or local general fund money of any purpose. Scaling Up Multi-Tiered System of
25 Support Statewide (SUMS) grant funds shall be allocated for the term of the AGREEMENT pursuant to

1 Exhibit "B", "Proposed Initiative Budget Summary", which is attached hereto and incorporated herein
2 by this reference to this AGREEMENT. DISTRICT shall return the completed Budget Form and invoice
3 along with the signed AGREEMENT. Once SUPERINTENDENT has approved DISTRICT's budget,
4 DISTRICT must obtain prior written approval from SUPERINTENDENT for any budget revisions where
5 an adjustment of funds in a line item are different from the originally approved budget by more than
6 ten percent (10%).

7 **5.0 PAYMENT AND INVOICING.**

8 A. SUPERINTENDENT, under the terms of this AGREEMENT, shall pay DISTRICT in advance,
9 based on the maximum payment obligation identified in Paragraph 3.0 Compensation of this
10 AGREEMENT for providing the services and activities hereunder identified in Exhibit A; provided,
11 however, the total of such payments does not exceed DISTRICT's maximum obligation; and provided
12 further, DISTRICT's costs shall be reimbursable pursuant to State and Federal Regulations. DISTRICT
13 shall be responsible for all other expenses incurred in connection with the performance of this
14 AGREEMENT. Payment to DISTRICT should be released by SUPERINTENDENT no later than thirty (30)
15 calendar days after receipt of signed AGREEMENT, completed and approved Scaling Up Multi-Tiered
16 Systems of Support (SUMS) Budget Form and DISTRICT's invoice.

17 B. For travel necessary to the performance of this AGREEMENT, DISTRICT's travel and
18 other travel related expense reimbursement claims shall not exceed the travel policy and procedures
19 of the State of California. Travel and other related travel expenses shall be limited to those
20 necessary for the performance of this AGREEMENT. Travel outside of the State of California must be
21 authorized in writing by SUPERINTENDENT prior to travel. Travel outside of the United States is not
22 permitted.

23 C. DISTRICT's billings shall be submitted on SUPERINTENDENT's form, "Scaling Up Multi-
24 Tiered System of Support Statewide (SUMS) Quarterly Budget and Expenditure Report", which is
25

1 attached hereto as Exhibit "C" and incorporated herein by reference to this AGREEMENT. DISTRICT
2 shall submit the Quarterly Budget and Expenditure Invoice by the following due dates:

3 1. For the period commencing May 1, 2017 and ending June 30, 2017:

4 Quarter 1 & 2: N/A

5 Quarter 3 & 4: Due by July 15, 2017

6 2. For the period commencing July 1, 2017 and ending June 30, 2018:

7 Quarter 1 & 2: Due by Due by January 15, 2018

8 Quarter 3 & 4: Due by July 15, 2018

9 3. For the period commencing July 1, 2018 and ending June 30, 2019:

10 Quarter 1 & 2: Due by January 15, 2019

11 Quarter 3 & 4: Due by July 15, 2019

12 4. For the period commencing July 1, 2019 and ending June 30, 2020:

13 Quarter 1 & 2: Due by January 15, 2020

14 Quarter 3 & 4: Due by July 15, 2020

15 DISTRICT shall submit the Quarterly Budget and Expenditure Report to:

16 Roberta Tovar

17 Email: rtovar@ocde.us

18 Telephone: (714) 966-4154

19 D. All DISTRICT Quarterly Budget and Expenditure Reports submitted to SUPERINTENDENT
20 shall be supported by source documentation including, but not limited to, ledgers, invoices, receipts,
21 receiving records, and records of services provided.

22 E. Any payment made by SUPERINTENDENT to DISTRICT in excess of that of which
23 DISTRICT is entitled under this AGREEMENT shall be immediately due to SUPERINTENDENT and
24 repaid by DISTRICT. In this regard, DISTRICT shall make repayment on any overpayment within thirty
25 (30) days after the date SUPERINTENDENT requests the repayment in writing. Nothing in this

1 AGREEMENT shall be construed as limiting the remedies of SUPERINTENDENT in the event that an
2 overpayment has been made.

3 F. SUPERINTENDENT may withhold or delay any payment if DISTRICT fails to comply with
4 any provision set forth in this AGREEMENT.

5 G. DISTRICT shall not claim reimbursement for services provided beyond the expiration
6 and/or termination of this AGREEMENT, except as may otherwise be provided under this
7 AGREEMENT.

8 H. The obligation of SUPERINTENDENT under this AGREEMENT is contingent upon the
9 availability of funds furnished by the State of California. It is mutually agreed that if the current
10 fiscal year covered under this AGREEMENT does not appropriate sufficient funds for this program,
11 this AGREEMENT shall be of no further force and effect and shall be terminated. In this event,
12 SUPERINTENDENT shall have no liability to pay any funds whatsoever to DISTRICT or to furnish any
13 other considerations under this AGREEMENT and DISTRICT shall not be obligated to perform any
14 provisions of this AGREEMENT. If funding for any fiscal year is reduced, or deleted for purposes of
15 this program, the SUPERINTENDENT shall have the option to either terminate this AGREEMENT with
16 no liability occurring to the SUPERINTENDENT or offer an amendment to DISTRICT to reflect the
17 reduced amount. SUPERINTENDENT shall give DISTRICT written notification of such termination.
18 Notice shall be deemed served on the date of mailing.

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20 **6.0 REPORTS.**

21 A. DISTRICT shall submit to SUPERINTENDENT required reports or evidence that
22 deliverables have been met. Failure to do so may result in the loss and/or remittance of all awarded
23 funds.

24 B. DISTRICT shall be responsible for collecting all data required under this AGREEMENT
25 pursuant to Exhibit "D", "Cohort 1 – Evaluation Outcomes", which is attached hereto and

1 incorporated herein by this reference to this AGREEMENT DISTRICT will submit the collected data,
2 along with a summary of activities, reasons for lack of progress toward attainment of objectives, if
3 any, and explanation for major changes to the budget, if any; and other data required.

4 C. Additional Reports: Upon SUPERINTENDENT'S request, DISTRICT shall make such
5 additional reports available, as required by SUPERINTENDENT, concerning DISTRICT's activities as
6 they affect the services hereunder. SUPERINTENDENT shall be specific to the information requested
7 and allow DISTRICT thirty (30) calendar days to respond.

8 **7.0 RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND MAINTENANCE.**

9 A. DISTRICT shall, throughout the term of this AGREEMENT, prepare, maintain and
10 manage records appropriate to the services provided and in accordance with this AGREEMENT and
11 all applicable requirements.

12 B. DISTRICT shall ensure appropriate financial records related to cost reporting,
13 expenditure, revenue, billings, etc., are prepared and maintained accurately and appropriately.

14 C. DISTRICT shall retain all financial records for a minimum of three (3) years after the
15 completion of the activities for which the funds are used and until audit findings are resolved, or
16 due to legal proceedings such as litigations and/or settlement of claims whichever is longer.

17 D. DISTRICT shall notify SUPERINTENDENT of any Public Record Act (PRA) requests within
18 twenty-four (24) hours of receipt of said request. DISTRICT shall provide SUPERINTENDENT with all
19 information that is requested and provided by DISTRICT.

20 **8.0 INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR.**

21 A. DISTRICT is, and shall at all times be deemed to be, an independent contractor and
22 shall be wholly responsible for the manner in which it performs the services required of it by the
23 terms of this AGREEMENT.

24 B. DISTRICT warrants that it has all necessary licenses required to perform the services
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1 required by the terms of this AGREEMENT.

2 C. DISTRICT is entirely responsible for compensating staff, subcontractors, and
3 consultants employed by DISTRICT. This AGREEMENT shall not be construed as creating the
4 relationship of employer and employee, or principal and agent between SUPERINTENDENT and
5 DISTRICT or any of DISTRICT's employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors. DISTRICT
6 understands and agrees that he/she and all his/her employees shall not be considered officers,
7 employees or agents of SUPERINTENDENT, and are not entitled to benefits of any kind or nature
8 normally provided employees of SUPERINTENDENT and/or to which SUPERINTENDENT's employees
9 are normally entitled, including, but not limited to, State Unemployment Insurance or Workers'
10 Compensation. DISTRICT shall assume full responsibility for payment of all federal, state and local
11 taxes or contributions, including unemployment insurance, social security and income taxes with
12 respect to DISTRICT's employees.

13 D. DISTRICT assumes exclusively the responsibility for the acts of its employees, agents,
14 consultants, or subcontractors as they relate to the services to be provided during the course and
15 scope of their employment.

16 E. DISTRICT, its agents, employees, consultants, or subcontractors, shall not be entitled
17 to any rights or privileges of SUPERINTENDENT's employees and shall not be considered in any
18 manner to be SUPERINTENDENT's employees.

19 **9.0 INDEMNIFICATION.**

20 A. SUPERINTENDENT hereby agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless DISTRICT, its
21 Governing Board, and their officers, agents, and employees from liability and claims of liability for
22 bodily injury, personal injury, sickness, disease, or death of any person or persons, or damage to any
23 property, real, personal, tangible or intangible, arising out of the negligent acts or omissions of
24 employees, agents or officers of SUPERINTENDENT or the Orange County Board of Education during
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1 the period of this AGREEMENT.

2 B. DISTRICT hereby agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless SUPERINTENDENT,
3 the Orange County Board of Education and its officers, agents, and employees, from liability and
4 claims of liability for bodily injury, personal injury, sickness, disease, or death of any person or
5 persons, or damage to any property, real, personal, tangible or intangible, arising out of the negligent
6 acts or omissions of employees, agents or officers of DISTRICT during the period of this AGREEMENT.

7 C. DISTRICT agrees to indemnify, defend and save harmless the State of California, its
8 officers, agents and employees from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any and all
9 contractors, subcontractors, suppliers, laborers, and any other person, firm or corporation furnishing
10 or supplying work services, materials, or supplies in connection with the performance of this
11 AGREEMENT, and from any and all claims and losses accruing or resulting to any person, firm or
12 corporation who may be injured or damaged by DISTRICT in the performance of this AGREEMENT.

13 **10.0 COPYRIGHT.** SUPERINTENDENT and the State of California shall have a royalty-free,
14 nonexclusive, and irrevocable license to publish, translate, or use now and continuing all material
15 and work product (both tangible and intangible), if any, developed under this AGREEMENT including
16 those materials covered by copyright.

17 **11.0 CONFIDENTIALITY.** SUPERINTENDENT and DISTRICT shall maintain the confidentiality of
18 all records, including any hard copies, and/or electronic or computer based data, and/or audio
19 and/or video recordings, in accordance with all applicable state and federal codes and regulations
20 relating to privacy and confidentiality as they now exist or may hereafter be amended or changed.
21 The confidentiality requirements under this paragraph shall survive the termination or expiration of
22 this AGREEMENT or any subsequent agreement intended to supersede this AGREEMENT.

23 **12.0 CONFLICT OF INTEREST.** The Parties hereto acknowledge that DISTRICT may be affiliated
24 with one or more organizations or professional practices located in DISTRICT's county. DISTRICT
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1 therefore warrants that he/she shall not violate any applicable law, rule or regulation of any
2 governmental entity relating to conflict of interest. DISTRICT shall not knowingly undertake any act
3 which unjustifiably results in any relative benefit to any organization or professional practice with
4 which he/she is affiliated as a direct or indirect result, whether economic or otherwise in nature, of
5 the performance of duties and obligations required by this AGREEMENT, when compared to the
6 result such act has on any other organization or professional practice.

7 **13.0 EMPLOYEE ELIGIBILITY VERIFICATION.** DISTRICT warrants that it shall fully comply with all
8 federal and state statutes and regulations regarding the employment of aliens and others and to
9 ensure that employees, subcontractors and consultants performing work under this AGREEMENT
10 meet the citizenship or alien status requirement set forth in federal statutes and regulations.
11 DISTRICT shall obtain, from all employees, subcontractors and consultants performing work
12 hereunder, all verification and other documentation of employment eligibility status required by
13 federal or state statutes and regulations including, but not limited to, the Immigration Reform and
14 Control Act of 1986, 8 U.S.C. §1324 et seq., as they currently exist and as they may be hereafter
15 amended. DISTRICT shall retain all such documentation for all covered employees, subcontractors
16 and consultants for the period prescribed by the law.

17 **14.0 DELEGATION AND ASSIGNMENT.** DISTRICT may not delegate its obligations hereunder,
18 either in whole or in part, without the prior written consent of SUPERINTENDENT.
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20 **15.0 INSPECTIONS AND AUDITS.** SUPERINTENDENT and, State of California or any other of their
21 authorized representatives, shall have access to any books, documents, and records, including but
22 not limited to, financial statements, general ledgers, relevant accounting systems of DISTRICT that
23 are directly pertinent to this AGREEMENT, for the purpose of responding to a beneficiary complaint
24 or conducting an audit, review, evaluation, or examination during the term of this AGREEMENT.
25 Such persons may at all reasonable times inspect or otherwise evaluate the services provided

1 pursuant to this AGREEMENT, and the premises in which they are provided.

2 **16.0 LICENSES AND LAW.**

3 A. DISTRICT shall, throughout the term of this AGREEMENT, maintain all necessary
4 licenses, permits, approvals, certificates, waivers, and exemptions necessary for the provision of the
5 services hereunder and required by the laws and regulations of the United States, State of California,
6 and any other applicable governmental agencies. DISTRICT shall notify SUPERINTENDENT
7 immediately and in writing of its inability to obtain or maintain, irrespective of the pendency of an
8 appeal, permits, licenses, approvals, certificates, waivers, and exemptions. Said inability shall be
9 cause for termination of this AGREEMENT.

10 B. DISTRICT shall comply with all laws, rules or regulations applicable to the services
11 provided hereunder, as any may now exist or be hereafter amended or changed.

12 C. ENFORCEMENT OF CHILD SUPPORT OBLIGATIONS

13 1. DISTRICT agrees to furnish to SUPERINTENDENT within thirty (30) calendar
14 days of the award of this AGREEMENT:

15 a. In the case of an individual contractor, his/her name, date of birth, social
16 security number, and residence address;

17 b. In the case of a contractor doing business in a form other than as an
18 individual, the name, date of birth, social security number, and residence address of each individual
19 who owns an interest of ten percent (10%) or more in the contracting entity;

20 c. A certification or statement that DISTRICT has fully complied with all
21 applicable federal and state reporting requirements regarding its employees;

22 d. A certification or statement that DISTRICT has fully complied with all
23 lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment Orders and Notices of Assignment, will continue to
24 so comply.
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1 2. Failure of DISTRICT to timely submit the data and/or
2 certifications/statements required by subparagraphs 1.a., 1.b., 1.c., or 1.d. above, or to comply with
3 all federal and state employee reporting requirements for child support enforcement, or to comply
4 with all lawfully served Wage and Earnings Assignment Orders and Notices of Assignment, shall
5 constitute a material breach of this AGREEMENT; and failure to cure such breach within sixty (60)
6 calendar days of notice from SUPERINTENDENT shall constitute grounds for termination of this
7 AGREEMENT.

8 3. It is expressly understood that this data will be transmitted to governmental
9 agencies charged with the establishment and enforcement of child support orders, or as permitted
10 by federal and/or state statute.

11 **17.0 NONDISCRIMINATION.** In the performance of this AGREEMENT, DISTRICT shall not engage
12 in, nor permit any employee or agent to engage in discrimination in employment of person or
13 provision of services or assistance, nor exclude any person from participation in, nor deny any person
14 the benefits of, not subject any person to discrimination under any program or activity funded in
15 whole or in part with the Improving Systems of Academic and Behavioral Supports (ISABS) funds on
16 the grounds of race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, physical handicap, medical condition,
17 marital status, gender or sexual orientation. DISTRICT shall comply with Title II of the Americans with
18 Disabilities Act, (42 U.S.C., {12101, et seq.) as it relates to public accommodations.

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20 **18.0 TERMINATION.**

21 A. Either party may terminate this AGREEMENT, without cause, upon thirty (30) days'
22 written notice (Notice of Termination) given the other party. Upon receipt of notice of termination
23 without cause, DISTRICT shall immediately cease performance under this AGREEMENT.

24 B. Unless otherwise specified in this AGREEMENT, SUPERINTENDENT reserves the right
25 to terminate this AGREEMENT for cause due to the default (as defined in Paragraph 22.0) by

1 DISTRICT in its performance obligations under this AGREEMENT. SUPERINTENDENT may in any
2 notice of default advise DISTRICT it also intends to terminate the AGREEMENT for cause. The notice
3 of default from SUPERINTENDENT shall advise DISTRICT if SUPERINTENDENT intends to elect to
4 terminate the AGREEMENT and in this event DISTRICT shall immediately cease performance and
5 provision of services as of the date the notice of default is received or deemed received, whichever
6 is earlier. In the event of termination, SUPERINTENDENT, may, but is not required, to take over the
7 work and prosecute the same to completion by contract or otherwise. Also, in the event of
8 termination for cause, DISTRICT shall be liable to the extent that the total cost for completion of the
9 services required by this AGREEMENT exceeds the compensation stipulated in this AGREEMENT
10 (provided that SUPERINTENDENT shall use reasonable efforts to mitigate damages), and
11 SUPERINTENDENT expressly reserves the right to withhold any outstanding payments to DISTRICT
12 for the purpose of set off or partial payment of the amounts owed SUPERINTENDENT as previously
13 set forth in this AGREEMENT.

14 **19.0 TOBACCO USE POLICY.** In the interest of public health, SUPERINTENDENT provides a
15 tobacco-free environment. Smoking or the use of any tobacco products are prohibited in buildings
16 and vehicles, and on any property owned, leased or contracted for by the SUPERINTENDENT
17 pursuant to SUPERINTENDENT'S Policy 400.15. Failure to abide with conditions of this policy could
18 result in the termination of this AGREEMENT.

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20 **20.0 COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAWS.** The services completed herein must meet the
21 approval of SUPERINTENDENT and shall be subject to SUPERINTENDENT's general right of inspection
22 to secure the satisfactory completion thereof. DISTRICT agrees to comply with all federal, state and
23 local laws, statutes, rules, regulations and local ordinances that are now or may in the future become
24 applicable to the services performed under this AGREEMENT.

25 **21.0 NON WAIVER.** The failure of SUPERINTENDENT or DISTRICT to seek redress for violation

1 of, or to insist upon, the strict performance of any term or condition of this AGREEMENT shall not be
2 deemed a waiver by that party of such term or condition, or prevent a subsequent similar act from
3 again constituting a violation of such term or condition.

4 **22.0** **DEFAULT.** Failure by DISTRICT to perform and/or comply with any provision, covenant, or
5 condition of this AGREEMENT shall be a default of this AGREEMENT. In the event of default
6 SUPERINTENDENT may avail any remedies available at law, in equity, or otherwise specified in this
7 AGREEMENT (including immediate termination for cause as set forth in Paragraph 18.0 above), and
8 may elect any of the following, if applicable:

9 A. Afford DISTRICT a time period of fifteen (15) days from the date the notice is mailed to cure
10 the default, or to commence to cure the breach and diligently pursue to completion the cure of the
11 breach within thirty (30) days of date notice is mailed; and/or

12 B. Discontinue payment and eligibility for payment to DISTRICT during the period in which
13 DISTRICT is in breach, which payment may not be entitled to later recovery; and/or

14 C. Offset against any funds invoiced by DISTRICT but yet unpaid by SUPERINTENDENT those
15 monies disallowed pursuant to the above offset authority; and/or

16 D. Withhold from any monies payable to DISTRICT sufficient funds to compensate
17 SUPERINTENDENT for any losses, costs, liabilities or damages it reasonable believes were suffered
18 by or have been incurred by SUPERINTENDENT due to the default of DISTRICT in the performance of
19 the services required by this AGREEMENT.
20

21 **23.0** **NOTICES.** All notices, claims, correspondence, reports, and/or statements authorized or
22 required by this AGREEMENT shall be addressed as follows:

23 SUPERINTENDENT: Orange County Superintendent of Schools
24 200 Kalmus Drive
25 P.O. Box 9050
Costa Mesa, California 92628-9050
Attn: Patricia McCaughey

1 DISTRICT: Center Joint Unified School District
2 8408 Watt Ave
3 Antelope, California, 95843
4 Attn: _____

5 **24.0 SEVERABILITY.** If any term, condition or provision of this AGREEMENT or application thereof
6 to any person or circumstances is held by a court of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, void, or
7 unenforceable, or if any provision of this AGREEMENT contravenes any federal, state or county
8 statute, ordinance, or regulation, the remaining provisions of this AGREEMENT or application thereof
9 will nevertheless continue in full force and effect, and shall not be affected, impaired or invalidated in
10 any way.

11 **25.0 ALTERATION OF TERMS.** This AGREEMENT, together with any Exhibits attached hereto and
12 incorporated herein by reference, fully expresses all understanding of SUPERINTENDENT and
13 DISTRICT with respect to the subject matter of this AGREEMENT, and shall constitute the total
14 AGREEMENT between the Parties for these purposes. No addition to, or alteration of, the terms of
15 this AGREEMENT, whether written or verbal, shall be valid unless made in writing and formally
16 executed and approved by SUPERINTENDENT and DISTRICT.

17 **26.0 AUTHORIZED SIGNATURES.** The individuals signing this AGREEMENT warrant that they are
18 authorized to do so, and further, that they are authorized to make the promises in this AGREEMENT
19 on behalf of the respective Parties. The Parties understand and agree that a breach of this warranty
20 shall constitute a breach of the AGREEMENT and shall entitle the non-breaching party to all
21 appropriate legal and equitable remedies against the breaching party.

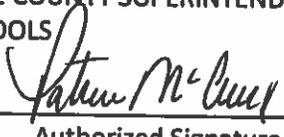
22 **27.0 GOVERNING LAW.** The terms and conditions of this AGREEMENT shall be governed by the
23 laws of the State of California with venue in Orange County, California.
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1 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this AGREEMENT, in the County of
2 Orange, State of California.

3 DISTRICT: CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

ORANGE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT
OF SCHOOLS

4 BY: 
5 Authorized Signature

6 BY: 
Authorized Signature

7 PRINTED NAME: Scott A. Loehr

PRINTED NAME: Patricia McCaughey

8 TITLE: Superintendent

TITLE: Administrator

9 DATE: 7/7/17

DATE: June 20, 2017

10 TIN: _____

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13 (Center Joint Unified School District)-LEA Agreement-SUMS Grant(44710) 2017-2020
14 ZIP6

EXHIBIT "A"
SCOPE OF SERVICES

DISTRICT shall provide the following services:

1. Participation in Technical Assistance (TA) provided by SUPERINTENDENT in partnership with the California Department of Education, Butte County Office of Education, the SWIFT Center and other County Offices of Education.

MTSS Training Scope & Sequence

Training 1 (2 days)	Training 2 (2 days)	Training 3 (2 days)	Training 4 (2 days)	Training 5 (2 days)
Introduction to California MTSS	Foundations of California MTSS	Engineering Your MTSS	Structuring Your MTSS	Advancing Your MTSS
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SUMS Overview and Expected Outcomes • What is Your "Why"? • MTSS & Supporting Domains • Theory of Action for Transformation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dive Deep into Content through Fidelity Integrity Assessment (FIA) • Design the Future Aligned to Content • Exploration / Foundation Self-Assessment of Teams, Communications, • Introduction to Coaching 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Revisit Master Schedule, School Resource Profile, and Tiered Intervention Matrix • Site specific Exploration / Foundation Self-Assessment of "current reality" 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engage in Data Snapshots to Identify Near-term Priorities • Begin Priority & Practice Planning. Identifying Next Steps to Advance MTSS 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Re-assess Training, Communications and Coaching • Continue Priority & Practice Planning Around Identified Priorities • Develop State, County & District Resource Maps and Matching to Priorities

2. Implement an integrated multi-tiered system of standards-based instruction, interventions, mental health, and academic and behavioral supports aligned with accessible instruction and curriculum using the principles of universal design, such as UDL, established in the state curriculum frameworks and Local Control Accountability Plans (LCAPs), which are required to demonstrate how the services provided for low income pupils, foster youth, and English learners are increased or improved for these pupils (5 CCR 15496).
3. Provide strategies that support student success in the least restrictive environment and foster greater inclusion.
4. Leverage and coordinate multiple school and community resources.
5. Implement multi-tiered, evidence-based, data-driven district-wide and school-wide systems of academic and behavioral support.
6. Incorporate the types of practices, services, and efforts listed in numbers 2–5 into LEAs' LCAPs.

Proposed Initiative Budget Summary

Exhibit "B"

California Scale-Up MTSS Statewide (SUMS) Initiative

This budget should list all initiative expenditures for grant funds for the proposed initiative's three years. Add additional rows as needed.

Object Code	Object of Expenditure	Proposed Expenditures				Total Proposed Expenditures	Amount from Other Source(s) (In-Kind)
		FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18	FY 2018-19	FY 2019-20		
1000-1999	Certificated Salaries	*Year 1 includes May 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018					
2000-2999	Classified Salaries						
3000-3999	Employee Benefits						
4000-4999	Books and Supplies						
5000-5999	Services and Other Operating Expenditures						
	SUBTOTAL						
	Indirect Costs (__%) Cannot exceed current CA state limit						
	TOTAL						

OCDE use only. Reviewed and Approved by:

OCDE Fiscal Analyst:	Title:	Date:
OCDE Program Monitor:		
OCDE Administrator:		

Proposed Budget Narrative
California Scale-Up MTSS Statewide (SUMS) Initiative

Please explain with sufficient detail what led to the calculations to justify the budget figures in the Proposed Initiative Budget Summary. Include how the funds link to your Application Narrative responses to Objectives and Outcomes. Use additional pages of this form as necessary.

Object Code	Detailed Explanation of Expenditure	SUMS Initiative	Amount from Other Source(s)
			(In-Kind)
Certificated Salaries 1000s	Year 1: *Year 1 includes May 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018 Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:
Classified Salaries 2000s	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:
Benefits 3000s	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:
Books and Supplies 4000s	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:
Services and Other Operating Expenditures 5000s	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:
SUBTOTAL	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:		In-Kind:
Indirect Costs	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:		In-Kind:
TOTAL	Year 1: Year 2: Year 3:		In-Kind:



Scaling Up Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (SUMS)
Improving Systems of Academic and Behavioral Supports (ISABS)
QUARTERLY BUDGET AND EXPENDITURE REPORT

From the Office of Semi Personnel	
Date _____	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Approved	_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Needs Revision	_____

Exhibit "C"

Return completed report form to: Roberta Tovar RTovar@ocde.us 714-956-4406	Agency address address	Check Quarter for this report: <input type="checkbox"/> Quarter 1 & 2 Due January 15 (Year) <input type="checkbox"/> Quarter 3 & 4 Due July 15, (Year)
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CATEGORY	CURRENT YEAR APPROVED BUDGET	ACTUAL EXPENDITURES			
		QUARTER 1 & 2 <small>July 1 - Dec 31, (year)</small>	QUARTER 3 & 4 <small>Jan 1 - June 30, (year)</small>	Year-to Date Total Expenditures	Remaining Current Year Allocation
1000 Certificated Salaries				-	-
2000 Classified Salaries				-	-
3000 Employee Benefits				-	-
4000 Books & Supplies				-	-
5000 Services & other Operating Expenditures (other than 5200)				-	-
5200 Travel & Conferences				-	-
6000 Capital Outlay (items >\$5,000)				-	-
7000 Indirect Charges (*See note below)				-	-
Indirect Rate: %				-	-
Totals	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

Submit Expenditure Report with a copy of a general ledger. See MOU for a list of acceptable documentation. An Expenditure Report must be submitted even if there were no expenditures in the Quarter.

* INDIRECT COST RATE FOR YEAR __: Per CDE approved Indirect rate.

I certify that the expenditures reported above have been made, and that this project has been conducted in accordance with applicable laws, regulations, and program guidelines, and that the full records of receipts and expenditures have been maintained and are available for audit. All signatures are required.

Coordinator Name and Title	Phone Number	Coordinator Signature	Date
		X	

Fiscal Services Name and Title	Phone Number	Fiscal Services Signature	Date
		X	

Submit Budget and Expenditure Invoice with required back-up documentation of reported expenses to rtovar@ocde.us

Cohorts

Cohort 1 – Evaluation Outcomes

The SUMS program evaluation will include formative and summative elements to examine the delivery, quality, and impact of the SUMS Initiative.

Process Evaluation

Evidence of successful implementation will consist of documents and artifacts pertaining to each SUMS activity, service, and product; technical assistance logs; and evaluation surveys. Documents and artifacts may include: SUMS meeting agendas and minutes, training materials, website content, sub-grant application review sheets, and module completion data. *Quarterly technical assistance logs* will record the amount and types of technical assistance provided. *Feedback surveys of technical assistance* will gather sites' feedback on 1) technical assistance quality, relevance, and usefulness, and 2) to determine the degree to which they perceive an increase in confidence or efficacy to a) implement the changes they envision for themselves, b) access the resources they need to make these changes, and c) build their capacity to transform and sustain.

Outcome Evaluation

SUMS intends to help Knowledge Development Sites (KDS), LEAs and charter schools do the following:

Proximal Outcomes (shorter-term)

1. Increased or improved services provided for low income pupils, foster youth, and English Learners (ELs)
2. Strategies that effectively support student success in the least restrictive environment and foster greater inclusion
3. Leveraged and coordinated multiple school and community resources
4. Implemented multi-tiered, evidence-based, data-driven district-wide and school-wide systems of academic and behavioral supports
5. Outcomes 1-4 incorporated into LCAP
6. (for State Leadership Team only) Statewide use of academic and behavioral programs and practices using a MTSS framework

Evidence:

- *SWIFT – Fidelity Integrity Assessment (FIA)*
- *SWIFT – Fidelity Implementation Tool (FIT)*
- *District Capacity Assessment (DCA)*
- *District LCAP*
- *Outcome Reports*

Distal Outcomes (longer-term)

Decreases in: suspension and expulsion rates, discipline referrals, referrals to special education, chronic absenteeism, incidents of bullying or harassment, dropout rates, and Risk Factors (PBIS School Safety Survey)

Increases/Improvements in: numbers of educators and pupils served, pupil attendance, graduation rates, measures of student academic achievement, school climate, average instructional minutes, average instructional time in integrated settings for students with IEPs, students' social-emotional competence, and Protective Factors (PBIS School Safety Survey)

Evidence: Outcome Reports



Cohort 1 – Evaluation Measures

Process Measures:

Technical Assistance Logs

- COEs will record the amount and types of technical assistance provided to sites
- Reported quarterly (at minimum) by COE

Technical Assistance Feedback Survey

- Capture site feedback on 1) technical assistance quality, relevance, and usefulness, and 2) to determine the degree to which they perceive an increase in confidence or efficacy to a) implement the changes they envision for themselves, b) access the resources they need to make these changes, and c) build their capacity to transform and sustain
- Conducted as an electronic/online survey
- Invitation to complete will be delivered via email and the survey will be accessible on My Digital Chalkboard
- Timeframe: post-only; following delivery of technical assistance

Outcome Measures:

SWIFT-Fidelity Integrity Assessment (FIA)

- To measure the site's fidelity of implementation
- Self-assessment conducted by the site, can be completed within 1 day
- Complete FIA (Fall) by October (on a day of site's choice) and complete FIA (Spring) by March (on a day of site's choice)
- Include FIA results (as available) with the semi-annual Outcome Reports

SWIFT-Fidelity Implementation Tool (FIT)

- Administered to a random sample of sites (TBD)
- To measure the site's fidelity of implementation
- Conducted annually by an external assessor designated by the Regional Lead, takes 1 full day to complete
- Establish a baseline by June 2018 and conduct follow-up assessment by June of each year after
- Include FIT results with the semi-annual Outcome Report due by July

District Capacity Assessment (DCA)

- The DCA is an action assessment designed to help educational district leaders and staff assess and better align resources (within nine subscales) with intended outcomes and develop action plans to support the site's use of effective innovations
- Facilitated self-assessment completed by the District Leadership Team (DLT) or School Transformation Team (STT), can be completed within 1 day
- Establish a baseline by June 2018 and conduct follow-up assessment by June of each year after
- Include DCA results with the semi-annual Outcome Report due by July

District LCAP

- Supporting evidence that Proximal Outcomes 1-4 are incorporated into LEA's LCAP
- Submitted annually with the semi-annual Outcome Report as it becomes available



Cohort 1 – Evaluation Measures

Outcome Measures (continued):

Outcome Reports

- To capture qualitative information of District's MTSS implementation policies and processes regarding Proximal Outcomes 1-5
- Districts that make progress in Proximal Outcomes 1-5 are expected to have positive student effects (Distal Outcomes) over time
- Submit information electronically/online for Quarters 1 & 2 by January and Quarters 3 & 4 by July
- Invitation to complete will be delivered via email and will be accessible on My Digital Chalkboard



Cohort 1 – Evaluation Data Collection Timeline

Table 1. Annual Evaluation Data Collection Timeline for Cohort 1 (2017-2018 and beyond)

Who	Measure	Q1			Q2			Q3			Q4			July
		July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	
COE	TA Log				For Q1			For Q2			For Q3			For Q4
Site	TA Feedback	Following delivery of technical assistance												
Site	SWIFT-FIA			FIA (Fall)					FIA (Winter)					
Site	SWIFT-FIT										FIT			
DLT or STT	Outcome Reports							For Q1 & Q2						For Q3 & Q4
DLT or STT	DCA											DCA		
DLT or STT	Copy of LCAP	Submitted as it becomes available												

Data Collection Due Dates: January 31, 2018; July 31, 2018; January 31, 2019; July 31, 2019; January 31, 2020 and July 31, 2020



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
Agreement EMS #1102

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is between the **Sacramento County Office of Education**, hereinafter referred to as "**SCOE**," and **McClellan High School**, hereinafter referred to as "**School**."

The purpose of this MOU is to detail the roles and responsibilities of **SCOE** and the **School** in regards to delivering instructional support services to staff. Once signed by both parties, this MOU is in effect, and may be terminated by either entity in writing, but not less than seven business days prior to the first day of service.

No audio or visual recording of the services provided under this agreement may be made by any means without the advance written authorization of **SCOE**.

SCOE agrees to:

1. Provide a primary contact person and service provider(s) for all work under this MOU.

MOU Contact:

Tami Wilson
(916) 228-2350

twilson@scoe.net

Services provided by:

Melissa Hilleby
(916) 228-2553

mhilleby@scoe.net

2. Provide training and site-based support to include Depth of Knowledge, lesson study, observation, debrief, and walk-throughs. See Exhibit A for details.
3. Location of the service
4. Provide an evaluation of services.
5. Provide training materials. All instructional materials provided by **SCOE** are copyrighted.
6. Invoice **School** upon completion of services to:

McClellan High School
8725 Watt Avenue
Antelope, CA 95843

School agrees to:

1. Provide a primary contact person for all work under this MOU.
David French
(916) 338-6440
davidf@centerusd.org
2. Ensure the site principal/district representative is present during services.
3. Participate in an evaluation of services.

**Exhibit A
McClellan High School**

Day	Date	Support Description	Attend		Notes
			T	A	
1	August 2	Depth of Knowledge			3-hour training on teacher workday. 9:00-12:00
2	---	Prepare for Lesson Study			
3	August 22	ELA/Math Planning Day (include a plan for formative assessment)			8:30-2:00
4	August 31	ELA/Math Lesson Observation Day w/ Principal			8:30-2:00
5	Sept. 6	Science, Social Studies, Independent Study Planning Day (include a plan for formative assessment)			8:30-2:00
6	Sept. 13	Science, Social Studies, Independent Study Planning Day Lesson Observation Day w/ Principal			8:30-2:00

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: CAS

Action Item X

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item _____

Date: July 10, 2017

Attached Pages 6

From: Alyson Collier

Principal's Initials: 

SUBJECT

MOU from Sacramento County Office of Education for state consortium funding for adult education.

This MOU delineates the relationship between CJUSD and the fiscal agent, SCOE, for the Capital Adult Education Regional Consortium (CAERC).

RECOMMENDATION: Approve

CONSENT AGENDA

Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) # 17-C-CJ
Between
Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE)
and
Center Joint Unified School District
Term of Agreement – July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2020

I. Purpose and Parties

The purpose of this MOU is to document the relationship and articulate roles and responsibilities between the Capital Adult Education Regional Consortium (CAERC) fiscal agent (SCOE) and each of the CAERC members. This Memorandum of Understanding is entered into between Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE), and Center Joint Unified School District. Center Joint Unified School District and SCOE hereby agree to the following terms of this MOU. Center Joint Unified School District is a member of CAERC. Center Joint Unified School District, hereinafter referred to as "CAERC Member."

II. Background

AB 86 Planning Grant

The 2013-14 State Budget, under the auspices of Assembly Bill 86, appropriated \$25 million to the California Community College Chancellor's Office (CCCCO) to provide funding for two-year adult education planning and implementation grants. AB 86 supported the development of regional adult education consortium plans that focus on expanding and improving opportunities for education and workforce services for adults. From July 1, 2013 to December 31, 2015, AB 86 consortia, consisting of K-12 school districts, community college districts, and other partners developed regional education and workforce service plans for adults.

AB 104 Adult Education Block Grant

On June 24, 2015 Governor Jerry Brown signed AB 104 into law. The 2015-16 year represented the transition period from the planning that took place with AB 86 to the actualization of the Adult Education Block Grant (AEBG). The 2015-16 and 2016-17 State Budgets included \$500 million in new funding for seven authorized adult education program areas. On March 17, 2017 the CCCCCO and CDE notified all consortia of their intent to award AEBG funding for fiscal years 2017-18 and 2018-19.

Role and Function of CAERC

The Capital Adult Education Regional Consortium is comprised of 14 members – 11 K-12 school districts, 2 county offices of education, the Los Rios Community College District (4 colleges) – and 24 partner agencies. For fiscal year 2017-18, a total of \$11,128,458 has been designated for the Capital Region and CAERC members.

III. Role of SCOE and CAERC Member

Role of SCOE

As the fiscal agent, SCOE will distribute consortium funds in accordance to the CAERC Governance and Fiscal Allocation Plans and Policies (amended May 10, 2017), AB 104, and Education Code section 84913. SCOE will be responsible for collecting, compiling, and reporting consortium-level fiscal and program information.

Role of CAERC Member

CAERC Member will adhere to the agreements outlined in the CAERC Governance and Fiscal Allocation Plans and Policies (amended May 10, 2017). CAERC Member will be responsible for participating in the consortium decision-making process and reporting member fiscal and program information to the consortium, and learner performance data to the AEBG Office as specified in AB 104 and any associated AEBG Program guidelines.

Role of Both Parties

Both parties will work together to comply with AB 104's reporting requirements. AB 104 requires that each consortium report allocations by participating members, budgets by object code, by program area and objective, and file expenditure and progress reports. Allocations by members should match expenditures, follow CAERC's 2017-18 Annual Plan, and adhere to the expenditure guidelines outlined in the AB 104 Allowable Uses Guide.

IV. SCOE Responsibilities

As the CAERC fiscal agent, SCOE will act as the banker, process expenses and expenditure contracts as agreed upon by the members, and work with the members to implement fiscal decisions per CAERC's 2017-18 Annual Plan and Three-Year Amended Consortium Plan.

As the designated fiscal and program information-reporting agency, SCOE will:

1. Compile and report members' consortium allocation expenditures and progress every six months to the California Community Colleges Chancellor's Office's online system. *
2. Compile and report members' final program-area expenditures for consortium allocations to the AEBG office annually in July. *
3. Upon SCOE's receipt of AEBG funds from the California Community College Chancellor's Office, in accordance to Education Code 84912, CAERC members shall receive monthly equal payments equaling one twelfth of their total allocation.
4. Compile and report consortium-level data required by AB 104 and AEBG as needed.

* The AEBG Office is currently developing a new online fiscal reporting system that may require CAERC members to submit expenditure information directly to the AEBG Office. If that happens this fiscal year, SCOE will provide member training and support with the reporting system.

V. CAERC Member Responsibilities

To enable SCOE's reporting to the AEBG Office, CAERC Member will be responsible for monitoring their own activities and reporting to SCOE all CAERC related fiscal and program activities. This includes any necessary student participation data, expenditure documentation, and any AB104 information necessary for the successful completion of AB104 mandated reports, performance measures, and program outcomes. Expenditures must follow CAERC's 2017-18 Annual Plan, adhere to the expenditure guidelines outlined in the AB 104 Allowable Uses Guide, and follow other guidelines established by the AEBG Office. In addition, all CAERC Members will adhere to CAERC approved policies related to fiscal, program and governance procedure.

CAERC Member will designate a person/persons with proper authority to certify all information submitted to SCOE. CAERC Member acknowledges and accepts all responsibility for program related expenditures and certifies that expenditures are in compliance with the approved objectives, rules and regulations that govern the AEBG program. Furthermore, CAERC Member accepts all liability for any disallowed costs, should they arise.

In exchange for **\$222,912.00** CAERC Member will:

1. Submit expenditure information.
 - a. Report consortium allocation expenditures to SCOE every six months prior to the AEBG reporting due dates. For the 2017-18 allocation, all activities must cease no later than June 30, 2018. However, please note there are four specific reporting periods that span two fiscal years. This additional year allows any unspent member funds from 2017-18 to be reallocated to another member and expended during the 2018-19 fiscal year, as approved by CAERC Members on May 10, 2017. See attached *Exhibit A, Shared Fiscal and Budget Agreement Policy* and *Exhibit B, Reallocation of Unspent Funds Policy*.

Reporting Period	Dates	Report Due from CAERC Member to Fiscal Agent
1	7/1/17 - 12/31/17	1/12/18
2	1/1/18 - 6/30/18	7/13/18
3	7/1/18 - 12/31/18	1/11/19
4	1/1/19 - 6/30/19	7/12/19

- b. Report final program-area expenditures and consortium allocation annually in July.
 - c. An expenditure and progress reporting template will be provided by SCOE which will include funding source, standard fiscal reporting categories/object codes, authorized program areas, objectives, expenditure summary narrative, and progress update narrative.
 - d. Indirect rates:
 - i. A consortium may use no more than 5 percent of funds allocated in a given fiscal year for administration activities.
 - ii. K-12 districts and County Offices of Education will use their California Department of Education approved indirect cost rate for Program Year 2017-18.
 - e. Per information provided by the AEBG Office, a new online fiscal reporting system is being developed by the CCCCCO. When the reporting system is fully implemented, it may require CAERC members to submit expenditure information directly to the AEBG Office.
2. Submit required quarterly and end-of-year student level information via the CASAS TOPSpro Enterprise data reporting systems as specified in the April 3, 2017 AEBG Office memo to Consortium Directors and Members. For requirements, see AEBG Student Data Collection procedures at: <http://aebg.cccco.edu/For-AEBG-Grantees/AEBG-Data-Accountability/Student-Data-Collection>

3. Conduct professional development activities.
 - a. Professional development activities and funding, in the amount of \$5,000 per year, is included in the CAERC Member total allocation for Fund C. The expenditure period for these funds is from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.
 - b. The additional funding is specifically allocated to address the following AEBG objective:
 - i. **Objective 6: Professional Development** - Plans to collaborate in the provision of ongoing professional development opportunities for faculty and other staff to help them achieve greater program integration and improve student outcomes.
 - ii. Activities should support regional priorities and identified consortium professional development themes including, but not limited to: Collaboration, Evidence-Based Best Practices, Pathways and Alignment, Instruction for Postsecondary Skills Development, Technology, Contextualized Instruction, Support Services, and Postsecondary Transitions. Members may also be asked to host consortium meetings and professional development events
 - c. Fiscal and any designated program reporting due dates:

Reporting Period	Dates	Report Due from CAERC Member to Fiscal Agent
1	7/1/17 - 12/31/17	1/12/18
2	1/1/18 - 6/30/18	7/13/18

4. Develop workforce partnerships and the CAERC transition specialist network.
 - a. Transition specialist network activities and funding, in the amount of \$32,900 per year, is included in the CAERC Member total allocation for Fund C. The expenditure period for these funds is from July 1, 2017 through June 30, 2018.
 - b. The additional funding is specifically allocated to address the following AEBG objective:
 - i. **Objective 3: Integration & Seamless Transitions** - Plans for consortium members and partners to integrate existing programs and create seamless transitions into postsecondary education or the workforce.
 - ii. Activities should support the development of the CAERC transitional specialist network and the creation and/or enhancement of workforce partnerships
 - c. Fiscal and any designated program reporting due dates:

Reporting Period	Dates	Report Due from CAERC Member to Fiscal Agent
1	7/1/17 - 12/31/17	1/12/18
2	1/1/18 - 6/30/18	7/13/18

5. Submit other data as required by AB 104 and AEBG guidelines.
6. Submit reports and questions to the CAERC Office by email: caercsubmit@scoe.net.

7. Participate in monthly meetings and workgroups
 - a. Regular attendance is expected at monthly CAERC meetings and workgroup sessions.

VI. Term

This MOU Agreement shall be effective July 1, 2017 and ending on June 30, 2020. Either party may terminate this MOU with at least a sixty- (60) day written notice of intention to terminate this agreement. This agreement may also be terminated by CAERC officially designated members if it is determined a member is not compliant with the AEBG Allowable Uses Guide or for non-performance with fiscal and/or program reporting or as specified on the CAERC Governance Plan.

VII. Privacy

SCOE and all CAERC members will comply with all state and federal education privacy policies. SCOE and CAERC members will not disclose any personally identifiable information except upon written consent of the participating adult learners or as otherwise permitted by law.

VIII. Indemnity

CAERC Member agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless SCOE (including its directors, agents, officers and employees), from any claim, action, or proceeding arising from any actual or alleged acts or omissions of CAERC Member, its director, agents, officers, or employees relating to CAERC Member's duties and obligations described in this agreement or imposed by law.

SCOE agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless CAERC Member (including its directors, agents, officers and employees), from any claim, action, or proceeding arising from any actual or alleged acts or omissions of SCOE, its director, agents, officers, or employees relating to SCOE's duties and obligations described in this agreement or imposed by law.

It is the intention of the parties that this section imposes on each party responsibility to the other for the acts and omissions of their respective officials, employees, representatives, agents, subcontractors and volunteers, and that the provisions of comparative fault shall apply.

IX. Modification

Any changes to this MOU must be agreed to in writing by both parties. Should changes in legislation or the State budget occur that necessitate revision of this MOU, the CAERC Member and SCOE shall meet to revise accordingly.

X. Independent Agents

This MOU is by and between two independent agents, SCOE and CAERC Member, and is not intended to and shall not be construed to create the relationship of agent, servant, employee, partnership, joint venture and/or association between the two independent agents. The parties shall be expected to independently comply with all relevant laws, including those regarding worker's compensation.

XI. Nondiscrimination

Any service provided by either party pursuant to this MOU shall be without discrimination based on the actual or perceived race, religious creed, color, national origin, nationality, ethnicity, ethnic group identification, ancestry, age, marital status, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sex, or sexual orientation, in accordance with all applicable Federal and State laws and regulations.

XII. Insurance

Both parties shall maintain in full force Commercial Liability Insurance with limits of no less than \$1,000,000 per occurrence. Such requirement may be satisfied by coverage through a joint powers authority. Evidence of insurance coverage shall be furnished upon request by CAERC Member or by SCOE.

XIII. Execution of Agreement

This MOU may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. Photographic copies of such signed counterparts may be used in lieu of the originals for any purpose.

Diana Batista, Adult Education Director
Sacramento County Office of Education

CAERC Member
Center Joint Unified School District

Signature

Signature

Date

Date

Authorized Center Joint Unified School District
Representative

Signature

Printed Name

Title

Date

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Center Adult School

Action Item X

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item _____

Date: 7/10/2017

Attached Pages 0

From: Alyson Collier

Principal's Initials: 

SUBJECT

Designate David French as primary and Alyson Collier as alternate board approved CJUSD voting designees for the Capital Adult Education Regional Consortium.

The 2013-14 State Budget, under the auspices of Assembly Bill 86, appropriated \$25 million to the California Community College Chancellor's Office (CCCCO) to provide funding for two-year adult education planning and implementation grants. Those funds were then allocated to 70 regional consortiums across California, primarily based on Community College district boundaries.

In the Sacramento region, annual funding was allocated to Los Rios Community College District to establish and sustain the Capital Adult Education Regional Consortium (CAERC) of which Center JUSD is a member. Detailed information about CAERC is posted on the CAERC website at www.captitaladulthood.org. Sacramento County Office of Education (SCOE) was selected by members to serve as the CAERC fiscal agent. Center Joint Unified School District administration is recommending David French as primary and Alyson Collier as alternate be approved by the Board as CJUSD's official member representative to CAERC.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve

CONSENT AGENDA

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:	
Dept./Site: Instructional Services	Action Item <u> X </u>
To: Board of Trustees	Information Item <u> </u>
Date: August 16, 2017	# Attached Pages <u> </u>
From: Scott Loehr, Superintendent	
Principal/Administrator Initials: _____	

<p>SUBJECT: Agreement for Consulting Services Positive Behavioral and Supports</p> <p>This contract is for PBIS (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports) Training between Placer County Office of Education and Center Joint Unified School District.</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION: The CJUSD Board of Trustees approve the Agreement for Consulting Services - Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports.</p>
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CONSENT AGENDA



Placer County Office of Education
360 Nevada Street, Auburn, CA 95603
(530) 889-8020 • Fax (530) 886-5841 • www.placercoe.k12.ca.us
Gayle Garbolino-Mojica, County Superintendent of Schools

AGREEMENT FOR PCOE CONSULTING SERVICES

This agreement ("Agreement") for consulting services offered by the Placer County Office of Education (PCOE) is entered into between Gayle Garbolino-Mojica, Placer County Superintendent of Schools, in her capacity as the Chief Executive Officer of PCOE and Center Joint Unified School District ("Agency"). This Agreement is effective when signed by PCOE and Agency and for reference only is dated June 15, 2017.

1.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES

PCOE shall provide specialized consulting services to Agency as described below or (in Attachment A).

2.0 FEES

Agency shall pay a maximum amount to PCOE of \$14,500 as full payment for all specialized services set forth herein as described in Attachment A.

3.0 RECORDS

Any records shall be maintained and stored by the Agency as may be required by the Education Code or other legal mandate. Copies of records may also be maintained and stored by PCOE.

4.0 WORK PRODUCT

All work product including intellectual property, such as trade secrets and copyrights, documents, records, files and supporting data accumulated, prepared and/or distributed by PCOE within the course and scope of this Agreement shall be specified below the property of:

- a. PCOE _____
- b. Agency _____
- c. Not Applicable _____

5.0 TERM

The term of this Agreement shall be from July 1, 2017, through June 30, 2018.

6.0 TERMINATION

Either party may terminate this Agreement by giving the other party at least thirty (30) calendar days written notice. In the event of the early termination of this Agreement, PCOE shall be paid for all work performed and all reasonable expenses incurred up to and including the date of termination.

7.0 PAYMENT

PCOE will invoice Agency within thirty (30) calendar after services have been provided. Agency shall pay fees within thirty (30) after receiving an invoice from PCOE.

8.0 AMENDMENTS

Any amendments to this Agreement shall be in writing and signed by both parties.

9.0 STATUS OF CONSULTANT

The consulting services are being provided by PCOE salaried employee and not of the Agency. Any and all employer payroll tax and retirement related payments on behalf of individual are to be made by PCOE.

10.0 CERTIFICATION

The Agency shall be responsible for reviewing and verifying all data included in documents, forms, and reports prepared by PCOE on behalf of Agency. The Agency shall be responsible for meeting any certification requirements and if necessary, for consulting legal counsel as related to the preparation and submittal of documents, forms, and reports that PCOE prepares on behalf of Agency.

11.0 HOLD HARMLESS AND IDEMNIFICATION

Each party agrees to indemnify, defend and hold harmless the other party and its employees, officers, and agents from and against all liability or claims for injury or damage to persons or property arising out of or from the breach of this Agreement, or from any negligent or intentional acts or omissions of either party, its employees, officers, and agents, in connection with the performance of this Agreement.

12.0 ENTIRE AGREEMENT

This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement and understanding of the parties. There are no oral understandings, terms or conditions, and no party has relied upon any representation, express or implied, that are not otherwise contained in this Agreement. All prior understandings, terms or conditions are deemed merged into this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties do hereby certify that they are duly authorized to execute this Agreement.

PLACER COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS



Gayle Garboljho-Mojica

7/5/17

Date

AGENCY

Center Unified School District

Name of Agency

(Signature of Agency Representative)

Date

Title



Placer County Office of Education
 360 Nevada Street, Auburn, CA 95603
 (530) 889-8020 • Fax (530) 886-5841 • www.placercoe.k12.ca.us

Gayle Garbolino-Mojica, County Superintendent of Schools

Date: June 15, 2017

Attachment A – Fee Schedule

PCOE will provide Positive Behavioral Intervention and Supports to the following schools as outlined below.

Center Jt. Unified School District - PBIS Training Fees 2017-2018										
	Training Dates	# of Schools	Tier I - Cost per school	Total	Tier II Cost per School	Total	Tier III Cost per School	Total	Travel/ Technical Assistance Fee	
Wilson C. Riles	Day 1 9/6/17 Day 2 9/26/17 Day 3 11/7/17 Day 4 1/31/18	1	\$4,500	\$4,500					\$1,000	\$5,500
Oak Hill	Day 1 9/7/17 Day 2 10/17/17 Day 11/15/17 Day 1/9/18	1			\$4,500	\$4,500				\$4,500
Dudley	Day 1 9/19/17 Day 2 10/25/17 Day 3 1/25/18 Day 4 2/2/18	1					\$4,500	\$4,500		\$4,500
Total Annual Training Fee										\$14,500

Center Joint Unified School District

Dept./Site: Instructional Services	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Date: August 16, 2017	Action Item
To: Board of Trustees	Information Item <u> X </u>
From: Tami J'Beily Coordinator of Categoricals 	# Attached Pages 4

SUBJECT: Professional Service Agreement
CONSULTANT'S NAME: Document Tracking Services
SERVICES TO BE RENDERED: Provide document translation for Special Education Documents, Curriculum & Instruction Documents, And District/State Parent Notifications.
DATES OF SERVICE: July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018.
PAYMENT PER DAY: Determined by document length and language.
TOTAL AMT OF CONTRACT: As needed.
FUNDING SOURCE: 01-0000-0-5800-103-4760-1000-019-740
RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees approves Professional Services Agreement with Document Tracking Services.

CONSENT AGENDA



Center Joint Unified School District
 8408 Watt Avenue
 Antelope, California 95843

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This agreement for professional services is entered into this, 1st Day of July 2017 by and between the Center Joint Unified School District and the person(s) or firm described below, hereinafter described as CONTRACTOR. Persons performing services under this contract hold themselves out to be independent contractors, not employees of the DISTRICT, and hold(s) the DISTRICT harmless from claims under workers' compensation laws. CONTRACTOR further declares that he/she/it is/are in the business of providing the described service for any and all persons/organizations desiring such services, that such services are not provided exclusively for Center Unified School District. CONTRACTOR also holds the DISTRICT harmless from claims arising from loss, damage, or injury while performing the stipulated services.

*Contractor Name: Document Tracking Services
 Address: 10225 Barnes Canyon Rd, Suite A200, San Diego CA 92121
 Phone: 858-784-0967 Taxpayer ID#: _____

*Full description of services to be provided:
 Provide document translation services for Special Education, District notifications and documents as needed.

*Payment: Determined by document size and language needed. CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt of invoice or service, whichever is later.

*Beginning Date of Service: 7/1/2017 *Frequency of Service Dates: As Needed
 *Ending Date of Service: 6/30/2018

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)
 Variable Payroll- W-2 Generated (requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.)
 Accounts Payable-1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on pg. 2 of this form)

Total amount of this contract \$ _____ Budget # 01-0000-0-5200-103-4780-1000-018-740

Reason: Service cannot be provided by a District employee.

Signature of CONTRACTOR* [Signature] Date: 7/31/17
 Signature of District employee requesting service [Signature] Date: 7/31/17
 Signature of Accounting Supervisor: _____ Date: _____
 Date Board of Trustees Approved _____ Date: _____
 Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____ Date: _____

CONTRACT NOT VALID WITHOUT AUTHORIZED DISTRICT SIGNATURE

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.
Document Tracking Services, LLC

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes:
 Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC
 C Corporation
 S Corporation
 Partnership
 Trust/estate
 Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ **C**
 Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner.
 Other (see instructions) ▶

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):
 Exempt payee code (if any) _____
 Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____
(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)
10225 Barnes Canyon Road, A200

6 City, state, and ZIP code
San Diego, CA 92121

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I Instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Social security number								
			-					

or

Employer identification number									
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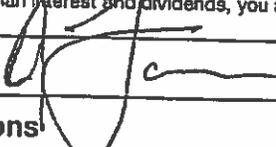
Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the Instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Signature of U.S. person ▶ 

Date ▶ 3/15/17

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.
 Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/fw9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See *What is backup withholding?* on page 2.

By signing the filled-out form, you:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued).
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
- Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.

**INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR OR EMPLOYEE?
DISTRICT GUIDELINES**

PART I

	YES	NO
1. Has this category of worker already been classified an "employee" by the IRS? Refer to page 1 for individuals listed in IRS Publication SWR 40 and others identified during the IRS compliance studies in San Diego County.		X
2. Is the individual working as an employee prescribed by the Education Code? Education Code sections 45100-45451/88000-88263 define what constitutes classified service and 44800-45060/87000-87333 define certificated service. The IRS predisposes an employer/employee relationship when state law mandates such a relationship.		X
3. Is the individual already an employee of the district in another capacity?		X
4. Has the individual performed substantially the same services for the district as an employee in the past? <i>Is the individual retired, returning to substitute, or train, etc.?</i>		X
5. Are there currently employees of the district doing substantially the same services as will be required of this individual?		X
6. Does the district have the legal right to control the method of performance by this individual? <i>Consider whether the district has to train this individual or give instruction as to when, where, how, and in what order to work. Does the district require the individual to submit reports or perform the services at a district site? These factors would indicate the district maintains control sufficient for an employer/employee relationship. However, it is <u>not necessary</u> that the district <u>exercise</u> this right or have the expertise required to do so. In many cases this would not be practical nor advisable.</i>		X
7. Are the services, as being provided, an integral part of school operations? Are the services being provided necessary to the operation of the school, program, project, etc.? This indicates the district has an interest in the method of performance and implies the maintenance of legal control.		X

If the answer to any of the above questions is "YES",

STOP HERE

Do not complete the rest of the questions. The individual is the district employee and must be paid and reported accordingly.

If all of the above are "NO", continue...

PART II

	YES	NO
8. Must the required service be performed by this individual? <i>Consider whether or not the individual may designate someone else to do the work without the district's knowledge or approval</i>		X
9. Does the district have a continuing relationship with this individual? <i>Is this a "one shot deal" or will the district continue to use this individual in the future? This could be on an infrequent or irregular basis but a continuous relationship exists.</i>		X
10. Can this relationship be terminated without the consent of <u>both parties</u> ? <i>Not an individual - various interpreters</i>	X	

If the answer to questions 8, 9, or 10 is "YES", there is a good possibility that an employment relationship exists. Questions 8 & 9 are indicators of district control that, in conjunction with other factors, imply an employment relationship. Go back to PART I and re-evaluate each question. If questions 1-7 are still all "NO", continue...

PART II - continued

	YES	NO
11. Does the individual operate an <u>independent</u> trade or business that is available to the general public? <i>A determining factor in judging independence is the performance of services to the general public. In evaluating this criteria, school districts are considered to be separate entities. Keep in mind: if the district is utilizing this individual's services on a full-time basis, the individual is <u>not</u> available to the general public. NOTE: Possession of a business license or incorporation does <u>not</u> automatically satisfy this requirement. The determination <u>must</u> be made on the actual <u>relationship</u> between the district and the individual performing services.</i>	X	
12. Does the individual have a substantial investment in his/her business, i.e. maintains a facility, equipment, etc.? <i>This is indicative of economic risk inherent in business enterprises. An independent contractor must be able to make a profit or sustain a loss.</i>	X	

If either 11 or 12 are "NO", the individual is a district employee

STOP HERE

and process the individual through payroll.

If 11 and 12 are both "YES", continue

	YES	NO
13. Does the individual provide all materials and support services necessary for the performance of this service? <i>The district should not be providing office space, clerical, secretarial, or any other support for this individual such as materials, xeroxing, printing, office supplies, etc. Any necessary assistants would be hired by the individual.</i>	X	
14. Is this paid by the job or on a commission?	X	
15. Does the individual bear the cost of any travel and business expenses incurred to perform this service? <i>Generally, these types of expenses are paid by an employer, however, some contracts provide for payment of airfare, mileage, etc. for consultants.</i>	X	

If 11 and 12 are "YES", 13 through 15 should also be "YES" and are items that should be written into the consultant contract. This individual is an independent contractor. A "YES" on questions 13 through 15 supports the district's conclusion and substantiates a "reasonable basis" for treatment as an independent contractor. While there are circumstances where the district might pay contractually provided expenses, these should be kept at a minimum to avoid giving the impression of an employment relationship.

Center Joint Unified School District

Dept./Site:	Instructional Services	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Date:	August 16, 2017	Action Item
To:	Board of Trustees	Information Item <u> X </u>
From:	Tami J'Beily Coordinator of Categoricals	# Attached Pages 4

SUBJECT: Professional Service Agreement

CONSULTANT'S NAME: Carmazzi Global Solutions

SERVICES TO BE RENDERED: Provide language interpreting services for parents/guardians for the classroom, IEPs, meetings or other related school activities.

DATES OF SERVICE: July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018.

PAYMENT PER DAY: \$105.00 per hour

TOTAL AMT OF CONTRACT: As needed.

FUNDING SOURCE: 01-0000-0-5800-103-4760-1000-019-740

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees approves Professional Services Agreement with Carmazzi Global Solutions, Inc.

CONSENT AGENDA



Center Unified School District
 8408 Watt Avenue
 Antelope, California 95843

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This agreement for professional services is entered into this 1st day of July, by and between the Center Unified School District and the person(s) or firm described below, hereinafter described as CONTRACTOR. Persons performing services under this contract hold themselves out to be independent contractors, not employees of the DISTRICT, and hold(s) the DISTRICT harmless from claims under workers' compensation laws. CONTRACTOR further declares that he/she/it is/are in the business of providing the described service for any and all persons/organizations desiring such services, that such services are not provided exclusively for Center Unified School District. CONTRACTOR also holds the DISTRICT harmless from claims arising from loss, damage, or injury while performing the stipulated services.

*Contractor Name: Carmazzi Global Solutions

1026 Florin Road, #384, Sacramento, CA 95831

Phone: (888) 452-6543 Taxpayer ID# 68-0557648

*Full description of services to be provided:

Provide interpreting services for students and/or parents for classroom, IEP, SST, and meetings or other related school activities. OPI Telephone Services (Over the Phone Interpretation Quick Access Porter)

*Payment \$ 105.00 per hour. CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt of invoice or service, whichever is later.

*Beginning Date of Service: 7/1/2017 *Frequency of Service Dates: *As needed

*Ending Date of Service: 6/30/2018

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)

Variable Payroll- W-2 Generated (requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.

Accounts Payable-1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on pg. 2 of this form)

Total amount of this contract \$ *see above Budget # 01-0000-0-5800-103-0000-7200-019-000

Reason service cannot be provided by a District employee:

Signature of CONTRACTOR *

Date: 08/11/2017

Signature of District employee requesting service:

Date: 8/11/17

Signature of Accounting Supervisor:

Date: _____

Date Board of Trustees Approved _____

Date: _____

Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____

Date: _____

CONTRACT NOT VALID WITHOUT AUTHORIZED DISTRICT SIGNATURE

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.

Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.	1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank. Carmazzi Inc	
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above Carmazzi Global Solutions	
	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ <small>Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner.</small> <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	
	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ <small>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</small>	
	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) 1026 Florin Road #384	
	6 City, state, and ZIP code Sacramento, CA 95831	
	7 List account number(s) here (optional)	

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

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or									
Employer identification number									
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Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign Here Signature of U.S. person ▶

Date ▶ **8/01/17**

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.
Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/fw9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

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- By signing the filled-out form, you:
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 2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
 3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
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**INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR OR EMPLOYEE?
DISTRICT GUIDELINES**

PART I

	YES	NO
1. Has this category of worker already been classified an "employee" by the IRS? Refer to page 1 for individuals listed in IRS Publication SWR 40 and others identified during the IRS compliance studies in San Diego County.		X
2. Is the individual working as an employee prescribed by the Education Code? Education Code sections 45100-45451/88000-88263 define what constitutes classified service and 44800-45060/87000-87333 define certificated service. The IRS predisposes an employer/employee relationship when state law mandates such a relationship.		X
3. Is the individual already an employee of the district in another capacity?		X
4. Has the individual performed substantially the same services for the district as an employee in the past? <i>Is the individual retired, returning to substitute, or train, etc.?</i>		X
5. Are there currently employees of the district doing substantially the same services as will be required of this individual?		X
6. Does the district have the legal right to control the method of performance by this individual? <i>Consider whether the district has to train this individual or give instruction as to when, where, how, and in what order to work. Does the district require the individual to submit reports or perform the services at a district site? These factors would indicate the district maintains control sufficient for an employer/employee relationship. However, it is <u>not necessary</u> that the district <u>exercise</u> this right or have the expertise required to do so. In many cases this would not be practical nor advisable.</i>		X
7. Are the services, as being provided, an integral part of school operations? Are the services being provided necessary to the operation of the school, program, project, etc.? This indicates the district has an interest in the method of performance and implies the maintenance of legal control.		X

If the answer to any of the above questions is "YES",

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If all of the above are "NO", continue...

PART II

	YES	NO
8. Must the required service be performed by this individual? Consider whether or not the individual may designate someone else to do the work without the district's knowledge or approval		X
9. Does the district have a continuing relationship with this individual? Is this a "one shot deal" or will the district continue to use this individual in the future? This could be on an infrequent or irregular basis but a continuous relationship exists. <i>Not an individual - various interpreters</i>		X
10. Can this relationship be terminated without the consent of both parties?	X	

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PART II - continued

	YES	NO
<p>11. Does the individual operate an <u>independent</u> trade or business that is available to the general public?</p> <p><i>A determining factor in judging independence is the performance of services to the general public. In evaluating this criteria, school districts are considered to be separate entities. Keep in mind: if the district is utilizing this individual's services on a full-time basis, the individual is <u>not</u> available to the general public. NOTE: Possession of a business license or incorporation does <u>not</u> automatically satisfy this requirement. The determination <u>must</u> be made on the actual <u>relationship</u> between the district and the individual performing services.</i></p>	X	
<p>12. Does the individual have a substantial investment in his/her business, i.e. maintains a facility, equipment, etc.?</p> <p><i>This is indicative of economic risk inherent in business enterprises. An independent contractor must be able to make a profit or sustain a loss.</i></p>	X	

If either 11 or 12 are "NO", the individual is a district employee

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and process the individual through payroll.

If 11 and 12 are both "YES", continue

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<p>13. Does the individual provide all materials and support services necessary for the performance of this service?</p> <p><i>The district should not be providing office space, clerical, secretarial, or any other support for this individual such as materials, xeroxing, printing, office supplies, etc. Any necessary assistants would be hired by the individual.</i></p>	X	
<p>14. Is this paid by the job or on a commission?</p>	X	
<p>15. Does the individual bear the cost of any travel and business expenses incurred to perform this service?</p> <p><i>Generally, these types of expenses are paid by an employer, however, some contracts provide for payment of airfare, mileage, etc. for consultants.</i></p>	X	

If 11 and 12 are "YES", 13 through 15 should also be "YES" and are items that should be written into the consultant contract. This individual is an independent contractor. A "YES" on questions 13 through 15 supports the district's conclusion and substantiates a "reasonable basis" for treatment as an independent contractor. While there are circumstances where the district might pay contractually provided expenses, these should be kept at a minimum to avoid giving the impression of an employment relationship.

Center Joint Unified School District

Dept./Site:	Instructional Services	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Date:	August 16, 2017	Action Item
To:	Board of Trustees	Information Item <u> X </u>
From:	Tami J'Beily Coordinator of Categoricals 	# Attached Pages <u> 4 </u>

SUBJECT: Professional Service Agreement

CONSULTANT'S NAME: Eaton Interpreting Services, Inc.

SERVICES TO BE RENDERED: Provide American Sign Language services to deaf/hard hearing parents/guardians for the classroom, IEPs, meetings or other related school activities.

DATES OF SERVICE: July 1, 2017 – June 30, 2018.

PAYMENT PER DAY: \$52.50 per hour; \$62.50 evenings/weekends.

TOTAL AMT OF CONTRACT: As needed.

FUNDING SOURCE: 01-0000-0-5800-103-4760-1000-019-740

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees approves Professional Services Agreement with Eaton Interpreting Services, Inc.

CONSENT AGENDA



Center Joint Unified School District
 8408 Watt Avenue
 Antelope, California 95843

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This agreement for professional services is entered into this, 1st Day of July 2017 by and between the Center Joint Unified School District and the person(s) or firm described below, hereinafter described as CONTRACTOR. Persons performing services under this contract hold themselves out to be independent contractors, not employees of the DISTRICT, and hold(s) the DISTRICT harmless from claims under workers' compensation laws. CONTRACTOR further declares that he/she/it is/are in the business of providing the described service for any and all persons/organizations desiring such services, that such services are not provided exclusively for Center Unified School District. CONTRACTOR also holds the DISTRICT harmless from claims arising from loss, damage, or injury while performing the stipulated services.

*Contractor Name: Eaton Interpreting Services, Inc

Address: 8333 Olivine Avenue, Citrus Heights CA 95610

Phone: 916-721-3636 Taxpayer ID# 20-0448077

*Full description of services to be provided:

Provide American Sign Language interpreting services to Deaf students and/or parents for the classroom, IEP's, meetings or other related school activities.

*Payment \$ 52.50 per hour. *** \$62.50 for evenings and weekend services.

CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt of invoice or service, whichever is later.

*Beginning Date of Service: 7/1/2017 *Frequency of Service Dates: As Needed

*Ending Date of Service: 6/30/2018

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)

Variable Payroll- W-2 Generated (requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.

Accounts Payable-1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on pg. 2 of this form)

Total amount of this contract \$ _____ Budget # 01-0000-0-5800-103-4760-1000-019-740

Reason service cannot be provided by a District employee:

Signature of CONTRACTOR * Kim Eaton

Date: * 7/31/17

Signature of District employee requesting service: [Signature]

Date: 7/31/17

Signature of Accounting Supervisor: _____

Date: _____

Date Board of Trustees Approved _____

Date: _____

Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____

Date: _____

CONTRACT NOT VALID WITHOUT AUTHORIZED DISTRICT SIGNATURE

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.**

Print or type See Specific Instructions on page 2.	1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank. EATON INTERPRETING SERVICES, INC.	
	2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
	3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> C Corporation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> S Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Trust/estate <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner. <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	
	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ (Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)	
	5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) 8333 OLIVINE AVENUE	Requester's name and address (optional)
	6 City, state, and ZIP code CITRUS HEIGHTS, CA 95610	
	7 List account number(s) here (optional)	

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶ <i>Kim Eaton</i>	Date ▶ <i>7/26/2017</i>
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/fw9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
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- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
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- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
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Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See *What is backup withholding?* on page 2.

By signing the filled-out form, you:

- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
- Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
- Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.

**INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR OR EMPLOYEE?
DISTRICT GUIDELINES**

PART I

	YES	NO
1. Has this category of worker already been classified an "employee" by the IRS? Refer to page 1 for individuals listed in IRS Publication SWR 40 and others identified during the IRS compliance studies in San Diego County.		X
2. Is the individual working as an employee prescribed by the Education Code? Education Code sections 45100-45451/88000-88263 define what constitutes classified service and 44800-45060/87000-87333 define certificated service. The IRS predisposes an employer/employee relationship when state law mandates such a relationship.		X
3. Is the individual already an employee of the district in another capacity?		X
4. Has the individual performed substantially the same services for the district as an employee in the past? <i>Is the individual retired, returning to substitute, or train, etc.?</i>		X
5. Are there currently employees of the district doing substantially the same services as will be required of this individual?		X
6. Does the district have the legal right to control the method of performance by this individual? <i>Consider whether the district has to train this individual or give instruction as to when, where, how, and in what order to work. Does the district require the individual to submit reports or perform the services at a district site? These factors would indicate the district maintains control sufficient for an employer/employee relationship. However, it is <u>not necessary</u> that the district <u>exercise</u> this right or have the expertise required to do so. In many cases this would not be practical nor advisable.</i>		X
7. Are the services, as being provided, an integral part of school operations? Are the services being provided necessary to the operation of the school, program, project, etc.? This indicates the district has an interest in the method of performance and implies the maintenance of legal control.		X

If the answer to any of the above questions is "YES",

STOP HERE

Do not complete the rest of the questions. The individual is the district employee and must be paid and reported accordingly.

If all of the above are "NO", continue...

PART II

	YES	NO
8. Must the required service be performed by this individual? <i>Consider whether or not the individual may designate someone else to do the work without the district's knowledge or approval</i>		X
9. Does the district have a continuing relationship with this individual? <i>Is this a "one shot deal" or will the district continue to use this individual in the future? This could be on an infrequent or irregular basis but a continuous relationship exists.</i>		X
10. Can this relationship be terminated without the consent of <u>both</u> parties? <i>Not an individual - various interpreters</i>	X	

If the answer to questions 8, 9, or 10 is "YES", there is a good possibility that an employment relationship exists. Questions 8 & 9 are indicators of district control that, in conjunction with other factors, imply an employment relationship. Go back to PART I and re-evaluate each question. If questions 1-7 are still all "NO", continue...

PART II - continued

	YES	NO
11. Does the individual operate an <u>independent</u> trade or business that is available to the general public? <i>A determining factor in judging independence is the performance of services to the general public. In evaluating this criteria, school districts are considered to be separate entities. Keep in mind: if the district is utilizing this individual's services on a full-time basis, the individual is <u>not</u> available to the general public. NOTE: Possession of a business license or incorporation does <u>not</u> automatically satisfy this requirement. The determination <u>must</u> be made on the actual <u>relationship</u> between the district and the individual performing services.</i>	X	
12. Does the individual have a substantial investment in his/her business, i.e. maintains a facility, equipment, etc.? <i>This is indicative of economic risk inherent in business enterprises. An independent contractor must be able to make a profit or sustain a loss.</i>	X	

If either 11 or 12 are "NO", the individual is a district employee

STOP HERE

and process the individual through payroll.

If 11 and 12 are both "YES", continue

	YES	NO
13. Does the individual provide all materials and support services necessary for the performance of this service? <i>The district should not be providing office space, clerical, secretarial, or any other support for this individual such as materials, xeroxing, printing, office supplies, etc. Any necessary assistants would be hired by the individual.</i>	X	
14. Is this paid by the job or on a commission?	X	
15. Does the individual bear the cost of any travel and business expenses incurred to perform this service? <i>Generally, these types of expenses are paid by an employer, however, some contracts provide for payment of airfare, mileage, etc. for consultants.</i>	X	

If 11 and 12 are "YES", 13 through 15 should also be "YES" and are items that should be written into the consultant contract. This individual is an independent contractor. A "YES" on questions 13 through 15 supports the district's conclusion and substantiates a "reasonable basis" for treatment as an independent contractor. While there are circumstances where the district might pay contractually provided expenses, these should be kept at a minimum to avoid giving the impression of an employment relationship.

Center Joint Unified School District

Dept./Site: Instructional Services	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Date: August 16, 2017	Action Item
To: Board of Trustees	Information Item <u> X </u>
From: Tami J'Beily Coordinator of Fed/State Programs	124 Attached Pages

SUBJECT: Approve the 2017-18 Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP)
RECOMMENDATION: The Center Joint Unified School District Board of Trustees approve the 2017-18 LCAP

CONSENT AGENDA

LCAP Year 2017-18 2018-19 2019-20

Local Control Accountability Plan and Annual Update (LCAP) Template

[Addendum](#): General instructions & regulatory requirements.

[Appendix A](#): Priorities 5 and 6 Rate Calculations

[Appendix B](#): Guiding Questions: Use as prompts (not limits)

[LCFF Evaluation Rubrics](#): Essential data to support completion of this LCAP. Please analyze the LEA's full data set; specific links to the rubrics are also provided within the template.

LEA Name	Center Joint Unified School District		
Contact Name and Title	Scott A. Loehr Superintendent	Email and Phone	sloehr@centerusd.org (916) 338-6409

2017-20 Plan Summary

THE STORY

Briefly describe the students and community and how the LEA serves them.

The Center Joint Unified School District serves a diverse population of students with the mission that students will realize their dreams by developing communication skills, reasoning, integrity, and motivation through academic excellence, a well rounded education, and being active citizens of our diverse community.

The CJUSD student population is 15% English Learner and 61% socioeconomically disadvantaged. Ethnic make-up is as follows: 45.28% white, 25.82% Hispanic, 11.18% Black/African American, 8.95% Asian Two or more races 6.96%, native Hawaiian 1.04%, American Indian 0.77%.

CJUSD has seven schools serving 4,464 students in Pre-K through grade 12. CJUSD is comprised of four elementary schools serving grades K-6: Cyril Spinelli, Arthur S. Dudley, North Country, Oak Hill. All four elementary schools feed into Wilson C. Riles Middle School, serving grades 7-8. CJUSD two high schools. Center High is a 9-12 comprehensive high school. McClellan High is a continuation high school.

LCAP HIGHLIGHTS

Identify and briefly summarize the key features of this year's LCAP.

Working closely with stakeholders throughout the district, 3 goals have been identified for focus within the next three years.

GOAL 1: Center JUSD students will be challenged and supported to achieve academic success in a clean, safe environment through Multi Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS)
Actions/Services (pp. 50-84)

GOAL 2: Center JUSD students will be college and career ready through Multi Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS)
Actions/Services (pp. 85-96)

GOAL 3: Center JUSD students and families will be engaged and informed regarding the educational process and

opportunities through Multi Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) Actions/Services (pp. 97-107)

Through analysis of our state and local data and input from staff and stakeholders we identified focus areas that need to be addressed to achieve our district mission: Students will realize their dreams by developing communication skills, reasoning, integrity, and motivation through academic excellence, a well rounded education, and being active citizens of our diverse community.

Based on this process, the actions and services in the LCAP fell into the following areas of influence:

1. Academic achievement in ELA and math
2. College & Career Readiness
3. Parental engagement

Key LCAP actions to support these areas are:

MTSS: Data has shown we were not meeting the academic, social and emotional needs of all students. With each site having their own system of support, the district realized the need for a comprehensive plan with consistent language, defined tiers of support and site/teacher expectations. District established a team with administrative representation from each school site, Special Education and the Family Resource Center. Through collaborative conversation, California Scale Up MTSS Statewide (SUMS) training, and the application of the SUMS grant, district team decided MTSS most appropriate approach to meet the academic needs and support parental engagement.

Expansion of College & Career: Opportunities have been expanded at the high school level and and continue to expand through elementary and middle school programs, feeding into established high school programs.

REVIEW OF PERFORMANCE

Based on a review of performance on the state indicators and local performance indicators included in the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, progress toward LCAP goals, local self-assessment tools, stakeholder input, or other information, what progress is the LEA most proud of and how does the LEA plan to maintain or build upon that success? This may include identifying any specific examples of how past increases or improvements in services for low-income students, English learners, and foster youth have led to improved performance for these students.

GREATEST PROGRESS

CJUSD is proud to expand Multi Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS). MTSS enables us to address the needs of all students, making a greater impact on learning and social and emotional growth. MTSS does the following:

- ~Creates systemic change through intentional design and redesign of services and support to quickly identify and match the needs of all students
- ~Aligns accademic, behavioral and social-emotional learning in a fully integrated system of support for the benefit of all students
- ~Implements multi-tiered, evidence-based, data-driven districtwide and schoolwide systems of academic, behavioral and social support

Referring to the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, identify any state indicator or local performance indicator for which overall performance was in the "Red" or "Orange" performance category or where the LEA received a "Not Met" or "Not Met for Two or More Years" rating. Additionally, identify any areas that the LEA has determined need significant improvement based on review of local performance indicators or other local indicators. What steps is the LEA planning to take to address these areas with the greatest need for improvement?

**GREATEST
NEEDS**

Center JUSD did not receive a red or orange overall rating on any state indicators. However, we are working hard to increase reading achievement at all grade levels. District will continue to provide Professional Development and ongoing teacher collaboration to support the newly adopted standards based ELA curriculum. All sites have intervention in place to identify student needs and fill in the learning gaps.

Referring to the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, identify any state indicator for which performance for any student group was two or more performance levels below the “all student” performance. What steps is the LEA planning to take to address these performance gaps?

PERFORMANCE GAPS

Although Center JUSD received an overall yellow rating on the English/Language Arts and math State Indicators, we recognize there are performance gaps for our students with disabilities and African American students. We are addressing this need through the actions in Goal 1, providing purposeful professional development to ensure high quality instruction, targeted intervention with purposeful assessments and multi levels of support.

Although Center JUSD received an overall green rating on graduation rate, we do recognize a performance gap for students with disabilities, socioeconomically disadvantaged students and Hispanic students. The primary actions in Goal 2 focus on developing and expanding opportunities for students at the high school level which in turn will influence graduation rates. The switch to an 8 period Block schedule and the changes to graduation requirements, will increase a-g completion. The expansion of CTE courses have provided varied paths for students to stay engaged and earn a diploma. Additionally, we are being proactive in our efforts to engage students early by creating feeder programs that support several CTE programs.

Although Center JUSD received an overall yellow rating on suspension rates, we do recognize a performance gap for American Indian students. We are addressing the need to reduce suspension rates for all students through Multi Tiered Systems of Supports (MTSS) which encompass PBIS and Restorative Practices. We are improving first time instructional practices through high quality first instruction.

INCREASED OR IMPROVED SERVICES

If not previously addressed, identify the two to three most significant ways that the LEA will increase or improve services for low-income students, English learners, and foster youth.

Center JUSD is focusing on supporting the needs of our unduplicated population through professional development and intervention to effectively implement newly adopted curriculum. Throughout the district, school sites focused on intervention and supporting Long Term English Learners (LTELs). We have worked hard to implement Multi-tiered Student Support (MTSS).

BUDGET SUMMARY

Complete the table below. LEAs may include additional information or more detail, including graphics.

DESCRIPTION

AMOUNT

Total General Fund Budget Expenditures for LCAP Year

\$45,768,164

Total Funds Budgeted for Planned Actions/Services to Meet the Goals in the LCAP for LCAP Year

\$29,275,401

The LCAP is intended to be a comprehensive planning tool but may not describe all General Fund Budget Expenditures. Briefly describe any of the General Fund Budget Expenditures specified above for the LCAP year not included in the LCAP.

General Fund budget expenditures not shown in the LCAP are general operating costs such as transportation, maintenance, facilities, and contracts with service providers. Most funding passed directly through to school sites such as Lottery, supply, and athletics allocations are not included. Salaries and benefits for administrators, managers, non-academic support staff, except for the continuation high school staff, and substitutes are also not a part of the plan. Finally, contributions to other funds are not included in the LCAP.

\$39,635,292

Total Projected LCFF Revenues for LCAP Year

Annual Update

LCAP Year Reviewed: 2016-17

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's goals from the prior year LCAP. Duplicate the table as needed.

Goal 1

GOAL 1: Center JUSD students will be challenged and supported to achieve academic success in a clean, safe environment

State and/or Local Priorities Addressed by this goal:

STATE	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2	<input type="checkbox"/>	3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5	<input type="checkbox"/>	6	<input type="checkbox"/>	7	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	8
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LOCAL																

ANNUAL MEASURABLE OUTCOMES

EXPECTED

- Common Core State Standards and ELD standards and Next Generation Science Standards are being implemented in all CJUSD classrooms and measured by district and site personnel through classroom walk throughs and observations using observation tool.
- Increase the percentage of students who meet or exceed standards on the CAASPP in ELA by 5%
 ELA: (2014-15)
 3rd Grade: 22% (67/304) Standards Met, 11.2% (34/304) Standards Exceeded
 4th Grade: 27.4% (82/299) Standards Met, 17.4% (52/299) Standards Exceeded
 5th Grade: 30.6% (87/284) Standards Met, 12.7% (36/284) Standards Exceeded
 6th Grade: 33.9% (92/271) Standards Met, 7.4% (20/271) Standards Exceeded
 7th Grade: 31.1% (88/283) Standards Met, 10.6% (30/283) Standards Exceeded
 8th Grade: 32.6% (89/273) Standards Met, 4.8% (13/273) Standards Exceeded
 11th Grade: 32.8% (102/311) Standards Met, 19.3% (60/311) Standards Exceeded

ACTUAL

Common Core State Standards, ELD standards and Next Generation science Standards are being implemented in all CJUSD classrooms and measured by district and site personnel through classroom walk-throughs and observations using observation tool.

Grades 3rd, 6th, 8th and 11th reached goal to increase percentage of students who meet or exceed standards on the CAASPP in ELA by 5%. 4th and 5th grade shows a decline in students who meet/exceed ELA standards, no growth made in 7th grade.

ELA CAASPP Results: (2015-16)
 3rd Grade: 6.8% growth in students meeting or exceeding standards 21.4% (55/257) Standards Met, 18.6% (48/257) Standards Exceeded
 4th Grade: 7.8% decline in students meeting or exceeding standards 24% (74/308) Standards Met, 13.3% (41/308) Standards Exceeded
 5th Grade: 0.7% decline in students meeting or exceeding standards 30% (88/293) Standards Met, 12.6% (37/293) Standards Exceeded
 6th Grade: 8.8% growth in students meeting or exceeding standards 35% (97/277) Standards Met, 15.1% (42/277) Standards Exceeded
 7th Grade: 0.2% decline in students meeting or exceeding standards 33.2% (96/289) Standards Met, 8.3% (24/289) Standards Exceeded

- Increase the percentage of students who meet or exceed standards on the CAASPP in math by 5%

MATH: (2014-15)

3rd Grade: 23.4% (71/304) Standards Met, 5.3% (16/304) Standards Exceeded

4th Grade: 29.9% (89/298) Standards Met, 7.7% (23/298) Standards Exceeded

5th Grade: 15.5% (44/284) Standards Met, 4.2% (12/284) Standards Exceeded

6th Grade: 19.2% (52/271) Standards Met, 7.7% (21/271) Standards Exceeded

7th Grade: 27.3% (77/282) Standards Met, 14.5% (41/282) Standards Exceeded

8th Grade: 20.8% (57/274) Standards Met, 8% (22/274) Standards Exceeded

11th Grade: 25.6% (77/301) Standards Met, 11.3% (34/301) Standards Exceeded

8th Grade: 14.3% increase in students meeting or exceeding standards
39% (95/243) Standards Met, 12.7% (31/243) Standards Exceeded

11th Grade: 8.5% increase in students meeting or exceeding standards
36.2% (105/290) Standards Met, 24.4% (71/290) Standards Exceeded

Grades 3rd, 6th & 8th reached goal to increase percentage of students who meet or exceed standards on the CAASPP in math by 5%. 4th & 7th grades shows a decline in students who meet/exceed math standards, 5th & 11th grades shows slight increase

MATH CAASPP Results: (2015-16)

3rd Grade: 13.6% increase in students meeting or exceeding standards
29.5% (76/257) Standards Met, 12.8% (33/257) Standards Exceeded

4th Grade: 11.1% decrease in students meeting or exceeding standards
21% (65/309) Standards Met, 5.5% (17/309) Standards Exceeded

5th Grade: 3.4% increase in students meeting or exceeding standards
15.6% (46/293) Standards Met, 7.5% (22/293) Standards Exceeded

6th Grade: 5.4% increase in students meeting or exceeding standards
21.2% (59/277) Standards Met, 11.1% (31/277) Standards Exceeded

7th Grade: 4.2% decrease in students meeting or exceeding standards
27.3% (79/289) Standards Met, 10.3% (30/289) Standards Exceeded

8th Grade: 20.7% increase in students meeting or exceeding standards
26.4% (64/242) Standards Met, 23.1% (56/242) Standards Exceeded

11th Grade: 4.6% increase in students meeting or exceeding standards
22.7% (65/286) Standards Met, 18.8% (54/286) Standards Exceeded

Title III AMAOs no longer reported. Replacing with EL Progress Indicator from CDE Dashboard (measures EL students who progressed 1 year on CELDT and number students reclassified previous year (15-16)

EL Progress Indicator: Yellow rating, 72.8%

CJUSD reclassified 25 students in 2016-17 at 3.8% reclassification rate

CJUSD reclassified 117 students in 2015-16 at 16.5% reclassification rate

- API calculation suspended, baseline established once reinstated
- Maintain 65% rate of EL students meeting English proficiency and annual growth, 2014-15 65% EL students met English Proficiency (AMAO 1)
- Maintain 15% reclassification of EL students, 2014-15 16.5% of EL students reclassified, exceeding state average

K-2 BENCHMARKS

- Increase percentage of K-2 students achieving proficiency in ELA by 2%

FLUENCY

Kindergarten: 56% can correctly identify 10 high frequency words

1st Grade: 51% are reading at a fluent rate of 60 WPM or greater

Second Grade: 70% are reading at a fluent rate of 95 WPM or greater

WRITING at grade level

Kindergarten

Focus: 85%, Organization: 78%, Grammar & Usage: 62%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 59%

1st Grade:

Focus: 83%, Organization: 77%, Support: 77%, Grammar & Usage: 68%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 68%,

2nd Grade:

Focus: 74%, Organization: 65%, Support: 60%, Grammar & Usage: 67%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 63%,

- Increase percentage of K-2 students achieving proficiency in mathematics by 2%

MATH

Kindergarten: 43% have an understanding of basic facts within 5, 80% have a complete understanding of counting and cardinality

1st Grade: 36% have an understanding of basic facts within 10, 40% have a complete understanding of sums and differences to 10.

K-2 BENCHMARKS

FLUENCY

Kindergarten: 57.8% can correctly identify 10 high frequency words. This indicates a 1.8% increase

1st Grade: 5% are reading at a fluent rate of 82 WPM or greater. This indicates a 46% decline. (Chg reading program/chg fluency target)

2nd Grade: 15% are reading at a fluent rate of 117 WPM or greater. This indicates a 55% decline (chg reading program/chg fluency)

WRITING

Kindergarten: Focus: 85.7%, Organization: 82.5%, Grammar & Usage: 58.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 48.5%

1st Grade: Focus: 62.9%, Organization: 58.9%, Support: 57.6%, Grammar & Usage: 51.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 39.8%,

2nd Grade: Focus: 66.1%, Organization: 51.3%, Support: 53.3%, Grammar & Usage: 50.9%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 50.2%

MATH

Kindergarten: 44.7% have an understanding of basic facts within 5, indicating a 1.7% increase. 70.1% have a complete understanding of counting and cardinality, indicating a 9.9% decline.

1st Grade: 33.6% have an understanding of of basic facts within 10, indicating a 2.4% decline. 66% have a complete understanding of sums and differences to 10, indicating a 26% increase

2nd Grade: 64.8% have an understanding of basic facts within 20, indicating a 35.8% increase, 58.3% have complete understanding of sums and differences to 20, indicating 4.7% decline

1% of teachers misassigned (4/208)

100% of students have access to standards aligned curriculum as certified by the CJUSD Board of Trustees

100% of schools passed the Facilities Inspection

2nd Grade: 29% have an understanding of basic facts within 20,
:63% have complete understanding of sums and differences to 20.

- Teacher mis-assignment will not exceed 4%
- Provide 100% of students access to standards aligned materials as certified by the CJUSD Board of Trustees
- 100% of schools will pass the Facilities Inspection within 30 days
- Increase students served through ERMHS, increase daily attendance of students served through ERMHS by 1%, increase GPA of students served through ERMHS by 1%

Students served, 2015-16: 62
Daily Attendance, 2015-16: 93%
Average GPA, 2015-16: 2.24

ERMHS

Students served: 69
Daily Attendance, 2016-17: 93%
Average GPA 2016-17: 2.09

ACTIONS / SERVICES

Duplicate the Actions/Services from the prior year LCAP and complete a copy of the following table for each. Duplicate the table as needed.

Action 1	<p>PLANNED K-12 teachers will use the California State Standards in ELA, ELD, Literacy, History, Social Studies, Science and Technical Subjects. K-12 Teachers will use the California State Standards in mathematics.</p>	<p>ACTUAL K-12 teachers continue to use the California State Standards in ELA, ELD, Literacy, History, Social Studies, Science and Technical Subjects. K-12 Teachers will use the California State Standards in mathematics.</p>
Actions/Services		
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$13,510,839 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$2,134,442 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Special Education \$2,612,404 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Special Education \$412,708 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$371,996 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$58,768</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$9,451,579 Resource 0000 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$2,975,739 Resource 1400 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$4,312,894 Resource 1400 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$1,298,023 Resource 6500 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Special Education \$2,950,893 Resource 6500 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Special Education \$823,259 Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$243,700 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$58,323</p>
Action 2	<p>PLANNED Purchase K-12 English/Language Arts Common Core and ELD aligned curriculum</p>	<p>ACTUAL K-8 ELA and ELD curriculum purchased May 2016. 9-12 ELA curriculum for McClellan HS purchased in May 2016. High School curriculum purchased in June 2017.</p>
Actions/Services		
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Base \$1,000,000</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 0000 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Base \$300,000</p>
Action 3	<p>PLANNED K-12 Teachers will access choices of Professional Development to support the implementation of newly purchased English/Language Arts and ELD curriculum</p>	<p>ACTUAL Entered into an MOU with Sacramento County Office of Education that offered professional development in K-6 Wonders through a cadre and after hours professional development. The purpose of the cadre is to provide onsite</p>
Actions/Services		

		curriculum support. Grade 7-8 teachers received Study Sync publisher support to help implement the curriculum.
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 4035 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Federal Funds \$10,000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Federal Funds \$34,760 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Federal Funds \$5,685</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 4035 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Federal Funds \$8,000 Resource 4035 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Federal Funds \$8,577 Resource 4035 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Federal Funds \$1,355</p>
Action	4	
Actions/Services	<p>PLANNED Provide BTSA support to new teachers</p>	<p>ACTUAL Supported 19 new teachers through the Teacher Induction Program (formerly known as BTSA)</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 4035 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Federal Funds \$33,760 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Federal Funds \$5,526 5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Federal Funds \$10,000</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 4035 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Federal Funds \$32,850 Resource 4035 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Federal Funds \$5,190 Resource 4035 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Federal Funds \$34,200</p>
Action	5	
Actions/Services	<p>PLANNED District will work closely with site administrators to reduce or eliminate the need for combination classes.</p>	<p>ACTUAL Reduced combination classes to only one: K/1 at Oak Hill Elementary</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$136,000 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$21,486</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$130,405 Resource 0000 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$29,914</p>
Action	6	
Actions/Services	<p>PLANNED McClellan HS will provide support classes: Success, Study Skills and Math Lab Site Admin will regularly meet with struggling students to provide individualized support and guidance in achieving greater academic success</p>	<p>ACTUAL McClellan HS: ~served 31 students in Success Class ~served 27 students in Study Skills ~added Intervention period serving 26 students ~did not offer Math Lab in 2016-17</p>

		<p>School counselor met with targeted students individually 3-4 days a week and in once-a-week support groups for juniors and seniors, serving 29 students over the course of the school year</p> <p>Principal met with targeted students 2 or 3 times a week, serving 47 students over the course of the school year</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000 / Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$24,605 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$3,887</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 1400 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$35,507 Resource 1400 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$9,304 Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$15,915 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$2,809</p>
Action	7	
Actions/Services	<p>PLANNED Center HS will provide support classes: Math Lab, English lab, and Summer School program</p>	<p>ACTUAL CHS served 184 students in 8 sections of Math Lab and 48 students in 2 sections of English Lab</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000 / Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$52,000 Resource 0000 / Dept 740 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$8,215</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 1400 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$120,702 Resource 1400 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$29,171</p>
Action	8	
Actions/Services	<p>PLANNED Wilson Riles Middle School will provide support: Math Support Class, EL Support Class, PAWS period during the school day and Husky Help after school</p>	<p>ACTUAL Riles provided 2 sections of math support and 4 sections EL Support Classes, 54 minutes per day</p> <p>Riles provided additional support during the school day through PAWS and after school through Husky Help. Individual students took advantage of both supports as needed throughout the year.</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL</p>

Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$59,000
 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$9,307

Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$40,416
 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$9,578
 Resource 0000/Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$63,630
 Resource 0000/Dept 740 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$21,043

Action **9**

Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Oak Hill Elementary will provide after school intervention for grades 1st-6th in English/Language Arts and 3rd-6th in math

ACTUAL
 Oak Hill provided after school intervention two times per week for 1 hour each session, serving 77 students in ELA and 52 students in math

Expenditures

BUDGETED
 Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$20,000
 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$3,160

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
 Resource 0000, Goal 1431, Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$27,339
 Resource 0000, Goal 1431, Dept 740 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$4,319

Action **10**

Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Spinelli Elementary will provide morning intervention for grades 1st-6th in English/Language Arts and Math. Title I push in and pull out support for grades K-6th in English/Language Arts and math.

ACTUAL
 Spinelli provided:
 ~Morning intervention 5 days a week for 60 minutes each day, serving 12 students
 ~Push-in support to 101 students, 4-5 times per week in increments from 30 minutes to 5.5 hours depending on individualized student need
 ~Pull-out support to 26 students. 4-5 times per week in increments of 30 minutes to 2.6 hours depending on individualized student need

Expenditures

BUDGETED
 Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$40,266
 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$6,848

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
 Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$115,116
 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$19,905
 Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$32,014
 Resource 0000 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$5,697

Action **11**

<p>Actions/Services</p>	<p>PLANNED North Country will provide morning intervention for grades 1st-6th in English/Language Arts and Title I pull out for grades 1st-6th in English/Language Arts.</p>	<p>ACTUAL North Country provided: ~Morning intervention 3 days per week (M,W, TH), one hour before school serving 65 students ~ Deployment Intervention occurred 4 days a week, 30 minutes each day, serving 528 students in grades 1-6 ~average number of students served specifically by Title I staff is 198, daily numbers shift throughout the year depending on frequent assessment results</p>
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<p>Expenditures</p>	<p>BUDGETED Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$83,284 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$21,339</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$45,535 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$8,901 Resource 3010 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Title I \$56,485 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$17,315</p>
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Action **12**

<p>Actions/Services</p>	<p>PLANNED Dudley will provide Intervention, within the school day, in grades K-6. Intervention occurs two ways: during a 30 minute Intervention Rotation and during a 30 minute Workshop. Teachers are able to provide support to targeted groups as well as to individuals using this strategy. Qualifying for Intervention support is related to local common assessments. Title I staff push in to classrooms to provide support to students. This push-in support may occur during direct instruction, independent practice, workshop, and/or Intervention rotation. This support can be in ELA or Math.</p>	<p>ACTUAL Dudley provided: ~intervention to 476 students 5 times per week, 30 minutes per day</p>
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<p>Expenditures</p>	<p>BUDGETED Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$101,084 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$21,287</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$41,064 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$7,290 Resource 3010 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Title I \$51,791 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$13,952</p>
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Action **13**

<p>Actions/Services</p>	<p>PLANNED GATE opportunities: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wilson Riles Middle School GATE Academy </p>	<p>ACTUAL Riles Middle School served 62 students Dudley Elementary served 12 students</p>
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- Oak Hill Elementary: Differentiated learning within the GATE/high achiever class 4th-5th. GATE challenge activities before and after school
- Spinelli: Differentiated learning within the classroom. Weekly GATE challenge activities after school. Annual participation in Nature Bowl.
- North Country: Differentiated learning within the classroom. GATE challenge activities after school: video production and editing including story boards, script writing and public speaking
- Dudley: Differentiated learning within the classroom

Oak Hill Elementary served 46 students
 Spinelli Elementary served 14 students
 North Country Elementary served 8 students

Expenditures

BUDGETED
 Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$38,000
 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$5,530

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
 Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$8,404
 Resource 0000 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$1,328
 Resource 0000 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Base \$3,730
 Resource 0000 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Base \$5,200

Action

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Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Teacher collaboration: vertical between elementary-middle, horizontal between elementary sites, grade level/dept

ACTUAL
 K-12 staff were given one buy-back day for professional development.
 K-6 teachers received additional Wonders ELA training. Middle school received training on Illuminate and professional development focused on student engagement. High School participated in content specific training within departments.

 Site collaboration was built into school site calendars.

 TK-grade 6 horizontal collaboration focused on district writing prompts

Expenditures

BUDGETED
 Resource 0000 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Base \$500

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
 Resource 6264 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Common Core Standards Implementation Funds \$108,818
 Resource 6264 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Common Core Standards Implementation Funds \$17,040

Action **15**

<p>Actions/Services</p>	<p>PLANNED Provide academic support and intervention at all sites</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Push-in and pull out programs at elementary sites and Wilson Riles MS • Morning or after school intervention at elementary sites • EL Support at Wilson Riles Middle and EL Tutorial Center High School • Husky Help, PAWS period at Wilson Riles MS • Bilingual assistants • Math lab, English lab, Summer School Program at Center High 	<p>ACTUAL 7 bilingual assistants throughout the district</p> <p>All other data on site interventions recorded in site specific action items 6-12</p>
<p>Expenditures</p>	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000 / Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$498,643 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$78,776</p> <p>2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$150,601 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$35,100</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 0000, Goal 4760, Dept 740 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$142,739 Resource 0000, Goal 4760, Dept 740 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$65,863</p>

Action **16**

<p>Actions/Services</p>	<p>PLANNED Add .5 FTE EL Teacher at Dudley Elementary and .5 FTE EL Teacher at Oak Hill</p>	<p>ACTUAL Added .5 FTE EL Teacher at Oak Hill</p>
<p>Expenditures</p>	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000 / Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$81,314 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$14,408</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 0000, Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$41,064 Resource 0000 / Dept 740 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$7,347</p>

Action **17**

<p>Actions/Services</p>	<p>PLANNED Support transition of EL students from middle to high school with summer school for incoming 9th grade EL students.</p> <p>Implement a reclassification roadmap to target and support</p>	<p>ACTUAL 6 EL students served in transition to high school summer school program</p> <p>Roadmap to Reclassification has been implemented with 92</p>
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potential R-FEPs and LTELs with individualized plans toward reclassification that includes goal setting, collaboration between EL teacher, classroom teachers and parents. EL students targeted for the reclassification roadmap planning, have an overall CELDT score of EA or A with all subsets EA or A or an overall CELDT score of EA or A with one or more intermediate subsets.

Support transition of EL students from elementary to middle school with summer school for incoming 7th graders.

EL students.

Transition to middle school summer school program was not offered because district was unable to find a teacher to teach it. However, the program is set to run in June 2017

Expenditures

BUDGETED

Resource 0000 / Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$10,000

3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$1,580

ESTIMATED ACTUAL

Resource 0000, Site 159, Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$482

Resource 0000 / Dept 740 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$77

Action

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Actions/Services

PLANNED

Support long-term EL students with Long Term EL Support class at Center High School and Wilson Riles Middle School.

ELteacher at CHS to be given extra prep in schedule to track/monitor/support EL students, long term EL students and monitor Redesignated Fluent English Proficient students.

ACTUAL

CHS provided 2 sections of Long Term EL Support classes, serving 40 students. One section was exclusively for 9th graders and one section for grades 10-12

CHS EL Teacher utilizes extra prep period to track/monitor/support EL students, long term EL students and monitor Redesignated Fluent English Proficient students

WCR provided 1 section of Long Term EL Support class, serving 11 students

Expenditures

BUDGETED

Resource 0000 / Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$42,497

3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$6,714

ESTIMATED ACTUAL

Resource 0000, Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$40,506

Resource 0000, Dept 740 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$11,635

Action

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Actions/Services	PLANNED Americorp will provide academic support, mentoring, tutoring and counseling, coordinated by Family Resource Center	ACTUAL The Family Resource Center coordinated 33 students to receive one-on-one mentoring through Americorps.
	BUDGETED Resource 0000 5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Base \$27,500	ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 0000 5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Base \$25,000

Action **20**

Actions/Services	PLANNED Family Resource Center will provide clothing and school supplies, consultation services, mental health counseling services and coordinate appropriate services through Americorp, United Way and the \$en\$ibility Program	ACTUAL Family Resource Center provided services to 581 students
	BUDGETED Resource 5630 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Federal Funds \$1,717 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Federal Funds \$1,854 Resource 0000 / Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$22,527 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$3,558	ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resources 5630, 5640 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Federal Funds \$55,972 Resources 5630, 5640 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Federal Funds \$12,150 Resource 5630 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Federal Funds \$7,405 Resource 5630 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Federal Funds \$5,557 Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$52,288 Resource 0000 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$8,261 Resource 3010 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Title I \$14,690 Resource 3010 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$4,159 Resources 5630, 5640 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Federal Funds \$7,794 Resources 5630, 5640 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Federal Funds \$1,817

Action **21**

Actions/Services	PLANNED Provide academic support for Special Education Students: study skills classes, instructional assistants	ACTUAL CHS provided 8 sections of study skills classes Academic support provided to special education students through instructional assistants. Number of instructional assistants per site as follows: Center HS 17, Riles MS 7, Dudley 5, Spinelli 18, North
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		Country 7, Oak Hill 2
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Expenditures	BUDGETED Resource 6500 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Special Education \$41,386 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Special Education \$10,767	ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 3310/6500 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Special Education \$1,556,471 Resource 3310/6500 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Special Education \$769,214
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Action **22**

Actions/Services	PLANNED School Psychologists, School Counselors, and the Behavior Specialist on the Educationally-related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) Team will provide evidence-based social, emotional, and behavioral interventions to students in individual and group counseling, psychoeducational lessons in classroom settings, and consultation to staff and parents in order to enable students to reach IEP goals and access their educational programs.	ACTUAL School Psychologists, School Counselors, and the Behavior Specialist on the Educationally-related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) Team will provide evidence-based social, emotional, and behavioral interventions to students in individual and group counseling, psychoeducational lessons in classroom settings, and consultation to staff and parents in order to enable students to reach IEP goals and access their educational programs.
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Expenditures	BUDGETED Resource 6512 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Special Education \$154,739 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Special Education \$64,178 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Special Education \$64,178 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Special Education \$5,100 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures \$11,000	ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 6512 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Special Education \$168,919 Resource 6512 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Special Education \$97,942 Resource 6512 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Special Education \$69,920 Resource 6512 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Special Education \$3,442 Resource 6512 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Special Education \$3,785
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Action **23**

Actions/Services	PLANNED Conduct research, identify and prioritize needs to begin the process for developing a Facilities Master Plan	ACTUAL Conduct research, identify and prioritize needs to begin the process for developing a Facilities Master Plan
	BUDGETED Resource 0000 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Base \$500 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Base \$1,000	ESTIMATED ACTUAL NO COST

Action **24**

Actions/Services	PLANNED Review staff levels and create a plan to add district	ACTUAL Review staff levels and create a plan to add district
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	administrative positions accordingly	administrative positions accordingly
Expenditures	BUDGETED NO COST	ESTIMATED ACTUAL NO COST
Action	25	
Actions/Services	PLANNED Add 1 FTE Vice Principal at North Country Elementary and 1 FTE Vice Principal at Oak Hill Elementary	ACTUAL Add 1 FTE Vice Principal at North Country Elementary and 1 FTE Vice Principal at Oak Hill Elementary
Expenditures	BUDGETED Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$174,765 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$44,093	ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$193,784 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$55,201

ANALYSIS

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's goals from the prior year LCAP. Duplicate the table as needed.

Use actual annual measurable outcome data, including performance data from the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, as applicable.

Describe the overall implementation of the actions/services to achieve the articulated goal.

District purchased standards aligned ELA curriculum for all K-8 classrooms at 4 elementary schools and 1 middle school.
District purchased standards aligned ELA curriculum for 9-12 students at McClellan HS.

District provided Professional Development on new ELA curriculum to 120 K-8 ELA teachers and one 9-12 ELA teacher at MHS.

District and sites calendared teacher collaboration time that focused each week on lesson development, student assessment and targeted intervention using the new ELA curriculum.

All sites fully implemented their intervention models for at-risk students, through push in and pull out models and through extended day support. More than 990 at risk students were identified and served through site intervention programs.

90 LTEL students identified and served in LTEL support model at all four elementary schools, middle school and high school.

All sites provided extension through GATE models at all 4 elementary sites and the Middle School GATE Academy serving 142 GATE students. Maintained 15 Advanced Placement course offerings at Center HS.

Transitional Summer School served 6 students to support a successful transition from middle school to high school.

Throughout the school year additional tutoring provided and basic needs met for foster students and low income students through the Family Resource Center.

Describe the overall effectiveness of the actions/services to achieve the articulated goal as measured by the LEA.

Grades 3rd, 6th, 8th and 11th reached goal to increase percentage of students who meet or exceed standards on the CAASPP in ELA by 5%. 4th and 5th grade show a decline in students who meet/exceed ELA standards, no growth made in 7th grade.

K2 Benchmarks: Fluency, Writing, Math

Kindergarten showed 1.8% increase in fluency, 1.7% increase in basic math facts and 9.9% decline in understanding counting and cardinality.

1st grade showed a 46% decline in reading fluency. This is not a true representation of achievement. Factors contributing to this decline are the implementation of a new reading program and a dramatic jump in the fluency target at the 1st grade level.

2nd grade showed a 55% decline in reading fluency. This is not a true representation of achievement. Factors contributing to this decline are the implementation of a new reading program and a dramatic jump in the fluency target at the 2nd grade level.

Continuing outlined actions and services but recognize the areas of decline and as a result have created focused collaborative groups within grade levels to address these needs.

Explain material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures.

Action 1: Planned benefit expenditures included taxes only. Actual expenditures include taxes and health and welfare costs.

Action 2: \$1,000,000 planned for curriculum purchase, but K-8 ELA was purchased prior to fiscal reporting period for 2016-17. High School curriculum will be purchased during June 2017. Therefore, actual expenditure lists \$300,000

Action 3: The cadre structure for professional development lowered costs.

Action 4: A higher than expected number of new teachers were hired leading to increased participation and higher costs.

Action 6: MHS increased their counselor's hours to increase services.

Action 7: More sections were offered than planned for when creating the planned budget.

Action 8: Included in actual costs are the salaries and benefits for the EL teacher, math sections, and Husky Help hourly program. Planned costs did not include the cost of the EL teacher and it overestimated the Husky Help costs.

Action 10: Actual expenditures include salaries for the Title I teacher, hourly program, and newly hired teacher who provides push in support. Employee benefits reflect a more complete picture by including health and welfare costs.

Action 11: The Title I Academic Coordinator was promoted to Assistant Principal and that position was not backfilled. Instructional aide position costs are added to the actual expenditures.

Action 12: Costs associated with only push-in support are included in actual expenditures. Classified

salaries for Title I instructional aides are included in actual costs.

Action 13: Most services for GATE students were provided during the regular school day so fewer costs were associated with GATE services.

Action 14: One professional development buy-back day was offered to all certificated employees using Educational Effectiveness funds. This day was not included in the planned expenditures.

Action 15: The planned expenditures were moved to other actions within this goal.

Action 16: One .5FTE teacher was added instead of two.

Action 17: Few EL students participated in the high school summer school program. The middle school EL summer school program was not offered.

Action 20: All Family Resource Costs are listed under actual expenditures.

Action 21: Costs associated with all special education instructional assistants are included under actual expenditures.

Describe any changes made to this goal, expected outcomes, metrics, or actions and services to achieve this goal as a result of this analysis and analysis of the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, as applicable. Identify where those changes can be found in the LCAP.

Multi Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) have been added to the goal. Data has shown we were not meeting the academic, social and emotional needs of all students. With each site having their own system of support, the district realized the need for a comprehensive plan with consistent language, defined tiers of support and site/teacher expectations. District established a team with administrative representation from each school site, Special Education and the Family Resource Center. Through collaborative conversation, California Scale Up MTSS Statewide (SUMS) training, and the application of the SUMS grant, district team decided MTSS most appropriate approach.

Adjustment made to Action 15 because it was repetitive. Site Interventions offered throughout the district listed under Action 15 and then reported again as site specific interventions in Actions 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12. Action 15 has been modified so it will only report bilingual assistants and Actions 6-12 will continue to report site specific interventions.

Adjusted CAASPP goal for growth to 2.5%. After reviewing data, and given the change in standards and the new curriculum, district believes a revised metric is much more realistic.

District recognizes students did not make the expected growth on K2 Benchmarks. This has been an implementation year with new ELA curriculum and likely a factor. District is turning attention to professional development within Common Core State Standards, with emphasis on instruction and assessment within the new curriculum which will provide teachers with a deeper understanding of student learning. We're building capacity in teacher knowledge which will impact student achievement focusing on K-2 foundational skills, specifically fluency.

District recognizes English Learner classification rate did not meet target and believes a combination of new curriculum and new standardized state test posed significant obstacles. This is an implementation year for new ELA curriculum with a substantial increase in targets. Student groups had difficulty making expected growth on CAASPP.

Annual Update

LCAP Year Reviewed: 2016-17

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's goals from the prior year LCAP. Duplicate the table as needed.

Goal 2	Center JUSD students will be college and career ready
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State and/or Local Priorities Addressed by this goal:

STATE	<input type="checkbox"/>	1	<input type="checkbox"/>	2	<input type="checkbox"/>	3	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	4	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	5	<input type="checkbox"/>	6	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	7	<input type="checkbox"/>	8
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LOCAL																

ANNUAL MEASURABLE OUTCOMES

EXPECTED

~Increase CTE offerings by adding 1 new CTE course or 1 additional section of existing CTE program
2015-16: 13 CTE courses, 18 sections

~Increase a-g completion rate to 26% by adjusting to 8 period block schedule at CHS
2015-16: 85.66% students enrolled in a-g coursework (based upon English course), 22% completed a-g

~Increase AP offerings at CHS by adding 1 section
2015-16: 15 AP sections offered

~66% of students enrolled in AP courses will pass AP exams with a 3 or better
2014-15: 136 students taking AP tests, 324 AP tests taken, 63.3% AP passage rate

~2% increase of ELA students and math students determined prepared for college as measured by the EAP
2014-15: 52% of ELA students and 77% of math students determined prepared for college as measured by EAP

ACTUAL

2016-17: CHS increased to 14 CTE courses, 43 sections

2016-17: 23% (69/299) of current seniors a-g qualifiers passing all their classes with a C or higher grade

2016-17: CHS maintained 15 AP offerings

2016: 68.8% AP students with scores 3+

EAP ELA/math no longer reported. Replacing with Smarter Balanced Data.
2016 Smarter Balanced Assessment, grade 11:
44% (117/264) MET Achievement Standard in math
64% (172/267) MET Achievement Standard in English/Language Arts

ACTIONS / SERVICES

Duplicate the Actions/Services from the prior year LCAP and complete a copy of the following table for each. Duplicate the table as needed.

Action **1**

Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Increase CTE offerings by adding 1 CTE course or 1 additional section

ACTUAL
 2016-17: 14 CTE courses, 43 sections

The CTE sections offered for 2016-17 are as follows:
 Computer Applications = 12 semester length sections
 Consumer Finance = 8 semester length sections
 Sports Management = 1 year long section
 Web Design = 1 semester length section
 Photoshop/Illustrator = 1 semester length section
 911 Dispatcher/Call Center/ Customer Service = 3 year long sections
 Pharmacy Technician = 1 year long section
 Computer Graphics = 7 year long sections
 Advanced Computer Graphics = 1 year long section
 Beginning Broadcasting = 3 year long sections
 Advanced Broadcasting = 1 year long section
 Introduction to Engineering = 2 year long sections
 Principles of Engineering = 1 year long section
 Geometry in Construction/Construction in Geometry = 1 year long section

Expenditures

BUDGETED
 Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$41,877
 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$10,369

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
 Resource 1400 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$291,666
 Resource 1400 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$81,717

Action **2**

Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Increase participation and completion of a-g by changing high school schedule to 8 period block

ACTUAL
 2016-17: As of 3/20/17, 72 of 300 (24%) of current seniors will be a-g qualifiers if they pass all their classes this semester with a C or higher grade.

The biggest obstacle for students to be an a-g qualifier has been the requirement for 3 years of math. Beginning with the freshman class this year, CHS changed the graduation requirement to 3 years of math to meet the a-g criteria. We will begin experiencing the higher a-g qualifying rate when these freshman students become juniors in 2 years.

Expenditures

BUDGETED No cost until 8 period block schedule reaches 3rd year of implementation, fiscal year 2017--18 \$0	ESTIMATED ACTUAL \$0

Action **3**

Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Increase AP offerings at CHS 1 section

ACTUAL
 The number of AP sections offered in 2016-17 remained the same as 2015-16.

 15 AP sections are currently offered
 AP English Literature and Composition = 2 sections
 AP English Language and Composition = 2 sections
 AP Spanish = 1 section
 AP Calculus A/B = 1 section
 AP Statistics = 1 section
 AP Biology = 1 section
 AP Biology Lab = 1 section
 AP Macroeconomics = 2 sections
 AP U.S. Government = 2 sections
 AP U.S. History = 2 sections

Expenditures

BUDGETED
 Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$17,000
 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$3,686

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
 Resource 1400 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$186,860
 Resource 1400 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$59,162

Action **4**

Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Remove barriers and implement new programs relative to college & career opportunities that feed into and support programs at CHS

ACTUAL
 Project Lead the Way (PLTW) launched at Riles Middle School with 1 section, serving 26 students.

 Media Studio continued at North Country, serving 62 students 30 students in the before school video club, another 26 in STEM class (during school hours)

 Media Studio launched at Oak Hill, serving 55 students. 4th-6th grade GATE students produce videos to enter SEVA awards. GATE students assist K-3 students with video production and SEVA video submission. Program produces a weekly news broadcast, "Otter Outlook" with varied news segments. Students producing short videos on appropriate behavior to support PBIS rollout in the fall.

Expenditures

BUDGETED
Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$17,000
Resource 0000 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$3,686

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
Resource 0000 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$14,182
Resource 0000 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$3,750
Resource 0036 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$4,444
Resource 0036 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$703

Action **5**

Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Center HS Intervention Teachers, EL teachers, Counseling Dept and Administration to provide purposeful and targeted outreach to increase participation in course completion of CTE offerings at Center HS

ACTUAL
 In 2015-16, CHS offered 18 sections of CTE courses. In 2016-17, CHS is offering 43 sections. This is a tremendous increase and shows that the outreach to students to participate in CTE courses is working.

Expenditures

BUDGETED
 Resource 0000/Dept 740 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Supplemental and Concentration \$2,500
 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Supplemental and Concentration \$395

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
 \$0

Action **6**

Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Counselor will provide individualized support to ensure students are meeting graduation requirements and are successfully transitioning into post secondary college and career through college/career exploration, college enrollment assistance, financial aid application assistance and scholarship assistance.

 Staff will schedule presentations from businesses, colleges and the military to expose students to post secondary options

ACTUAL
 Hired a new College and Career Coordinator

 Implemented a section of Get Focused, Stay Focused class for freshman. The purpose of this course is for student to develop a 10 year plan for college and career success.

 Held 2 financial aid workshops

 Held individual and group meetings with students and counselors to develop 4 year graduation plans.

 College tours included: California State University at Sacramento, Fresno State University, Sonoma State University, American River College, University of Hawaii at Manoa, San Jose State University, California State University at Stanislaus, University of California at Davis, California State University at East Bay, California Maritime Academy, and the University of California at Merced.

 CHS is also participating in the Fresh Friday's Program through American River College so that CHS students can be enrolled in ARC and receive priority admissions/course selection.

		<p>CHS administration has been working with both Sierra College and American River College to develop dual enrollment courses. The first course has been approved and will be offered on the CHS campus in 2017-18.</p> <p>Counselors have worked with students on letters of recommendation, college admissions applications (including the Common Application), and in admission to ROP programs through Placer County.</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 3010 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title I \$2,565 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title I \$406</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 1400 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Base \$13,289 Resource 1400 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Base \$3,601 Resource 7338 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Other \$6,422</p>
Action	7	
Actions/Services	<p>PLANNED Provide transitional support to prepare for college & career provided through WorkAbility and Department of Rehabilitation</p>	<p>ACTUAL Number of Special Education students served through WorkAbility: 193, Number of Special Education students served through Dept of Rehabilitation: 36</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED DOR Resource 3410 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Federal Funds \$15,500 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Federal Funds \$4,338 Workability Resource 6520 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Special Education \$26,117 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Special Education \$7,540</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 3410 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Federal Funds \$61,232 Resource 3410 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Federal Funds \$19,000 Resource 6520 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Special Education \$37,877 Resource 6520 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Special Education \$13,929 Resource 6520 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Special Education \$11,681 Resource 6520 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Special Education \$3,781 Resource 3410 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Federal Funds \$1,769 Resource 3410 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Federal Funds \$436</p>

Action

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Actions/Services

ANALYSIS

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's goals from the prior year LCAP. Duplicate the table as needed.

Use actual annual measurable outcome data, including performance data from the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, as applicable.

Describe the overall implementation of the actions/services to achieve the articulated goal.

With the change from a 6 period day to an 8 period day CHS was able to increase the number of CTE sections from 18 to 43.

The biggest obstacle for students to be an a-g qualifier has been the requirement for 3 years of math. Beginning with the freshman class this year, CHS changed the graduation requirement to 3 years of math to meet the a-g criteria. We will begin experiencing the higher a-g qualifying rate when these freshman students become juniors in 2 years.

Hired a new College and Career Coordinator. The College and Career Coordinator performs the following:
 Liaison with all military recruiters
 Organizes/coordinates the College and Career Fair
 Works with students on the FAFSA and assists in the parent workshops for completing the FAFSA
 Site liaison with American River College and Sierra College including Fresh Fridays (priority admissions) and field trips to those sites
 Works with students to locate and apply for college scholarship opportunities
 Works with students to develop college and career plans and assists them with research in these areas
 Coordinates the EAOP program with U.C. Davis
 Coordinates work permits

Implemented a section of Get Focused, Stay Focused class for freshman. The purpose of this course is for student to develop a 10 year plan for college and career success.

Held 2 financial aid workshops

Held individual and group meetings with students and counselors to develop 4 year graduation plans.

College tours included: California State University at Sacramento, Fresno State University, Sonoma State University, American River College, University of Hawaii at Manoa, San Jose State University, California State University at Stanislaus, University of California at Davis, California State University at East Bay, California Maritime Academy, and the University of California at Merced.

CHS is also participating in the Fresh Friday's Program through American River College so that CHS students can be enrolled in ARC and receive priority admissions/course selection.

CHS administration has been working with both Sierra College and American River College to develop dual enrollment courses. The first course has been approved and will be offered on the CHS campus in 2017-18.

Counselors have worked with students on letters of recommendation, college admissions applications (including the Common Application), and in admission to ROP programs through Placer County.

Further developed the CTE feeder pipeline from elementary through middle school and into Center HS with the following programs:

Project Lead the Way: Provides engineering, biomedical, and/or computer science curriculum for middle school students that challenges, inspires, and offers variety and flexibility. Students get rigorous and relevant experiences through activity-, project-, and problem-based learning. They use industry-leading technology to solve problems while gaining skills in communication, collaboration, critical-thinking, and creativity. Students will use tools such as the engineering design process, an engineering notebook, 3D modeling software, and VEX Robotics® to invent and innovate.

~Project Lead the Way launch at Riles MS

~expansion of PLTW at Oak Hill Elementary, Fall 2017

Media Studio: Elementary students learn to create videos, submit to SEVA, produce news broadcasts and other media production tasks that lead into the MCA program at Center HS

~continued growth of existing Media Studio at North Country Elementary

~Media Studio launch at Oak Hill

~launch of Media Studio at Riles Middle, Fall 2017

~College awareness days at elementary sites

Describe the overall effectiveness of the actions/services to achieve the articulated goal as measured by the LEA.

Significantly increased opportunities for K-12 students

~1 new CTE course

~139% increase in CTE sections offered to Center HS students

~launched Project Lead the Way at Riles Middle School, which feeds into the Center HS Project Lead the Way program

~launched Media Studio at Oak Hill Elementary and continued Media Studio at North Country Elementary.

Both elementary programs will feed into the Riles Media Studio scheduled to launch Fall 2017, which will feed into the established Center HS Media Communications Academy.

2.8% increase in Center HS students passing AP exams with 3 or higher

Explain material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures.

Action 1: The costs associated with all CTE teachers are included in actual expenditures.
 Action 3: All salaries and benefits of AP teachers are included in actual expenditures.
 Action 5: There were no costs associated with the outreach. The outreach was performed during staff member's typical contact with students.
 Action 6: The costs associated with providing one section of Get Focused, Stay Focused are included in the actual expenditures. Newly acquired College and Career Readiness grant funds and related expenditures were added to the actual expenditures.
 Action 7: All Workability and Department of Rehabilitation expenditures are included.

Describe any changes made to this goal, expected outcomes, metrics, or actions and services to achieve this goal as a result of this analysis and analysis of the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, as applicable. Identify where those changes can be found in the LCAP.

Multi Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) have been added to the goal. Data has shown we were not meeting the academic, social and emotional needs of all students. With each site having their own system of support, the district realized the need for a comprehensive plan with consistent language, defined tiers of support and site/teacher expectations. District established a team with administrative representation from each school site, Special Education and the Family Resource Center. Through collaborative conversation, California Scale Up MTSS Statewide (SUMS) training, and the application of the SUMS grant, district team decided MTSS most appropriate approach.

Changed AP metric. Given school size and schedule, CHS has maxed the number of AP courses that can be offered at this time. The focus has changed to increasing the number of students who take at least one AP course during their high school career. Metrics and goals for 2017-18 and beyond will reflect number of students who have completed one AP course during a given year.

EAP data no longer reported to school site. Replacing metric with Smarter Balanced, grade 11 Performance Summary

Implementing Get Focused Stay Focused curriculum at McClellan High to support 10th graders in creating a 10 year plan

Annual Update

LCAP Year Reviewed: 2016-17

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's goals from the prior year LCAP. Duplicate the table as needed.

Goal 3

GOAL 3: Center JUSD students and families will be engaged and informed regarding the educational process and opportunities

State and/or Local Priorities Addressed by this goal:

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LOCAL																

ANNUAL MEASURABLE OUTCOMES

EXPECTED

- Maintain average daily attendance at 95%
2015 P2 districtwide attendance: 94.92%
- Increase district-wide participation in clubs, activities and athletics to 35%
2015 districtwide: 34% (1584/4461) of students participated in clubs, activities, athletics
- Increase Center HS graduation rate to 96%
2013-14: 94.3% Center HS graduation rate
- Decrease CJUSD chronic absenteeism rates by 2%
Prior rate: 12% (8/6/14-4/30/15)
- Maintain 1% or fewer middle school drop-out rates
- Decrease CJUSD High School drop out to 3%

ACTUAL

2016 P2 DISTRICTWIDE ATTENDANCE: 93.46%

DISTRICT-WIDE PARTICIPATION: 29.4% (1313/4455) participated in clubs, activities or athletics in 2016-17, illustrating a 4.6% decline
 Center High: 544/1307
 McClellan HS: 27/90
 WCR Middle: 240/667
 Oak Hill: 208/812
 North Country: 195/624
 Spinelli: 54/268
 Dudley: 45/687

Center High School graduation rate for 2014-15: 92.1% (Dataquest). District graduation rate according to CDE Dashboard for 2015-16 is 91.8%. Dataquest info is dated. Future LCAP reporting on grad rates will be using the CDE Dashboard showing district grad rates.

Chronic Absenteeism: 10%, reduction of 2% districtwide

Riles Middle School drop out rate 2014-15: less than 1%

2015-2016 CJUSD high school drop out rate: 2.3%, showing 1.6% decrease

CJUSD 2016-17 Suspension Rate: 10.04%

2014-2015 CJUSD High School drop out rate: 3.9%

- Maintain 8% CJUSD suspension rate
- Decrease CJUSD expulsions by 1 per year.
2015-16: 8 district expulsions
- Increase student connectedness by decreasing by 2% those who reported low level of connectedness.

7th grade connectedness: 47% high level, 41% moderate, 12% low

8th grade connectedness: 40% high level, 51% moderate, 9% low

11th grade connectedness: 41% high level, 46% moderate, 13% low

MHS connectedness: 53% high level, 38% moderate, 9% low

- Increase secondary students who feel "safe" or "very safe" at school by 4% (measured by California Healthy Kids Survey (CHKS) and other local measures including surveys of pupils, parents and teachers on the sense of safety and school connectedness)

2016 CHKS Administration: 15.9% secondary students feel "very safe" at school and 45.46% feel "safe" at school

- Increase 5th grade students who feel safe at school "all of the time" or "most of the time" by 4% (measured by California Healthy Kids Survey and other local measures including surveys of pupils, parents and teachers on the sense of safety and school connectedness)

2016 CHKS Administration: 33% of 5th graders feel safe at school "all of the time", 35% of 5th graders feel safe at school "most of the time"

- Increase staff who feel school site is "very safe" or "safe" by 2%.
2016 CHKS Administration indicates 96% of staff feel their school site is "very safe" or "safe".
- All parents will be surveyed during the 2016-17 school year to get a baseline on perceived safety of our school sites and student connectedness
- All parents will be solicited to provide input into decision making locally and at the LEA level, with every site represented by at least

This is not an increase in suspensions. The data previously reported was incorrect. 2015-16 suspension rate should have read 10.68% which demonstrates a slight reduction

CJUSD 2016-17 Expulsions: 12, increase of 4 over prior year

California Healthy Kids Survey given in 2016. Next survey to be given Spring 2018.

Parent Survey: 4 sites surveyed parents asking if their child feels safe and secure at school.

Elementary results: 41.3% Strongly Agree, 38.1% Agree, 12.7% Neutral, 4.8% Disagree, 3.2% Strongly Disagree

Secondary results: 19.4% Strongly Agree, 48.5% Agree, 17.9% Neutral, 6% Disagree, 8.2% Strongly Disagree

Parents will be surveyed at all sites in Spring 2018 using the California Healthy Kids Survey.

Outreach efforts to seek parent involvement:

Center High: Surveys were sent out to parents to solicit feedback to the school. A parent represented CHS on the Superintendent's Advisory Panel and provided feedback. An administrator attended CHS Booster Club meetings and gathered parent input as well. A CTE District Advisory Committee was formed and met to chart a course

one parent at DELAC and PAC meetings. Sites and district will conduct outreach to invite parents of unduplicated pupils and special needs subgroups to participate in local and LEA decision making.

for CTE programs at CHS.

McClellan HS: Outreach for nominations and voting for SSC.

WCR Middle School: Parents actively participate in P.T.A., Student Council meetings, ELAC Meetings, Parent Conferences.

Oak Hill: Parents actively participate in PTA. Parents are invited by email and flyer to participate in SSC and ELAC and reminded of meeting dates and times using electronic marquee.

Spinelli: Parents actively participate in our School Site Council, English Language Advisory Committee, and parent volunteer group. They partner with the staff and administration to determine best practices for serving our student population's academic, social and emotional needs for success.

North Country: PTO and Site Council meets once each month usually the first Thursday at 5:30 p.m. DELAC meets 3 times a year and is usually combined with SSC due to the small number of attendees. The Safe School and Emergency Plan as well as The Single Plan for Student Achievement is shared with these groups with an invitation to participate in the contents. These documents are approved by Site Council. At least one Title I Parent Night is held each year so that parents understand the relationship of Title I services and RTI and how to better help their child at home. They are given opportunities to share what they need as parents as to how we can be more informative and to give input on our intervention programs both during the 30 minute block period and the hour before school. MTSS - Multi-Tiered Systems of Supports has been introduced along with how Leader In Me connects Leadership, Culture and Academics to ensure equitable access and opportunity for all students. LIM (Leader In Me) Parent Nights are held in addition to Leadership Day to showcase students as they demonstrate how the seven habits principles help them throughout their day.

Dudley: At the beginning of each year, parents are invited to become members of our School Site Council, English Language Advisory Committee, and Parent Teacher Association. The site administration also reaches out to potential committee members to invite them to be part of a committee.

- Increase parental participation in academic achievement by increasing family Homelink accounts by 5%
- May 2016: 53% of families with active Homelink accounts

PARENTAL PARTICIPATION: 48% families have active Parent Portal accounts (previously Homelink)*

Dudley: 8%

North Country: 7%

Oak Hill: 7%
Spinelli: 4%
Riles MS: 106%
Center HS: 87%
McClellan HS: 98%

***Total active accounts (includes transitioning students) divided by enrollment**

ACTIONS / SERVICES

Duplicate the Actions/Services from the prior year LCAP and complete a copy of the following table for each. Duplicate the table as needed.

Action

1

Actions/Services

PLANNED

Review effectiveness of committee (staff, parents, students) recommendations and plan next steps to increase daily attendance. Review SARB process to engage more stakeholders

ACTUAL

Dudley: Dudley Elementary is just finishing Tier I implementation of Positive Behavior and Supports (PBIS). This year we have also been training for Tier II of PBIS. We are investigating the use of the Tier II strategy of Check In, Check Out (CICO) to support students who have an excessive number of absences.

Oak Hill: We are in the planning stages of implementing the PBIS (Positive Behavior Interventions and Supports) program. Part of the program is creating incentives for student attendance. The team (which includes staff and parents) have discussed awards and rewards for attendance. These will be implemented in the 2017-2018 school year. This year we are also sending out more attendance letters to remind parents of the importance of having their student at school on time.

Spinelli: Parents give input on developing incentives to increase our daily attendance. We will focus on positive attendance, encourage students to attend daily, call absent students, and recognize students with perfect attendance at our Tiger Days.

North Country: Attendance Awards were suggested. Perfect attendance each trimester is awarded a ribbon and recognized at Spirit Day. Additionally, students' names are placed in a drawing for a prize. Attendance letters are mailed out and SART meetings are held.

Riles MS: As part our site's MTSS work, we are evaluating current committees and deciding which committees to start. This committee will be implemented in the 2017-2018 school year.

McClellan HS: School Site Council has met 3 times since choosing members to review and approve our Title One plan, which includes provisions to increase daily attendance. Recognitions and incentives for good attendance have been



implemented across the campus. Further incentives are being developed. Additionally, further steps have been planned to inform all parents of attendance issues. The principal is attending the CASCWA conference, which will feature presentations by the State SARB Board concerning model SARB processes.

Expenditures

BUDGETED
 Resource 0000/Department 740 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Supplemental and Concentration \$500

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
 Resource 0000 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Supplemental and Concentration \$500
 Resource 0000 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Supplemental and Concentration \$10,375

Action **2**

Actions/Services

PLANNED
 Implement recommended strategies that lessen or eliminate the barrier of after school transportation that is hindering participating in after school activities.

 Continue to brainstorm ways to increase student and staff involvement in extracurricular opportunities

ACTUAL
 Center HS continues to offer free transportation to away games for athletes participating on school teams
 Supplied several roter buses throughout the year to transport students and parents to away games
 Supplied transportation for Sr. Walk to engage elementary students in educational process

Expenditures

BUDGETED
 Resource 0000/Department 740 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Supplemental and Concentration \$500

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
 Resource 0000 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Base \$50,000

Action **3**

Actions/Services

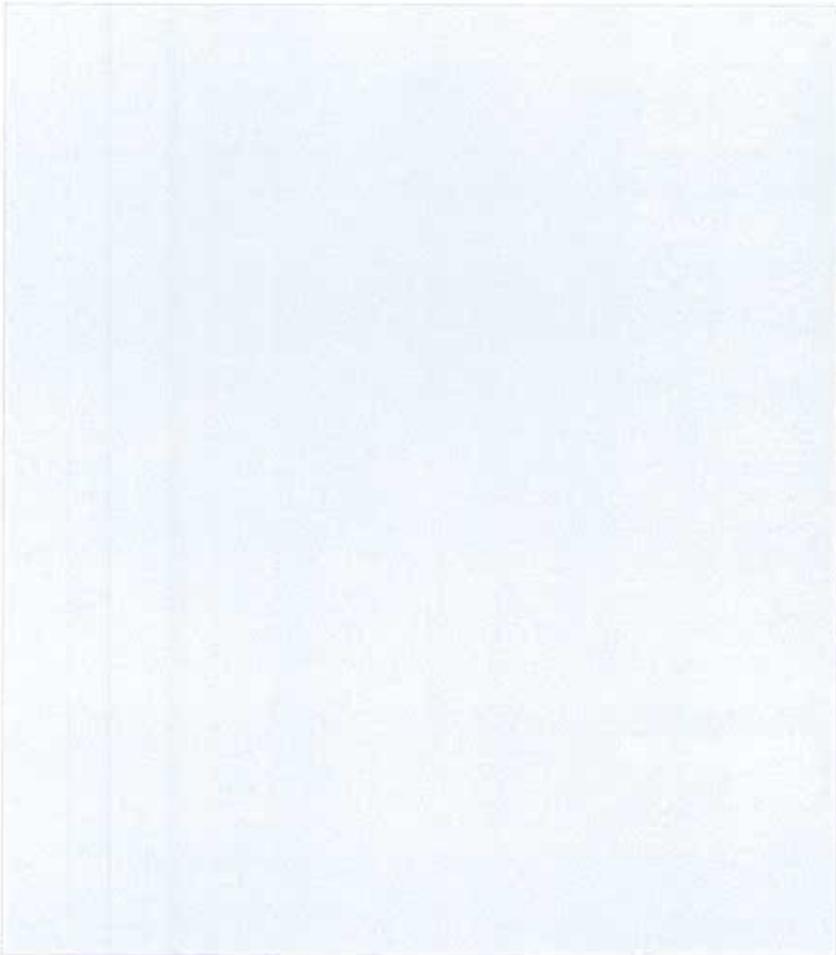
PLANNED
 Establish parent education outreach relating to school topics by eliminating barriers and implementing committee (staff, parents, students) recommendations

ACTUAL
 Center HS: establishing committee 2017-18

 McClellan HS: uses School Messenger to send out phone calls regarding attendance and academic challenges. We also email a newsletter to parents on a monthly or bi-monthly basis. Newsletter topics include information about school staff, suggestions for parents to support their children's academic success, and upcoming and recent school events.

 Riles Middle School: uses Facebook, Leadership Instagram, WCR website, group email and voice messaging to communicate with students and parents regarding school activities and events

 Dudley: Along with regularly scheduled parent organization meetings, Dudley Elementary also attempts to engage parents with Grade Level Family Nights each month, a Teacher Meet and Greet Ice Cream Social, Open House, Parent-Teacher Conferences and an array of activities sponsored by our dedicated and hard-working PTA. Site is currently working on a collaborative effort with WellSpace Health Center, a local community resource, to provide "Parenting with Love and Logic" classes to interested families, to begin in the Fall of 2017.



North Country: Works with the PTO to host family events other than Title I Informational nights, and Leader In Me (7 Habits) Parent Nights. Spaghetti Dinner with the North Country choir as entertainment is one example along with the Harvest Festival where community organizations are invited

Oak Hill: Continue to hold our Monthly Parent Information Nights to address current needs at Oak Hill as well as giving parents a chance to look at curriculum and ask questions

Spinelli: Parents are an integral part of School Site Council and English Language Advisory Committee. They participate in the development of the Single Plan for Student Achievement each school year. The Safe School Plan is discussed at site meetings, and parents have the opportunity to give input to improve our plan. Site encourages parent/family participation in nightly family events which focus on activities directly related to the common core standards in Math and English Language Arts.

Family Resource Center offered Supporting Your Child in School classes for Immigrant families. Families learned how to utilize technology to communicate with school, access Parent Links

Expenditures

BUDGETED
Resource 0000/Department 740 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Supplemental and Concentration \$500

ESTIMATED ACTUAL
\$0

Action **4**

Actions/Services	<p>PLANNED Continue to utilize new ways to communicate opportunities that will increase participation in school activities and in supporting roles</p>	<p>ACTUAL Center High continues to use Facebook, Remind, group email and voice messaging, website, and the free phone app to communicate with students and parents regarding school activities and events.</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000/Department 740 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Supplemental and Concentration \$500</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 0000/Department 740 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Supplemental and Concentration \$500</p>

Action **5**

Actions/Services	<p>PLANNED Continue to reach out to EL families with TK children for enrollment in TK program. Continue to conduct annual needs assessment at DELAC. Compile and distribute meeting dates and topics for ELAC and DELAC meetings at beginning of each school year</p>	<p>ACTUAL TK information provided to all families at the elementary school sites, shared in DELAC meetings and communicated in local newspaper DELAC survey completed and ideas for family homework help implemented through Family Resource Center</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000/Department 740 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Supplemental and Concentration \$500</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL Resource 4201 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Title III \$9,426 Resource 4201 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Title III \$1,083 Resource 4201 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Title III \$184</p>

Action **6**

Actions/Services	<p>PLANNED Increase family Homelink accounts and continue to investigate and implement alternatives to engage more parents</p>	<p>ACTUAL The number of active Homelink (now called Parent Portal) account did not increase districtwide as expected. Overall CJUSD had a 5% decrease in the number of families with significantly higher numbers of active accounts at secondary level than elementary level.</p>
Expenditures	<p>BUDGETED Resource 0000/Department 740 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Supplemental and Concentration \$500</p>	<p>ESTIMATED ACTUAL \$0</p>

ANALYSIS

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's goals from the prior year LCAP. Duplicate the table as needed.

Use actual annual measurable outcome data, including performance data from the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, as applicable.

Describe the overall implementation of the actions/services to achieve the articulated goal.

Made progress in engaging and informing parents with increase in Parent Portal accounts. There was a strategic effort to communicate academic progress through Parent Portal with great success at secondary level, realize gap in elem usage, to be addressed in actions

Due to the unexpected Immigrant Funding received, Family Resource offered 2 sessions of Supporting Your Child in School parent class, created to give parents practical skills to use technology to access and communicate with the school and teacher, check assignments and attendance, locate resources and homework help.

Parent Survey for perceived safety and connectedness was incomplete. Survey will be conducted in 2017-18 as a component to the California Healthy Kids Survey

Describe the overall effectiveness of the actions/services to achieve the articulated goal as measured by the LEA.

Overall 5% decrease in district Parent Portal users from 2015-16 to 2016-17. Riles MS had 28% increase in user accounts. All other sites experienced a decrease varying from 3% to 16%.

Decrease in student participation in extracurricular participation throughout the district. District and school sites will improve advertisement of and communication about extracurriculars using multiple modes of outreach in order to increase student engagement at school.

Explain material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures.

Action 1: PBIS is a newly implemented program, so related expenditures have been added to actual expenditures when they were not included under planned expenditures.

Action 2: Transportation costs are included in actual expenditures.

Action 3: No costs were associated with the outreach.

Action 5: Title III Immigrant grant funding was obtained.

Action 6: There were no costs associated with the efforts to increase family Homelink accounts.

Describe any changes made to this goal, expected outcomes, metrics, or actions and services to achieve this goal as a result of this analysis and analysis of the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, as applicable. Identify where those changes can be found in the LCAP.

Added PBIS implementation to Action 1 for Dudley Elementary and Oak Hill Elementary with other sites to follow through phases of PBIS implementation

Due to the unexpected Immigrant Funding received, Family Resource offered 2 sessions of Supporting Your Child in School parent class, created to give parents practical skills to use technology to access and communicate with the school and teacher, check assignments and attendance, locate resources and homework help. Program will continue into 2017-18.

Adding a metric to measure parental input on decision making by monitoring parent advisory meetings held at every site.

Stakeholder Engagement

LCAP Year 2017-18 2018-19 2019-20

INVOLVEMENT PROCESS FOR LCAP AND ANNUAL UPDATE

How, when, and with whom did the LEA consult as part of the planning process for this LCAP/Annual Review and Analysis?

District Meetings: Superintendent presents draft LCAP and budget for review and comment to Leadership team and Parent Superintendent Council
 Leadership Meeting 11/16, 12/6/16, 1/10/17
 Parent Superintendent Council 11/30/16, 3/22/17, 4/26/17
District Advisory Groups: Superintendent presents draft LCAP and budget for review and comment to DELAC 3/8/17, 5/10/17
 Superintendent responded in writing to questions and comments received from the Parent Superintendent Council by 5/10/17 and DELAC by 5/24/17

Site Meetings: Site leadership presents draft LCAP and budget for review & comment:
 CHS: Booster Club 4/18/17, May 2017 Staff
 MHS: 5/3/17 SSC, 5/7/17 Staff
 WCR: 4/19/17 SSC & PTA, 5/1/17 Staff
 Dudley: 11/9/16 SSC, 3/21/17 SUMS, 4/24/17 Staff,
 North Country: 12/8/16 & 4/20/17 SSC, 4/18/17 Staff
 Oak Hill: 4/20/17 SSC & PTA, 5/3/17 Staff
 Spinelli: 1/19/17 SSC & ELAC, 4/24/17 Staff

Union Meetings: Superintendent presents draft LCAP and budget for review and comment to CUTA and CSEA
 CUTA 11/18/16, 2/15/17, 2/23/17
 CSEA November 2016, February 2017

Survey: October 2016-January 2017 All teachers, leadership students at Center HS and Riles MS, parents and other community members were invited to comment. The survey was posted on the district website. Survey links were distributed through email, classroom presentations and the district newsletter. Families were also invited via autodialer to access the survey link on the website.

Draft LCAP Posted online: 6/1/17 All stakeholders invited to comment

Submitted for public hearing: 6/7/17 District holds public hearing to solicit public comments on the LCAP and budget. Community questions and comments responded to and posted on CJUSD website .

Submitted for CJUSD Board approval: 6/14/17 CJUSD Board adopts the LCAP and the budget.

IMPACT ON LCAP AND ANNUAL UPDATE

How did these consultations impact the LCAP for the upcoming year?

The consensus at all meetings with stakeholders was to continue our work toward our three district goals through the continued expansion of programs, student supports and family outreach

Stakeholders at DELAC meeting were pleased with the varied CTE programs offered at the middle and high school and the expansion of programs and outreach through the Family Resource Center.

Stakeholders in staff meetings, union meetings and parent advisory meetings recognize the academic, social and emotional needs of students and supported the addition of Multi Tiered Student Supports (MTSS) on all three district goals.

Goals, Actions, & Services

Strategic Planning Details and Accountability

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's goals. Duplicate the table as needed.

New Modified Unchanged

Goal 1

Center JUSD students will be challenged and supported to achieve academic success in a clean, safe environment through Multi Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS)

State and/or Local Priorities Addressed by this goal:

STATE 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
 COE 9 10
 LOCAL

Identified Need

The percentage of students who meet or exceed standards on CAASPP is lower than expected

EXPECTED ANNUAL MEASURABLE OUTCOMES

Metrics/Indicators	Baseline	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
CCSS, ELD, NGSS implementation by district or site personnel weekly classroom walkthroughs and observation tool	100%, weekly classroom walk throughs	100%, weekly classroom walk throughs	100%, weekly classroom walk throughs	100%, weekly classroom walk throughs
CAASPP ELA/Math overall	ELA CAASPP Results: (2015-16) 3rd Grade: 21.4% (55/257) Standards Met, 18.6% (48/257) Standards Exceeded 4th Grade: 24% (74/308) Standards Met, 13.3% (41/308) Standards Exceeded 5th Grade: 30% (88/293) Standards Met, 12.6% (37/293) Standards Exceeded 6th Grade: 35% (97/277) Standards Met, 15.1% (42/277) Standards Exceeded	CAASPP (2016-17) 3rd: 23.9 Standards Met, 21.1% Standards Exceeded 4th: 26.5% Standards Met, 15.8% Standards Exceeded 5th: 32.5% Standards Met, 15.1% Standards Exceeded 6th: 37.5% Standards Met, 17.6% Standards Exceeded 7th: 35.7% Standards Met 10.8% Standards Exceeded 8th: 41.5% Standards Met	CAASPP (2017-18) 3rd: 26.4% Standards Met, 23.6% Standards Exceeded 4th: 29% Standards Met, 18.3% Standards Exceeded 5th: 35% Standards Met, 17.6% Standards Exceeded 6th: 40% Standards Met, 20.1% Standards Exceeded 7th: 38.2% Standards Met 13.3% Standards Exceeded 8th: 44% Standards Met	CAASPP (2018-19) 3rd: 28.9% Standards Met, 26.1% Standards Exceeded 4th: 31.5% Standards Met, 20.8% Standards Exceeded 5th: 37.5% Standards Met, 20.1% Standards Exceeded 6th: 42.5% Standards Met, 22.6% Standards Exceeded 7th: 41% Standards Met 15.8% Standards Exceeded 8th: 46.5% Standards Met

	<p>7th Grade: 33.2% (96/289) Standards Met, 8.3% (24/289) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>8th Grade: 39% (95/243) Standards Met, 12.7% (31/243) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>11th Grade: 36.2% (105/290) Standards Met, 24.4% (71/290) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>MATH CAASPP Results: (2015-16) 3rd Grade: 29.5% (76/257) Standards Met, 12.8% (33/257) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>4th Grade: 21% (65/309) Standards Met, 5.5% (17/309) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>5th Grade: 15.6% (46/293) Standards Met, 7.5% (22/293) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>6th Grade: 21.2% (59/277) Standards Met, 11.1% (31/277) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>7th Grade: 27.3% (79/289) Standards Met, 10.3% (30/289) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>8th Grade: 26.4% (64/242) Standards Met, 23.1% (56/242) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>11th Grade: 22.7% (65/286) Standards Met, 18.8% (54/286) Standards Exceeded</p> <p>EL Progress Indicator: 72.8%</p>	<p>15.2% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>11th: 38.7% Standards Met, 26.9% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>MATH CAASPP Results: (2016-17) 3rd Grade: 32% Standards Met, 15.3% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>4th Grade: 23.5% Standards Met, 8% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>5th Grade: 18.1% Standards Met, 10% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>6th Grade: 23.7% Standards Met, 13.6% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>7th Grade: 29.8% Standards Met, 12.8% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>8th Grade: 28.9% Standards Met, 25.6% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>11th Grade: 25.2% Standards Met, 21.3% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>EL Progress Indicator: 74.3%</p> <p>8.8% reclassification</p> <p>K-2 BENCHMARKS</p> <p>FLUENCY Kindergarten: 59.8% can correctly identify 10 high</p>	<p>17.7% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>11th: 41.2% Standards Met, 29.4% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>MATH CAASPP Results: (2017-18) 3rd Grade: 34.5% Standards Met, 17.8% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>4th Grade: 26% Standards Met, 10.5% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>5th Grade: 20.6% Standards Met, 12.5% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>6th Grade: 26.2% Standards Met, 16.1% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>7th Grade: 32.3% Standards Met, 15.3% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>8th Grade: 31.4% Standards Met, 28.1% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>11th Grade: 27.7% Standards Met, 23.8% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>EL Progress Indicator: 75.8%</p> <p>13.5% reclassification</p> <p>K-2 BENCHMARKS</p> <p>FLUENCY Kindergarten: 61.8% can correctly identify 10 high frequency words.</p>	<p>20.2% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>11th: 43.7% Standards Met, 31.9% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>MATH CAASPP Results: (2018-19) 3rd Grade: 37% Standards Met, 20.3% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>4th Grade: 28.5% Standards Met, 13% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>5th Grade: 23.1% Standards Met, 15% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>6th Grade: 28.7% Standards Met, 18.6% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>7th Grade: 34.8% Standards Met, 17.8% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>8th Grade: 33.9% Standards Met, 30.6% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>11th Grade: 30.2% Standards Met, 26.3% Standards Exceeded</p> <p>EL Progress Indicator: 77.3%</p> <p>16% reclassification</p> <p>K-2 BENCHMARKS</p> <p>FLUENCY Kindergarten: 63.8% can correctly identify 10 high</p>
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<p>CJUSD reclassified 25 students in 2016-17 at 3.8% reclassification rate</p> <p>K-2 BENCHMARKS</p> <p>FLUENCY Kindergarten: 57.8% can correctly identify 10 high frequency words.</p> <p>1st Grade: 5% are reading at a fluent rate of 82 WPM or greater.</p> <p>2nd Grade: 15% are reading at a fluent rate of 117 WPM or greater.</p> <p>WRITING Kindergarten: Focus: 85.7%, Organization: 82.5%, Grammar & Usage: 58.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 48.5% 1st Grade: Focus:62.9%, Organization: 58.9%, Support: 57.6%, Grammar & Usage: 51.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 39.8%, 2nd Grade: Focus: 66.1%, Organization: 51.3%, Support: 53.3%, Grammar & Usage: 50.9%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 50.2%</p> <p>MATH Kindergarten: 44.7% have an understanding of basic facts within 5, 70.1% have a complete understanding of counting and cardinality</p> <p>1st Grade: 33.6% have an</p> <p>Teacher Misassignments</p> <p>Student access to standards aligned curriculum</p> <p>Facilities Inspection</p>	<p>frequency words.</p> <p>1st Grade: 7% are reading at a fluent rate of 82 WPM or greater.</p> <p>2nd Grade: 17% are reading at a fluent rate of 117 WPM or greater.</p> <p>WRITING Kindergarten: Focus: 87.7%, Organization: 84.5%, Grammar & Usage: 60.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 50.5% 1st Grade: Focus:64.9%, Organization: 60.9%, Support: 59.6%, Grammar & Usage: 53.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 41.8%, 2nd Grade: Focus: 68.1%, Organization: 53.3%, Support: 55.3%, Grammar & Usage: 52.9%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 52.2%</p> <p>MATH Kindergarten: 46.7% understanding of basic facts within 5, 72.1% complete understanding of counting and cardinality</p> <p>1st Grade: 35.6% understanding of basic facts within 10, 68% complete understanding of sums and differences to 10</p> <p>2nd Grade: 66.8% understanding of basic facts within 20, 60.3% complete understanding of sums and differences to 20</p> <p>Not to exceed 3% misassignments</p>	<p>frequency words.</p> <p>1st Grade: 9% are reading at a fluent rate of 82 WPM or greater.</p> <p>2nd Grade: 19% are reading at a fluent rate of 117 WPM or greater.</p> <p>WRITING Kindergarten: Focus: 89.7%, Organization: 86.5%, Grammar & Usage: 62.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 52.5% 1st Grade: Focus:66.9%, Organization: 62.9%, Support: 61.6%, Grammar & Usage: 55.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 43.8%, 2nd Grade: Focus: 70.1%, Organization: 55.3%, Support: 57.3%, Grammar & Usage: 54.9%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 54.2%</p> <p>MATH Kindergarten: 48.7% understanding of basic facts within 5, 74.1% complete understanding of counting and cardinality</p> <p>1st Grade: 37.6% understanding of basic facts within 10, 70% complete understanding of sums and differences to 10</p> <p>2nd Grade: 68.8% understanding of basic facts within 20, 62.3% complete understanding of sums and differences to 20</p> <p>Not to exceed 3% misassignments</p>	<p>frequency words.</p> <p>1st Grade: 11% are reading at a fluent rate of 82 WPM or greater.</p> <p>2nd Grade: 21% are reading at a fluent rate of 117 WPM or greater.</p> <p>WRITING Kindergarten: Focus: 91.7%, Organization: 88.5%, Grammar & Usage: 64.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 54.5% 1st Grade: Focus:68.9%, Organization: 64.9%, Support: 63.6%, Grammar & Usage: 57.6%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 45.8%, 2nd Grade: Focus: 72.1%, Organization: 57.3%, Support: 59.3%, Grammar & Usage: 56.9%, Capitalization/punctuation/spelling: 56.2%</p> <p>MATH Kindergarten: 50.7% understanding of basic facts within 5, 76.1% complete understanding of counting and cardinality</p> <p>1st Grade: 39.6% understanding of basic facts within 10, 72% complete understanding of sums and differences to 10</p> <p>2nd Grade: 70.8% understanding of basic facts within 20, 64.3% complete understanding of sums and differences to 20</p> <p>Not to exceed 3% misassignments</p>
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<p>ERMHS</p>	<p>understanding of of basic facts within 10, 66% have a complete understanding of sums and differences to 10</p> <p>2nd Grade: 64.8% have an understanding of basic facts within 20, 58.3% have complete understanding of sums and differences to 20</p> <p>1% of teachers misassigned (4/208)</p> <p>100% of students have access to standards aligned curriculum as certified by the CJUSD Board of Trustees</p> <p>100% of schools passed the Facilities Inspection</p> <p>ERMHS Students served: 69 Daily Attendance, 2016-17: 93% Average GPA 2016-17: 2.09</p>	<p>100% access to stds aligned curriculum</p> <p>100% pass Facilities Inspection</p> <p>ERMHS Students served: 70 Daily Attendance: 93.5% Average GPA: 2.19%</p>	<p>100% access to stds aligned curriculum</p> <p>100% pass Facilities Inspection</p> <p>ERMHS Students served:72 Daily Attendance: 94% Average GPA: 2.29%</p>	<p>100% access to stds aligned curriculum</p> <p>100% pass Facilities Inspection</p> <p>ERMHS Students served: 74 Daily Attendance: 94.5% Average GPA: 2.40%</p>
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PLANNED ACTIONS / SERVICES

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's Actions/Services. Duplicate the table, including Budgeted Expenditures, as needed.

Action **1**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All	<input type="checkbox"/> Students with Disabilities
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools: <input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> English Learners	<input type="checkbox"/> Foster Youth	<input type="checkbox"/> Low Income
<u>Scope of Services</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> LEA-wide	<input type="checkbox"/> Schoolwide	OR <input type="checkbox"/> Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools:	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

K-12 teachers will use the California State Standards in ELA, ELD, Literacy, History, Social Studies, Science and Technical Subjects. K-12 Teachers will use the California State Standards in mathematics. Teachers will use the new California Social Science Framework to align current California History/Social Science Standards and current curriculum.

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

K-12 teachers will use the California State Standards in ELA, ELD, Literacy, History, Social Studies, Science and Technical Subjects. K-12 Teachers will use the California State Standards in mathematics. Teachers will use the newly adopted History/Social Science curriculum. Teachers will use the Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS) to align current Science curriculum.

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

K-12 teachers will use the California State Standards in ELA, ELD, Literacy, History, Social Studies, Science and Technical Subjects. K-12 Teachers will use the California State Standards in mathematics. Teachers will use the adopted History/Social Science curriculum. Teachers will use the newly adopted NGSS curriculum.

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount \$9,451,579

2018-19

Amount \$9,451,579

2019-20

Amount \$9,451,579

Source	Base	Source	Base	Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000
Amount	\$2,797,467	Amount	\$2,972,510	Amount	\$3,147,364
Source	Base	Source	Base	Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000
Amount	\$2,950,893	Amount	\$2,950,893	Amount	\$2,950,893
Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 6500	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 6500	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 6500
Amount	\$835,957	Amount	\$890,608	Amount	\$945,199
Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6500	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6500	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6500
Amount	\$217,030	Amount	\$217,030	Amount	\$217,030
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$41,679	Amount	\$45,698	Amount	\$49,713
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010
Amount	\$4,312,894	Amount	\$4,312,894	Amount	\$4,312,894
Source	Base	Source	Base	Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 1400	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 1400	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 1400

Amount	\$1,379,038	Amount	\$1,458,912	Amount	\$1,538,701
Source	Base	Source	Base	Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 1400	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 1400	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 1400

Action 2

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

- New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

- New Modified Unchanged

Purchase History/Social Science standards aligned curriculum for grades 7th-12th, by June 2018. Provide professional development to support the implementation of adopted curriculum.

Purchase Next Generation Science Standards aligned curriculum for grades 7th-12th by June 2019. Provide professional development to support the implementation of adopted curriculum.

Purchase K-6 History/Social Science standards aligned curriculum for grades K-6th by June 2019. Provide professional development to support the implementation of adopted curriculum.

Purchase K-6 Next Generation Science Standards aligned curriculum for grades K-6th by June 2020. Provide professional development to support the implementation of adopted curriculum.

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount \$250,000

Source Base

Budget Reference 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000

Amount \$50,000

Source Base

Budget Reference 5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 0000

2018-19

Amount \$500,000

Source Base

Budget Reference 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000

Amount \$100,000

Source Base

Budget Reference 5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 0000

2019-20

Amount \$250,000

Source Base

Budget Reference 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000

Amount \$50,000

Source Base

Budget Reference 5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 0000

Action **3**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

2018-19

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

K-12 Teachers will access Professional Development to support the implementation of California Common Core State Standards.

New Modified Unchanged

K-12 Teachers will
 ~continue Professional Development to support the implementation of California Common Core State Standards
 ~access Professional Development to support the implementation of NGSS
 ~access Professional Development to support the newly adopted History/Social Science curriculum

New Modified Unchanged

K-12 Teachers will
 ~continue Professional Development to support the implementation of California Common Core State Standards
 ~access Professional Development to support the adopted History/Social Science curriculum
 ~access Professional Development to support the implementation of NGSS newly adopted curriculum

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$10,000
Source	Title II
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 4035
Amount	\$1,765
Source	Title II
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 4035
Amount	\$15,000
Source	Title II
Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 4035

2018-19

Amount	\$10,000
Source	Title II
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 4035
Amount	\$1,950
Source	Title II
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 4035
Amount	\$15,000
Source	Title II
Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 4035

2019-20

Amount	\$10,000
Source	Title II
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 4035
Amount	\$2,135
Source	Title II
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 4035
Amount	\$15,000
Source	Title II
Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 4035

Action **4**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All	<input type="checkbox"/> Students with Disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools:	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> English Learners	<input type="checkbox"/> Foster Youth	<input type="checkbox"/> Low Income
<u>Scope of Services</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> LEA-wide	<input type="checkbox"/> Schoolwide	OR <input type="checkbox"/> Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools:	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
<input type="checkbox"/> New <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Modified <input type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged
Provide Teacher Induction support to new teachers	Provide Teacher Induction support to new teachers	Provide Teacher Induction support to new teachers

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18		2018-19		2019-20	
Amount	\$32,850	Amount	\$32,850	Amount	\$32,850
Source	Title II	Source	Title II	Source	Title II
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 4035	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 4035	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 4035
Amount	\$5,798	Amount	\$6,406	Amount	\$7,014

Source	Title II	Source	Title II	Source	Title II
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 4035	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 4035	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 4035
Amount	\$34,200	Amount	\$34,200	Amount	\$34,200
Source	Title II	Source	Title II	Source	Title II
Budget Reference	5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 4035	Budget Reference	5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 4035	Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 4035

Action 5

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Elementary Sites Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: elementary schools Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

- New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

- New Modified Unchanged

District will work closely with site administrators to reduce or eliminate the need for combination classes.

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BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount

Source

Budget Reference

Amount

Source

Budget Reference

2018-19

Amount

Source

Budget Reference

Amount

Source

Budget Reference

2019-20

Amount

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Budget Reference

Action **6**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: McClellan High School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: McClellan High Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

McClellan HS will provide support classes: Success, Study Skills, and General Math.

Students identified as struggling will be enrolled in Intervention Periods through our Title One program.

Site Admin will regularly meet with struggling students to provide individualized support and guidance in achieving greater academic success

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BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$35,507
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$9,304
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$15,000
Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$11,242
Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010

2018-19

Amount	\$35,507
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$9,962
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$15,000
Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$12,422
Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010

2019-20

Amount	\$35,507
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$10,619
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$15,000
Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$13,601
Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010

Action **7**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Center High School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Center HS Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

- New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

- New Modified Unchanged

Center HS will provide support classes: Math Lab, English lab and Summer School program

Center HS will provide support classes: Math Lab, English lab, credit recovery, Summer School program

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BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$125,502
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$850

2018-19

Amount	\$125,502
Source	Supplemental
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$850

2019-20

Amount	\$125,502
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$850

Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$32,467	Amount	\$34,815	Amount	\$37,162
Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$12,500	Amount	\$12,500	Amount	\$12,500
Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 0000/Dept 740

Action **8**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Riles Middle School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

2018-19

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

New Modified Unchanged

New Modified Unchanged

Wilson Riles Middle School will provide support: EL Support Class, Intervention Period during the school day (Tues-Fri) and Husky Help before and after school (Tues-Fri). College tutors provide tutoring in the AVID elective classes twice a week for AVID students.

Wilson Riles Middle School will provide support: EL Support Class, Intervention Period during the school day (Tues-Fri) and Husky Help before and after school (Tues-Fri).

Wilson Riles Middle School will provide support: EL Support Class, Intervention Period during the school day (Tues-Fri) and Husky Help before and after school (Tues-Fri).

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18		2018-19		2019-20	
Amount	\$77,569	Amount	\$77,569	Amount	\$77,569
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$24,423	Amount	\$25,601	Amount	\$26,779
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010
Amount	\$7,000	Amount	\$7,000	Amount	\$7,000
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 3010	Budget Reference	5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 3010	Budget Reference	5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 3010

Action 9

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Oak Hill Elementary Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Oak Hill Elementary Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

Oak Hill Elementary will provide after school intervention for grades 1st-6th in English/Language Arts and 3rd-6th in math

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

Oak Hill Elementary will provide after school intervention for grades 1st-6th in English/Language Arts and 3rd-6th in math

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Oak Hill Elementary will provide before or after school intervention for grades 1st-6th in English/Language Arts and 3rd-6th in math

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$20,000
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$3,530
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740

2018-19

Amount	\$20,000
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$3,900
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740

2019-20

Amount	\$20,000
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$4,270
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740

Action **10**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All	<input type="checkbox"/> Students with Disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools: <u>Spinelli Elementary</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> English Learners	<input type="checkbox"/> Foster Youth	<input type="checkbox"/> Low Income
<u>Scope of Services</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> LEA-wide	<input type="checkbox"/> Schoolwide	OR <input type="checkbox"/> Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools:	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Spinelli Elementary will provide morning intervention for grades 1st-6th in English/Language Arts and Math. Title I push in and pull out support for grades K-6th in English/Language Arts and math.

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BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$124,036
Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$24,249

2018-19

Amount	\$124,036
Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$26,545

2019-20

Amount	\$124,036
Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$28,841

Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010

Action **11**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served All Students with Disabilities

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: North Country Elem Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

North Country provides RTI in ELA the form of specific diagnostic leveled groups for 30 minutes during the school day in grades first through sixth. The groups are based on information from universal screeners and are fluid in terms of students moving groups every few weeks based on progress in their groups and classroom assessments. All staff is involved including RSP and Title I. Staff pushes in or pulls out based on grade level group size and need. Morning Intervention for reading is still available one hour before school for grades 1-6 three days a week. Student goals are written in their

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

North Country will provide RTI in ELA the form of specific diagnostic leveled groups for 30 minutes during the school day in grades first through sixth. Kindergarten will be added to the RTI block. Groups are based on information from universal screeners and are fluid in terms of students moving groups every few weeks based on progress in their groups and classroom assessments. All staff is involved including RSP and Title I. Staff pushes in or pulls out based on grade level group size and need. Morning Intervention for reading is still available one hour before school for grades 1-6 three

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

North Country will provide RTI in ELA the form of specific diagnostic leveled groups for 30 minutes during the school day in grades first through sixth. Kindergarten will be added to the RTI block. The groups are based on information from universal screeners and are fluid in terms of students moving groups every few weeks based on progress in their groups and classroom assessments. All staff is involved including RSP and Title I. Staff pushes in or pulls out based on grade level group size and need. Morning Intervention for reading is still available one hour before school for grades 1-6 three

Leadership Notebooks and tracked regularly.

days a week. Math intervention will be added in the hour before school. Students will have intervention goals listed in their Leadership Notebooks as a WIG (Wildly Important Goal) which will be tracked and re-visited bi-weekly.

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BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

2018-19

2019-20

Amount	\$45,535	Amount	\$45,535	Amount	\$45,535
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$56,485	Amount	\$56,485	Amount	\$56,485
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$22,454	Amount	\$24,938	Amount	\$27,418
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010
Amount	\$291,014	Amount	\$291,014	Amount	\$291,014
Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3310	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3310	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3310
Amount	\$147,405	Amount	\$155,851	Amount	\$164,290
Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3310	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3310	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3310

Action **12**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All	<input type="checkbox"/> Students with Disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools: <u>Dudley Elementary</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> English Learners	<input type="checkbox"/> Foster Youth	<input type="checkbox"/> Low Income
<u>Scope of Services</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> LEA-wide	<input type="checkbox"/> Schoolwide	OR <input type="checkbox"/> Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools:	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

Dudley will provide Intervention, within the school day, in grades K-6. Intervention occurs two ways: during a 30 minute Intervention Rotation and during a 30 minute Workshop. Teachers are able to provide support to targeted groups as well as to individuals using this strategy. Qualifying for Intervention support is related to local common assessments. Title I staff push in to classrooms to provide support to students. This push-in support may occur during direct instruction, independent practice, workshop, and/or Intervention rotation. This support can be in ELA or Math. If the child continues to struggle with academic needs, a Student Success Plan will be written. Student Success Plans defines specific concerns and establish SMART goals for the individual child as well as listing accommodations and modifications that will be employed to assist the student in meeting his/her goal.

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

Dudley will provide Intervention, within the school day, in grades K-6. Intervention occurs two ways: during a 30 minute Intervention Rotation and during a 30 minute Workshop. Teachers are able to provide support to targeted groups as well as to individuals using this strategy. Qualifying for Intervention support is related to local common assessments. Title I staff push in to classrooms to provide support to students. This push-in support may occur during direct instruction, independent practice, workshop, and/or Intervention rotation. This support can be in ELA or Math. If the child continues to struggle with academic needs, a Student Success Plan will be written. Student Success Plans defines specific concerns and establish SMART goals for the individual child as well as listing accommodations and modifications that will be employed to assist the student in meeting his/her goal.

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Dudley will provide Intervention, within the school day, in grades K-6. Intervention occurs two ways: during a 30 minute Intervention Rotation and during a 30 minute Workshop. Teachers are able to provide support to targeted groups as well as to individuals using this strategy. Qualifying for Intervention support is related to local common assessments. Title I staff push in to classrooms to provide support to students. This push-in support may occur during direct instruction, independent practice, workshop, and/or Intervention rotation. This support can be in ELA or Math. If the child continues to struggle with academic needs, a Student Success Plan will be written. Student Success Plans defines specific concerns and establish SMART goals for the individual child as well as listing accommodations and modifications that will be employed to assist the student in meeting his/her goal.

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18		2018-19		2019-20	
Amount	\$41,064	Amount	\$42,296	Amount	\$42,296
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$54,383	Amount	\$56,975	Amount	\$59,567
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$23,647	Amount	\$26,954	Amount	\$30,193
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010

Action **13**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All
 Students with Disabilities
 GATE

Location(s)

- All Schools
 Specific Schools:
 Specific Grade spans:
- Dudley Elementary
North Country Elementary
Dudley Elementary
Spinelli Elementary
Riles Middle School

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners
 Foster Youth
 Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New Modified Unchanged

GATE opportunities:

- Wilson Riles Middle School GATE Academy. Teachers will use GATE strategies such as compacting, differentiation, depth and complexity, and Blooms Taxonomy questioning in order to provide students with a deeper understanding of the material. The academy will provide them with lessons that will challenge the students to think about subjects in a different way.
- Oak Hill Elementary: Differentiated learning within the GATE/high achiever class 4th-5th. GATE challenge activities before and after school
- Spinelli: Differentiated learning within the classroom. Weekly GATE challenge activities after school. Annual participation in Nature Bowl.
- North Country: Differentiated learning within the classroom. GATE challenge activities after school for grades 3-6: video production and editing including story boards, script writing and public speaking. GATE students add goals to their Leadership Notebooks and celebrate progress on a monthly basis.
- Dudley: Differentiated learning for GATE qualifying student will occur within the classroom. These differentiation strategies will be shared with the parents of our GATE qualifying students through a Student Success Plan which defines specific goals for the individual child as well as listing accommodations and modifications that will be employed to assist the student in meeting his/her

2018-19

- New Modified Unchanged

GATE opportunities:

- Wilson Riles Middle School GATE Academy. Teachers will use GATE strategies such as compacting, differentiation, depth and complexity, and Blooms Taxonomy questioning in order to provide students with a deeper understanding of the material. The academy will provide them with lessons that will challenge the students to think about subjects in a different way.
- Oak Hill Elementary: Differentiated learning within the GATE/high achiever class 4th-5th. GATE challenge activities before and after school
- Spinelli: Differentiated learning within the classroom. Weekly GATE challenge activities after school. Annual participation in Nature Bowl.
- North Country: Differentiated learning within the classroom. GATE challenge activities after school for grades 3-6: video production and editing including story boards, script writing and public speaking. GATE students add goals to their Leadership Notebooks and celebrate progress on a monthly basis.
- Dudley: Differentiated learning for GATE qualifying student will occur within the classroom. These differentiation strategies will be shared with the parents of our GATE qualifying students through a Student Success Plan which defines specific goals for the individual child as well as listing accommodations and modifications that will be employed to assist the student in meeting his/her goal.

2019-20

- New Modified Unchanged

Wilson Riles Middle School GATE Academy. Teachers will use GATE strategies such as compacting, differentiation, depth and complexity, and Blooms Taxonomy questioning in order to provide students with a deeper understanding of the material. The academy will provide them with lessons that will challenge the students to think about subjects in a different way.

Oak Hill Elementary: Differentiated learning within the GATE/high achiever class 4th-5th. GATE challenge activities before and after school

Spinelli: Differentiated learning within the classroom. Weekly GATE challenge activities after school. Annual participation in Nature Bowl.

North Country: Differentiated learning within the classroom. GATE challenge activities after school: for grades 3-6: video production and editing including story boards, script writing and public speaking. GATE students add goals to their Leadership Notebooks and celebrate progress on a monthly basis.

Dudley: Differentiated learning for GATE qualifying student will occur within the classroom. These differentiation strategies will be shared with the parents of our GATE qualifying students through a Student Success Plan which defines specific goals for the individual child as well as listing accommodations and modifications that will be employed to assist the student in meeting his/her goal.

goal.

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18		2018-19		2019-20	
Amount	\$20,000	Amount	\$20,000	Amount	\$20,000
Source	Base	Source	Base	Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000
Amount	\$3,530	Amount	\$3,900	Amount	\$4,270
Source	Base	Source	Base	Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000
Amount	\$10,000	Amount	\$10,000	Amount	\$10,000
Source	Base	Source	Base	Source	Base
Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000	Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000	Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000

Action **14**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide **OR** Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools
 Specific Schools:
 Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New
 Modified
 Unchanged

2018-19

- New
 Modified
 Unchanged

2019-20

- New
 Modified
 Unchanged

Teacher collaboration: vertical between elementary-middle, horizontal between elementary sites, grade level/dept

Teacher collaboration: vertical between elementary-middle, horizontal between elementary sites, grade level/dept

Teacher collaboration: vertical between elementary-middle, horizontal between elementary sites, grade level/dept

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount \$500

Source Base

Budget Reference 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 0000

2018-19

Amount \$500

Source Base

Budget Reference 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 0000

2019-20

Amount \$500

Source Base

Budget Reference 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 0000

Action **15**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All
 Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools
 Specific Schools:
 Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners
 Foster Youth
 Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide
 Schoolwide
 OR
 Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools
 Specific Schools:
 Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New
 Modified
 Unchanged

Continue to provide Bilingual Assistants to school sites to support students and families

2018-19

- New
 Modified
 Unchanged

Continue to provide Bilingual Assistants to school sites to support students and families

2019-20

- New
 Modified
 Unchanged

Continue to provide Bilingual Assistants to school sites to support students and families

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$154,780
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$72,327
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

2018-19

Amount	\$154,780
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$76,819
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

2019-20

Amount	\$154,780
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$81,307
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

Action **16**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All
 Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools
 Specific Schools: Spinelli Elementary
 Specific Grade spans:

North Country Elementary

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

- New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

- New Modified Unchanged

Add .5 FTE EL Teacher at Spinelli Elementary and .5 FTE EL Teacher at North Country Elementary

Maintain EL coverage at each site

Maintain EL coverage at each site

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$450,649
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$125,957
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

2018-19

Amount	\$450,649
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$134,303
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

2019-20

Amount	\$450,649
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$142,640
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

Action **17**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Riles Middle School
Center High School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Riles MS and Center HS Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

Support transition of EL students from middle to high school with summer school for incoming 9th grade EL students.

Measure the effectiveness of the reclassification roadmap, making adjustments as needed to account for changes in standardized language assessment and other adjustments deemed appropriate to meet the needs of the EL population.

Support transition of EL students from elementary to middle school with summer school for incoming 7th graders.

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

Support transition of EL students from middle to high school with summer school for incoming 9th grade EL students.

Support transition of EL students from elementary to middle school with summer school for incoming 7th graders.

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Support transition of EL students from middle to high school with summer school for incoming 9th grade EL students.

Support transition of EL students from elementary to middle school with summer school for incoming 7th graders.

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$10,000
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$1,765
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

2018-19

Amount	\$10,000
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$1,950
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

2019-20

Amount	\$10,000
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$2,135
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

Action **18**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Riles Middle School
Center High School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Riles MS, Center HS Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

- New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

- New Modified Unchanged

<p>Support long-term EL students with Long Term EL Support class at Center High School and Wilson Riles Middle School.</p> <p>EL teacher at CHS to be given extra prep in schedule to track/monitor/support EL students, long term EL students and monitor Redesignated Fluent English Proficient students.</p>	<p>Support long-term EL students with Long Term EL Support class at Center High School and Wilson Riles Middle School.</p> <p>The EL teacher at CHS to be given extra prep in schedule to track/monitor/support EL students, long term EL students and monitor Redesignated Fluent English Proficient students.</p>	<p>Support long-term EL students with Long Term EL Support class at Center High School and Wilson Riles Middle School.</p> <p>The EL teacher at CHS to be given extra prep in schedule to track/monitor/support EL students, long term EL students and monitor Redesignated Fluent English Proficient students.</p>
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BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$50,472
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$15,275
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

2018-19

Amount	\$50,472
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$16,210
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

2019-20

Amount	\$50,472
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000 / Dept 740
Amount	\$17,413
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000 / Dept 740

Action **19**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Family Resource Center Integrated Services Technicians will provide mentoring, tutoring, and transition planning for secondary foster youth and unaccompanied homeless youth who are identified as needing those services

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BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$27,500
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 5640
Amount	\$6,935
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 5640

2018-19

Amount	\$27,500
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 5640
Amount	\$7,734
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 5640

2019-20

Amount	\$27,500
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 5640
Amount	\$8,531
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 5640

Action **20**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Source	Federal Funds	Source	Federal Funds	Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 5630/5640	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 5630/5640	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 5630/5640
Amount	\$60,000	Amount	\$60,000	Amount	\$60,000
Source	Federal Funds	Source	Federal Funds	Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 5630/5640	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 5630/5640	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 5630/5640
Amount	\$28,126	Amount	\$30,309	Amount	\$32,490
Source	Federal Funds	Source	Federal Funds	Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 5630/5640	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 5630/5640	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 5630/5640
Amount	\$52,288	Amount	\$52,288	Amount	\$52,288
Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$13,271	Amount	\$14,239	Amount	\$15,206
Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$14,689	Amount	\$14,689	Amount	\$14,689
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$4,440	Amount	\$4,867	Amount	\$5,293
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010

Action 21

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All	<input type="checkbox"/> Students with Disabilities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <u>Special Education</u>
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools:	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> English Learners	<input type="checkbox"/> Foster Youth	<input type="checkbox"/> Low Income
<u>Scope of Services</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> LEA-wide	<input type="checkbox"/> Schoolwide	OR <input type="checkbox"/> Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools:	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Provide academic support for Special Education Students: study skills classes, instructional assistants

Provide academic support for Special Education Students: study skills classes, instructional assistants

Provide academic support for Special Education Students: study skills classes, instructional assistants

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount \$1,719,462

Source Special Education

Budget Reference 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3310/6500

2018-19

Amount \$1,719,462

Source Special Education

Budget Reference 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3310/6500

2019-20

Amount \$1,719,462

Source Special Education

Budget Reference 2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3310/6500

Amount	\$903,211
Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3310/6500

Amount	\$953,110
Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3310/6500

Amount	\$1,002,975
Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3310/6500

Action **22**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All
 Students with Disabilities
 Special Education

Location(s)

- All Schools
 Specific Schools:
 Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners
 Foster Youth
 Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide
 Schoolwide
 OR
 Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools
 Specific Schools:
 Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New
 Modified
 Unchanged

2018-19

- New
 Modified
 Unchanged

2019-20

- New
 Modified
 Unchanged

School Psychologists, School Counselors, and the Behavior Specialist on the Educationally-related Mental Health Services (ERMHS) Team will provide evidence-based social, emotional, and behavioral interventions to students in individual and group counseling, psychoeducational lessons in classroom settings, and consultation to staff and parents in order to enable students to reach IEP goals and access their educational programs.

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BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18		2018-19		2019-20	
Amount	\$113,980	Amount	\$113,980	Amount	\$113,980
Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 6512	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 6512	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 6512
Amount	\$68,336	Amount	\$68,336	Amount	\$68,336
Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 6512	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 6512	Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 6512
Amount	\$60,499	Amount	\$64,584	Amount	\$68,674
Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6512	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6512	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6512
Amount	\$13,500	Amount	\$13,500	Amount	\$13,500
Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 6512	Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 6512	Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 6512
Amount	\$11,000	Amount	\$11,000	Amount	\$11,000
Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 6512	Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 6512	Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 6512

Action **23**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served All Students with Disabilities

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Review staff levels and create a plan to add district administrative positions accordingly. Add a Director of Curriculum, Instruction, and Special Education as a result of prior review.

Review staff levels and create a plan to add district administrative positions accordingly

Review staff levels and create a plan to add district administrative positions accordingly

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount \$56,070

Source Special Education

Budget Reference 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 6500

Source Special Education

Budget Reference 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6500

2018-19

Amount \$500

Source Base

Budget Reference 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000

Source

Budget Reference

2019-20

Amount \$500

Source Base

Budget Reference 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000

Source

Budget Reference

Budget Reference 1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000

Budget Reference

Budget Reference

Budget Reference 3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000

Budget Reference

Budget Reference

Action **25**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Review staff levels and create a plan to add site administrative positions accordingly

Review staff levels and create a plan to add site administrative positions accordingly

Review staff levels and create a plan to add site administrative positions accordingly

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount \$500

Source Base

2018-19

Amount \$500

Source Base

2019-20

Amount \$500

Source Base

Budget
Reference

4000-4999: Books And Supplies
Resource 0000

Budget
Reference

4000-4999: Books And Supplies
Resource 0000

Budget
Reference

4000-4999: Books And Supplies
Resource 0000

Goals, Actions, & Services

Strategic Planning Details and Accountability

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's goals. Duplicate the table as needed.

New
 Modified
 Unchanged

Goal 2

Through Multi Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) Center JUSD students will be college and career ready

State and/or Local Priorities Addressed by this goal:

STATE 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
 COE 9 10
 LOCAL

Identified Need

Examination of student achievement data from a variety of sources reveals that students are not achieving at the full potential necessary to succeed in college and career. To prepare students for College & Career, it is a priority of CJUSD to increase CTE opportunities, a-g participation and completion rate, increase AP offerings and AP test passage rate, increase graduation rate

EXPECTED ANNUAL MEASURABLE OUTCOMES

Metrics/Indicators	Baseline	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
CTE Offerings	14 CTE offerings, 43 sections	Maintain 14 CTE offerings	Maintain 14 CTE offerings	Maintain 14 CTE offerings
a-g Completion	2016-17: 23% (69/299) of current seniors a-g qualifiers passing all their classes with a C or higher grade	Increase a-g completion rate to 23.5%	Increase a-g completion rate to 24%	Increase a-g completion rate to 24.5%
AP Enrollment	2016-17: 27% (161/595 Jr/Sr students) completed at least 1 AP course	29% complete at least one AP class	31% complete at least one AP class	33% complete at least one AP class
AP Passage Rate, 3 or better	2016: 68.8% AP students with scores 3+	70.3% of AP students with scores 3+	71.8% of AP students with scores 3+	73.3% of AP students with scores 3+
11th grade Assessment	2016 Smarter Balanced, grade 11: 44% (117/264) MET	46.5% MET achievement Standard in math 66.5% MET achievement Standard in ELA	49% MET achievement Standard in math 69% MET achievement Standard	51.5% MET achievement Standard in math 71.5% MET achievement Standard in ELA

	Achievement Standard in math 64% (172/267) MET Achievement Standard in English/Language Arts		in ELA	
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PLANNED ACTIONS / SERVICES

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's Actions/Services. Duplicate the table, including Budgeted Expenditures, as needed.

Action **1**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> All	<input type="checkbox"/> Students with Disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools: <u>Center High School</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

<u>Students to be Served</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> English Learners	<input type="checkbox"/> Foster Youth	<input type="checkbox"/> Low Income
<u>Scope of Services</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> LEA-wide	<input type="checkbox"/> Schoolwide	OR <input type="checkbox"/> Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)
<u>Location(s)</u>	<input type="checkbox"/> All Schools	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Schools:	<input type="checkbox"/> Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

CHS will increase the number of students taking CTE courses

CHS will increase the number of students taking CTE courses

CHS will increase the number of students taking CTE courses

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

2018-19

2019-20

Amount	\$318,244	Amount	\$344,822	Amount	\$371,400
Source	Base	Source	Base	Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 1400	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 1400	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 1400
Amount	\$94,760	Amount	\$108,792	Amount	\$123,804
Source	Base	Source	Base	Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 1400	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 1400	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 1400

Action **2**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served All Students with Disabilities

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: Center High School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input type="checkbox"/> Unchanged
Increase participation and completion of a-g	Increase participation and completion of a-g	Increase participation and completion of a-g

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$54,392
Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 1400
Amount	\$17,599
Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 1400

2018-19

Amount	\$54,392
Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 1400
Amount	\$18,606
Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 1400

2019-20

Amount	\$54,392
Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 1400
Amount	\$19,613
Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 1400

Action **3**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Center High School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

- New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

- New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

- New Modified Unchanged

CHS will increase the number of students taking AP courses by 3%

CHS will increase the number of students taking AP courses by 3%

CHS will increase the number of students taking AP courses by 3%

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$198,905
Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000
Amount	\$65,000
Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000

2018-19

Amount	\$210,950
Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000
Amount	\$71,289
Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000

2019-20

Amount	\$222,995
Source	Base
Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000
Amount	\$78,019
Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000

Action **4**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

- All Schools Specific Schools: Oak Hill Elementary Specific Grade spans:
North Country Elementary
Riles Middle School

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

- LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools

Specific Schools: Riles MS, Oak Hill, North Country

Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

Continue Project Lead the Way at Riles Middle School, 1 section
 Launch Project Lead the Way at Oak Hill Elementary, grades K-1 and 4-5
 Continue Media Studio at North Country and Oak Hill
 Launch Media Studio at Riles Middle School

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

Continue to expand existing Project Lead the Way programs at Riles MS, Oak Hill Elementary and North Country Elementary

Continue to expand existing Media Studio programs at Riles MS, Oak Hill Elementary and North Country Elementary

Investigate possibility of adding Project Lead the Way and/or Studio Media to other sites

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Continue to expand existing Project Lead the Way programs at Riles MS, Oak Hill Elementary and North Country Elementary

Continue to expand existing Media Studio programs at Riles MS, Oak Hill Elementary and North Country Elementary

Investigate possibility of adding Project Lead the Way and/or Studio Media to other sites

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$14,182
Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000
Amount	\$4,012
Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000
Amount	\$4,444
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0036
Amount	\$785

2018-19

Amount	\$14,182
Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000
Amount	\$4,275
Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000
Amount	\$4,444
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0036
Amount	\$867

2019-20

Amount	\$14,182
Source	Base
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000
Amount	\$4,537
Source	Base
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000
Amount	\$4,444
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0036
Amount	\$949

Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0036	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0036	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0036

Action **5**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served All Students with Disabilities

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: Center High School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: Center HS Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input type="checkbox"/> Unchanged

CHS will work with American River College to provide field trips to learn about CTE offerings that correspond to pathways at CHS. Counselors will discuss CTE course offerings with students during yearly one-on-one meetings with students.

CHS will work with Sierra College to provide field trips to learn about CTE offerings that correspond to pathways at CHS. Counselors will discuss CTE course offerings with students during yearly one-on-one meetings with students.

CHS will work with both American River College and Sierra College to provide field trips to learn about CTE offerings that correspond to pathways at CHS. Counselors will discuss CTE course offerings with students during yearly one-on-one meetings with students.

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Amount \$1,000	Amount \$1,000	Amount \$1,000

Source Supplemental and Concentration
 Budget Reference 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 0000 / Dept 740

Source Supplemental and Concentration
 Budget Reference 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures

Source Supplemental and Concentration
 Budget Reference 5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures

Action **6**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served All Students with Disabilities

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: Center High School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: Center HS Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18
 New Modified Unchanged

2018-19
 New Modified Unchanged

2019-20
 New Modified Unchanged

Counselor will provide individualized support to ensure students are meeting graduation requirements and are successfully transitioning into post secondary college and career through college/career exploration, college enrollment assistance, financial aid application assistance and scholarship assistance.

Staff will schedule presentations from businesses, colleges and the military to expose students to post secondary options

Counselor will provide individualized support to ensure students are meeting graduation requirements and are successfully transitioning into post secondary college and career through college/career exploration, college enrollment assistance, financial aid application assistance and scholarship assistance.

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Staff will schedule presentations from businesses, colleges and the military to expose students to post secondary options

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18		2018-19		2019-20	
Amount	\$221,532	Amount	\$221,532	Amount	\$221,532
Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000
Amount	\$72,935	Amount	\$77,038	Amount	\$81,137
Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000
Amount	\$15,666	Amount	\$15,666	Amount	\$15,666
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 3010
Amount	\$5,943	Amount	\$6,233	Amount	\$6,523
Source	Title I	Source	Title I	Source	Title I
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3010

Action **7**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

- All
 Students with Disabilities
 Special Education

Location(s)

- All Schools
 Specific Schools: Center High School
 Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

Provide transitional support to prepare for college & career provided through WorkAbility and Department of Rehabilitation

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

Provide transitional support to prepare for college & career provided through WorkAbility and Department of Rehabilitation

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Provide transitional support to prepare for college & career provided through WorkAbility and Department of Rehabilitation

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$61,232
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3410
Amount	\$21,620
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3410
Amount	\$37,877
Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 6520
Amount	\$14,298

2018-19

Amount	\$61,232
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3410
Amount	\$23,397
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3410
Amount	\$37,877
Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 6520
Amount	\$15,397

2019-20

Amount	\$61,232
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 3410
Amount	\$25,172
Source	Federal Funds
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 3410
Amount	\$37,877
Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	2000-2999: Classified Personnel Salaries Resource 6520
Amount	\$16,496

Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education	Source	Special Education
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6520	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6520	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 6520

Action **8**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served All Students with Disabilities

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: McClellan High School Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: McClellan High Specific Grade spans: 10

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged
McClellan HS is implementing the Get Focused, Stay Focused curriculum with current 10th graders to help them develop a 10 year plan	Continue implementing the Get Focused, Stay Focused curriculum with current 10th graders to help them develop a 10 year plan	Continue implementing the Get Focused, Stay Focused curriculum with current 10th graders to help them develop a 10 year plan

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Amount \$12,610	Amount \$12,610	Amount \$12,610
Source Supplemental and Concentration	Source Supplemental and Concentration	Source Supplemental and Concentration

Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$4,879
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740

Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$5,112
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740

Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Dept 740
Amount	\$5,346
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Dept 740

Goals, Actions, & Services

Strategic Planning Details and Accountability

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's goals. Duplicate the table as needed.

New
 Modified
 Unchanged

Goal 3

Center JUSD students and families will be engaged and informed throughout the educational process by way of the Multi Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS)

State and/or Local Priorities Addressed by this goal:

STATE 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
 COE 9 10
 LOCAL

Identified Need

To address the need to increase pupil engagement and school engagement, while improving school climate and increasing family involvement, it is a priority of CJUSD to decrease absence rates and increase the number of students and families actively involved, connected and engaged in a comprehensive school experience through involvement outside the classroom.

EXPECTED ANNUAL MEASURABLE OUTCOMES

Metrics/Indicators	Baseline	2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
Daily attendance	2016 P2 Districtwide Attendance: 93.46%	95% attendance	95% attendance	95% attendance
District Wide Participation	District Wide Participation: 29.4% (1313/4455) participated in clubs, activities or athletics in 2016-17 Center High: 544/1307 McClellan HS: 27/90 WCR Middle: 240/667 Oak Hill: 208/812 North Country: 195/624 Spinelli: 54/268 Dudley: 45/687	35% participation	37% participation	39% participation
District Graduation Rate		92.8% grad rate	93.8% grad rate	94.8% grad rate
Chronic Absenteeism	District graduation rate according to CDE Dashboard for 2015-16: 91.8%.	9.5% Chronic Absenteeism	9% Chronic Absenteeism	8.5% Chronic Absenteeism

<p>Parental Input on Decision Making through site Parent Advisory Mtgs conducted at all school sites districtwide</p> <p>Parental Participation</p>	<p>Elementary results: 41.3% Strongly Agree, 38.1% Agree, 12.7% Neutral, 4.8% Disagree, 3.2% Strongly Disagree Secondary results: 19.4% Strongly Agree, 48.5% Agree, 17.9% Neutral, 6% Disagree, 8.2% Strongly Disagree Parents will be surveyed at all sites in Spring 2018 using the California Healthy Kids Survey.</p> <p>35 total site meetings</p> <p>Parental Participation: 48% families have active Parent Portal accounts (previously Homelink) Dudley: 8% North Country: 7% Oak Hill: 7% Spinelli: 4% Riles MS: 106% Center HS: 87% McClellan HS: 98%</p>	<p>49 total site meetings</p> <p>53% families have active Parent Portal accounts</p>	<p>49 total site meetings</p> <p>58% families have active Parent Portal accounts</p>	<p>6.5% Strongly Disagree</p> <p>49 total site meetings</p> <p>63% families have active Parent Portal accounts</p>
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PLANNED ACTIONS / SERVICES

Complete a copy of the following table for each of the LEA's Actions/Services. Duplicate the table, including Budgeted Expenditures, as needed.

Action **1**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Review effectiveness of committee (staff, parents, students) recommendations and plan next steps to increase daily attendance. Review SARB process to engage more stakeholders

Implement one committee recommendation to increase daily attendance. Continue to review SARB process for effectiveness.

Review effectiveness of newly implemented practice, add one more strategy recommendation.

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount: \$500
Source: Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference: 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000/Department 740

2018-19

Amount: \$500
Source: Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference: 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000/Department 740

2019-20

Amount: \$500
Source: Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference: 4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000/Department 740

Action **2**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: _____ Specific Grade spans: _____

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: _____ Specific Grade spans: _____

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Implement recommended strategies that lessen or eliminate the barrier of after school transportation that is hindering participating in after school activities such a fan busses to away games and Sr. Walk ceremony at elementary sites

Implement additional recommended strategies that lessen or eliminate the barriers

Review effectiveness of newly implemented strategy, add one more strategy recommendation. that lessen or eliminate the barriers

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount	\$500
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	5000-5999: Services And Other Operating Expenditures Resource 0000/Department 740

2018-19

Amount	\$500
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000/Department 740

2019-20

Amount	\$500
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000/Department 740

Action **3**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

Continue Help Your Child in School parent classes provided by the Family Resource Center to assist families in accessing technology to connect to online supports and communicate with teachers.

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

Continue with Help Your Child in School parent classes provided by the Family Resource Center. Evaluate effectiveness and plan for expansion.

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Expand Help Your Child in School parent classes through increased participation

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount \$8,500

Source Supplemental and Concentration

2018-19

Amount \$8,500

Source Supplemental and Concentration

2019-20

Amount \$8,500

Source Supplemental and Concentration

Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Department 740	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Department 740	Budget Reference	1000-1999: Certificated Personnel Salaries Resource 0000/Department 740
Amount	\$1,500	Amount	\$1,658	Amount	\$1,815
Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Department 740	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Department 740	Budget Reference	3000-3999: Employee Benefits Resource 0000/Department 740

Action **4**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Continue to utilize the web site and social media and School Messenger to communicate opportunities that will increase participation in school activities and in supporting roles

Continue to utilize the web site and social media and School Messenger to communicate opportunities that will increase participation in school activities and in supporting roles

Search for new ways to expand how we use web site and social media and School Messenger to communicate opportunities that will increase participation in school activities and in supporting roles

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount

Source

Budget Reference

2018-19

Amount

Source

Budget Reference

2019-20

Amount

Source

Budget Reference

Action **5**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Continue to reach out to EL families with TK children for enrollment in early learning opportunities offered through district. Continue to conduct annual needs assessment at DELAC.

Continue to reach out to EL families with TK children for enrollment in early learning opportunities offered through district. Continue to conduct annual needs assessment at DELAC.

Continue to reach out to EL families with TK children for enrollment in early learning opportunities offered through district. Continue to conduct annual needs assessment at DELAC.

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

Amount
 Source
 Budget Reference

2018-19

Amount
 Source
 Budget Reference

2019-20

Amount
 Source
 Budget Reference

Action **6**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

All Students with Disabilities

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services

LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s)

All Schools Specific Schools: Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18

New Modified Unchanged

2018-19

New Modified Unchanged

2019-20

New Modified Unchanged

Increase Parent Portal accounts by utilizing a variety of communication pathways to engage more parents and students

Increase Parent Portal accounts by utilizing a variety of communication pathways to engage more parents and students

Increase Parent Portal accounts by utilizing a variety of communication pathways to engage more parents and students

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18

2018-19

2019-20

Amount	\$500	Amount	\$500	Amount	\$500
Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration	Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000/Department 740	Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000/Department 740	Budget Reference	4000-4999: Books And Supplies Resource 0000/Department 740

Action **7**

For Actions/Services not included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served All Students with Disabilities

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: Dudley Elementary
Oak Hill Elementary Specific Grade spans:

OR

For Actions/Services included as contributing to meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served English Learners Foster Youth Low Income

Scope of Services LEA-wide Schoolwide OR Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)

Location(s) All Schools Specific Schools: Dudley, Oak Hill, Spinelli, Riles MS Specific Grade spans:

ACTIONS/SERVICES

2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged	<input type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Modified <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Unchanged
Dudley and Oak Hill continue Positive Behavior Interventions and Support (PBIS), Riles MS to restart PBIS, Spinelli exploring PBIS	Dudley, Oak Hill, Riles MS to continue using PBIS. Spinelli to begin implementation of PBIS	Dudley, Oak Hill, Riles MS and Spinelli continue using PBIS

BUDGETED EXPENDITURES

2017-18	2018-19	2019-20
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Amount	\$15,000
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 0000 / Dept 740

Amount	\$20,000
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 0000 / Dept 740

Amount	\$20,000
Source	Supplemental and Concentration
Budget Reference	5800: Professional/Consulting Services And Operating Expenditures Resource 0000 / Dept 740

Demonstration of Increased or Improved Services for Unduplicated Pupils

LCAP Year 2017–18 2018–19 2019–20

Estimated Supplemental and Concentration Grant Funds: \$3,734,329

Percentage to Increase or Improve Services: 10.55%

Describe how services provided for unduplicated pupils are increased or improved by at least the percentage identified above, either qualitatively or quantitatively, as compared to services provided for all students in the LCAP year.

Identify each action/service being funded and provided on a schoolwide or LEA-wide basis. Include the required descriptions supporting each schoolwide or LEA-wide use of funds ([see instructions](#)).

The Center Joint Unified School District has a 64.45% unduplicated student count. The Supplemental and Concentration funds used for actions and services serving all students are principally directed to serve unduplicated students as described below.

(Goal 1, Actions 6, 7, 9) McClellan High School, Center High School, and Oak Hill Elementary are using Supplemental and Concentration funds to provide appropriate, targeted intervention to address the individual academic needs and learning gaps of struggling students who are predominately from our unduplicated student groups. McClellan High School is providing support classes to unduplicated students through Success, Study Skills and General Math and providing individualized support and guidance with one on one meetings with the admin team. Center High is providing Math Lab, English Lab and Summer School for unduplicated students who are struggling academically in math and English. Oak Hill is providing before and after school intervention in English/ Language Arts and math for unduplicated students. Past experience has shown that a high percentage of the participants benefiting from these programs and services are pupils from our unduplicated student groups. We believe that with appropriate, targeted intervention we can address individualized learning gaps so students experience greater academic success.

(Goal 1, Action 5) CJUSD is using Supplemental and Concentration funds to reduce or eliminate the need for combination classes, providing more single grade level classrooms for unduplicated students. Past practice has shown that pupils from unduplicated student groups achieve greater when in single grade level settings. Combination classes are primarily in the primary grades. 2015-16 3rd grade CAASPP results showed growth in both ELA and math. This cohort was taught in single grade level classrooms.

Justification: Intervene Early. Reteaching through before and after school tutorials, focused on particular standards, has led to improved learning outcomes as measured on state assessments. See Deborah Brennanin "Improving Schools: What Works? In Educational Leadership February 2015

Justification: Research documents that teachers can create engaging environments through personal care, maintaining positive social environments, and creating academic tasks that are authentic, collaborative and give students choices where they can experience some control over their learning. Fredricks and McColskey (2012; Perry, Turner and Meyer, 2006)

Justification:

Campbell, Frances A., and Craig T. Ramey. "Effects of early intervention on intellectual and academic achievement: a follow-up study of children from low-income families." Child development 65.2 (1994): 684-698.

(Goal 2, Action 4) CJUSD is using Supplemental and Concentration funds to expand CTE opportunities into the middle school and elementary schools through Project Lead the Way and Media Studio connecting students to engaging programs that build from one level to the next, thus keeping them engaged in school. A significant percentage of unduplicated student groups participate in such programs.

(Goal 2, Action 5, Action 6, Action 8) CJUSD is using Supplemental and Concentration funds to bridge the gap between high school and post secondary education. Data has shown that unduplicated pupils have far less exposure to post secondary options making them less likely to attend and graduate from college. A significant percentage of unduplicated students will be served through the Center HS-American River College-Sierra College connection, Get Focused-Stay Focused curriculum in the classroom and individualized support from counselors to guide progress and transition from high school to post secondary education.

Justification:

Dougherty, Shaun. "Career and Technical Education in High School, Does it Improve Student Outcomes" Thomas B. Fordham Institute (2016)

(Goal 1, Action 20): CJUSD is using Supplemental and Concentration funds to provide clothing, school supplies, consultation services and mental health services to low income, foster and homeless pupils because research indicates when these needs are met, students experience greater academic achievement.

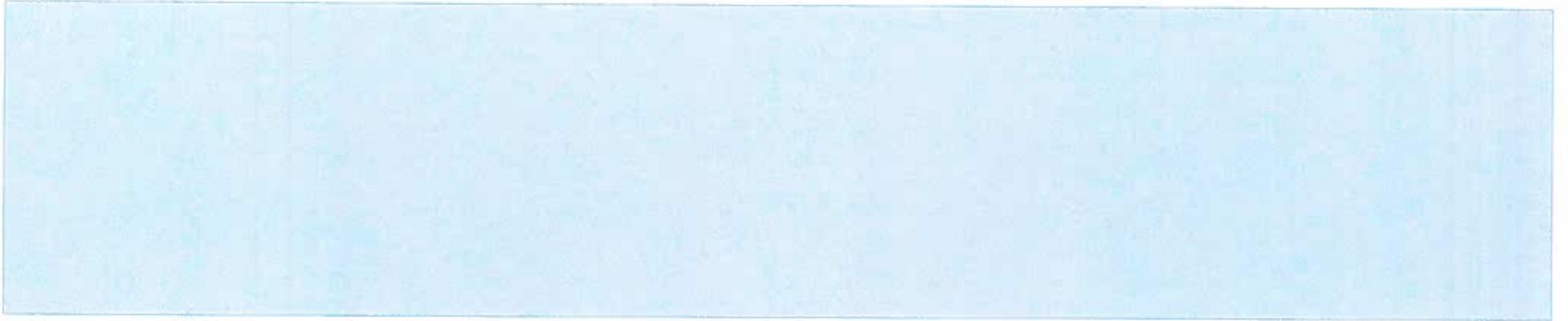
(Goal 3, Action 1, Action 2, Action 3, Action 4, Action 6) CJUSD is using Supplemental and Concentration funds to engage more parents in site and district meetings where collaborative work can be done to make recommendations on how to increase daily attendance, SARB, increase student involvement in extracurricular activities by eliminating barriers, establish parent outreach, improve school to family communication through Parent Portal to increase family participation in school activities, and to investigate and implement alternative methods to communicate with and engage more parents. The parents of unduplicated pupils will be targeted for participation in these activities. By bridging that gap between home and school we can develop collaborative, supportive relationships that will impact students by increasing overall academic achievement and social and emotional growth. Past experience has shown these programs and services serve parents of unduplicated students and sites have had more success in reaching families of unduplicated students using technology.

(Goal 3, Action 7) CJUSD is using Supplemental and Concentration funds to provide Positive Behavior Interventions and Support to Dudley, Oak Hill and Riles Middle School. School data shows unduplicated pupils often have the greatest need for behavioral supports and social culture to achieve social, emotional and academic success

Justification: Parent school involvement in children's education is associated with positive educational outcomes.

"Understanding the impact of parent school involvement on children's educational outcomes", GL Zellman, JM Waterman - The Journal of Educational Research, 1998 - Taylor & Francis

Justification: Parent school involvement in children's education is associated with positive educational outcomes. Zellman, Gail L., and Jill M. Waterman. "Understanding the impact of parent school involvement on children's educational outcomes." The Journal of Educational Research 91.6 (1998): 370-380.



Revised Local Control and Accountability Plan and Annual Update Template Instructions

Addendum

The Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) and Annual Update Template documents and communicates local educational agencies' (LEAs) actions and expenditures to support student outcomes and overall performance. For school districts and county offices of education, the LCAP is a three-year plan which is reviewed and updated in the second and third years of the plan. Charter schools may complete the LCAP to align with the term of the charter school's budget, typically one year, which is submitted to the school's authorizer. The LCAP and Annual Update Template must be completed by all LEAs each year.

For school districts, the LCAP must describe, for the school district and each school within the district, goals and specific actions to achieve those goals for all students and each student group identified by the Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) (ethnic, socioeconomically disadvantaged, English learners, foster youth, pupils with disabilities, and homeless youth), for each of the state priorities and any locally identified priorities.

For county offices of education, the LCAP must describe, for each county office of education-operated school and program, goals and specific actions to achieve those goals for all students and each LCFF student group funded through the county office of education (students attending juvenile court schools, on probation or parole, or expelled under certain conditions) for each of the state priorities and any locally identified priorities. School districts and county offices of education may additionally coordinate and describe in their LCAPs services funded by a school district that are provided to students attending county-operated schools and programs, including special education programs.

If a county superintendent of schools has jurisdiction over a single school district, the county board of education and the governing board of the school district may adopt and file for review and approval a single LCAP consistent with the requirements in Education Code (EC) sections 52060, 52062, 52066, 52068, and 52070. The LCAP must clearly articulate to which entity's budget (school district or county superintendent of schools) all budgeted and actual expenditures are aligned.

Charter schools must describe goals and specific actions to achieve those goals for all students and each LCFF subgroup of students including students with disabilities and homeless youth, for each of the state priorities that apply for the grade levels served or the nature of the program operated by the charter school, and any locally identified priorities. For charter schools, the inclusion and description of goals for state priorities in the LCAP may be modified to meet the grade levels served and the nature of the programs provided, including modifications to reflect only the statutory requirements explicitly applicable to charter schools in the Education Code. Changes in LCAP goals and actions/services for charter schools that result from the annual update process do not necessarily constitute a material revision to the school's charter petition.

For questions related to specific sections of the template, please see instructions below:

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For additional questions or technical assistance related to completion of the LCAP template, please contact the local county office of education, or the CDE's Local Agency Systems Support Office at: 916-319-0809 or by email at: lcff@cde.ca.gov.

Plan Summary

The LCAP is intended to reflect an LEA's annual goals, actions, services and expenditures within a fixed three-year planning cycle. LEAs must include a plan summary for the LCAP each year.

When developing the LCAP, mark the appropriate LCAP year, and address the prompts provided in these sections. When developing the LCAP in year 2 or year 3, mark the appropriate LCAP year and replace the previous summary information with information relevant to the current year LCAP.

In this section, briefly address the prompts provided. These prompts are not limits. LEAs may include information regarding local program(s), community demographics, and the overall vision of the LEA. LEAs may also attach documents (e.g., the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics data reports) if desired and/or include charts illustrating goals, planned outcomes, actual outcomes, or related planned and actual expenditures.

An LEA may use an alternative format for the plan summary as long as it includes the information specified in each prompt and the budget summary table.

The reference to LCFF Evaluation Rubrics means the evaluation rubrics adopted by the State Board of Education under *EC* Section 52064.5.

Budget Summary

The LEA must complete the LCAP Budget Summary table as follows:

- **Total LEA General Fund Budget Expenditures for the LCAP Year:** This amount is the LEA's total budgeted General Fund expenditures for the LCAP year. The LCAP year means the fiscal year for which an LCAP is adopted or updated by July 1. The General Fund is the main operating fund of the LEA and accounts for all activities not accounted for in another fund. All activities are reported in the General Fund unless there is a compelling reason to account for an activity in another fund. For further information please refer to the *California School Accounting Manual* (<http://www.cde.ca.gov/fq/ac/sa/>). (Note: For some charter schools that follow governmental fund accounting, this amount is the total budgeted expenditures in the Charter Schools Special Revenue Fund. For charter schools that follow the not-for-profit accounting model, this amount is total budgeted expenses, such as those budgeted in the Charter Schools Enterprise Fund.)
- **Total Funds Budgeted for Planned Actions/Services to Meet the Goals in the LCAP for the LCAP Year:** This amount is the total of the budgeted expenditures associated with the actions/services included for the LCAP year from all sources of funds, as reflected in the LCAP. To the extent actions/services and/or expenditures are listed in the LCAP under more than one goal, the expenditures should be counted only once.
- **Description of any use(s) of the General Fund Budget Expenditures specified above for the LCAP year not included in the LCAP:** Briefly describe expenditures included in total General Fund Expenditures that are not included in the total funds budgeted for planned actions/services for

the LCAP year. (Note: The total funds budgeted for planned actions/services may include funds other than general fund expenditures.)

- **Total Projected LCFF Revenues for LCAP Year:** This amount is the total amount of LCFF funding the LEA estimates it will receive pursuant to *EC* sections 42238.02 (for school districts and charter schools) and 2574 (for county offices of education), as implemented by *EC* sections 42238.03 and 2575 for the LCAP year respectively.

Annual Update

The planned goals, expected outcomes, actions/services, and budgeted expenditures must be copied verbatim from the previous year's* approved LCAP. Minor typographical errors may be corrected.

* For example, for LCAP year 2017/18 of the 2017/18 – 2019/20 LCAP, review the goals in the 2016/17 LCAP. Moving forward, review the goals from the most recent LCAP year. For example, LCAP year 2020/21 will review goals from the 2019/20 LCAP year, which is the last year of the 2017/18 – 2019/20 LCAP.

Annual Measurable Outcomes

For each goal in the prior year, identify and review the actual measurable outcomes as compared to the expected annual measurable outcomes identified in the prior year for the goal.

Actions/Services

Identify the planned Actions/Services and the budgeted expenditures to implement these actions toward achieving the described goal. Identify the **actual** actions/services implemented to meet the described goal and the estimated actual annual expenditures to implement the actions/services. As applicable, identify any changes to the students or student groups served, or to the planned location of the actions/services provided.

Analysis

Using actual annual measurable outcome data, including data from the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, analyze whether the planned actions/services were effective in achieving the goal. Respond to the prompts as instructed.

- Describe the overall implementation of the actions/services to achieve the articulated goal. Include a discussion of relevant challenges and successes experienced with the implementation process.
- Describe the overall effectiveness of the actions/services to achieve the articulated goal as measured by the LEA.
- Explain material differences between Budgeted Expenditures and Estimated Actual Expenditures. Minor variances in expenditures or a dollar-for-dollar accounting is not required.
- Describe any changes made to this goal, expected outcomes, metrics, or actions and services to achieve this goal as a result of this analysis and analysis of the data provided in the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, as applicable. Identify where those changes can be found in the LCAP.

Stakeholder Engagement

Meaningful engagement of parents, students, and other stakeholders, including those representing the student groups identified by LCFF, is critical to the development of the LCAP and the budget process. Education Code identifies the minimum consultation requirements for school districts and county offices of education as consulting with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, local bargaining units of the school district, parents, and pupils in developing the LCAP. Education Code requires charter schools to consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, parents, and pupils in developing the LCAP. In addition, Education Code Section 48985 specifies the requirements for the translation of notices, reports, statements, or records sent to a parent or guardian.

The LCAP should be shared with, and LEAs should request input from, school site-level advisory groups, as applicable (e.g., school site councils, English Learner Advisory Councils, student advisory groups, etc.), to facilitate alignment between school-site and district-level goals and actions. An LEA may incorporate or reference actions described in other plans that are being undertaken to meet specific goals.

Instructions: The stakeholder engagement process is an ongoing, annual process. The requirements for this section are the same for each year of a three-year LCAP. When developing the LCAP, mark the appropriate LCAP year, and describe the stakeholder engagement process used to develop the LCAP and Annual Update. When developing the LCAP in year 2 or year 3, mark the appropriate LCAP year and replace the previous stakeholder narrative(s) and describe the stakeholder engagement process used to develop the current year LCAP and Annual Update.

School districts and county offices of education: Describe the process used to consult with the Parent Advisory Committee, the English Learner Parent Advisory Committee, parents, students, school personnel, the LEA's local bargaining units, and the community to inform the development of the LCAP and the annual review and analysis for the indicated LCAP year.

Charter schools: Describe the process used to consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, parents, and students to inform the development of the LCAP and the annual review and analysis for the indicated LCAP year.

Describe how the consultation process impacted the development of the LCAP and annual update for the indicated LCAP year, including the goals, actions, services, and expenditures.

Goals, Actions, and Services

LEAs must include a description of the annual goals, for all students and each LCFF identified group of students, to be achieved for each state priority as applicable to type of LEA. An LEA may also include additional local priorities. This section shall also include a description of the specific planned actions an LEA will take to meet the identified goals, and a description of the expenditures required to implement the specific actions.

School districts and county offices of education: The LCAP is a three-year plan, which is reviewed and updated annually, as required.

Charter schools: The number of years addressed in the LCAP may align with the term of the charter schools budget, typically one year, which is submitted to the school's authorizer. If year 2 and/or year 3 is not applicable, charter schools must specify as such.

New, Modified, Unchanged

As part of the LCAP development process, which includes the annual update and stakeholder engagement, indicate if the goal, identified need, related state and/or local priorities, and/or expected annual measurable outcomes for the current LCAP year or future LCAP years are modified or unchanged from the previous year's LCAP; or, specify if the goal is new.

Goal

State the goal. LEAs may number the goals using the "Goal #" box for ease of reference. A goal is a broad statement that describes the desired result to which all actions/services are directed. A goal answers the question: What is the LEA seeking to achieve?

Related State and/or Local Priorities

Identify the state and/or local priorities addressed by the goal by placing a check mark next to the applicable priority or priorities. The LCAP must include goals that address each of the state priorities, as applicable to the type of LEA, and any additional local priorities; however, one goal may address multiple priorities. ([Link to State Priorities](#))

Identified Need

Describe the needs that led to establishing the goal. The identified needs may be based on quantitative or qualitative information, including, but not limited to, results of the annual update process or performance data from the LCFF Evaluation Rubrics, as applicable.

Expected Annual Measurable Outcomes

For each LCAP year, identify the metric(s) or indicator(s) that the LEA will use to track progress toward the expected outcomes. LEAs may identify metrics for specific student groups. Include in the baseline column the most recent data associated with this metric or indicator available at the time of adoption of the LCAP for the first year of the three-year plan. The most recent data associated with a metric or indicator includes data as reported in the annual update of the LCAP year immediately preceding the three-year plan, as applicable. The baseline data shall remain unchanged throughout the three-year LCAP. In the subsequent year columns, identify the progress to be made in each year of the three-year cycle of the LCAP. Consider how expected outcomes in any given year are related to the expected outcomes for subsequent years.

The metrics may be quantitative or qualitative, but at minimum an LEA must use the applicable required metrics for the related state priorities, in each LCAP year as applicable to the type of LEA. For the student engagement priority metrics, as applicable, LEAs must calculate the rates as described in the [LCAP Template Appendix, sections \(a\) through \(d\)](#).

Planned Actions/Services

For each action/service, the LEA must complete either the section "For Actions/Services not contributing to meeting Increased or Improved Services Requirement" or the section "For Actions/Services Contributing to Meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement." The LEA shall not complete both sections for a single action.

For Actions/Services Not Contributing to Meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement

Students to be Served

The "Students to be Served" box is to be completed for all actions/services except for those which are included by the LEA as contributing to meeting the requirement to increase or improve services for unduplicated students. Indicate in this box which students will benefit from the actions/services by checking "All", "Students with Disabilities", or "Specific Student Group(s)". If "Specific Student Group(s)" is checked, identify the specific student group(s) as appropriate.

Location(s)

Identify the location where the action/services will be provided. If the services are provided to all schools within the LEA, the LEA must indicate "All Schools". If the services are provided to specific schools within the LEA or specific grade spans only, the LEA must mark "Specific Schools" or "Specific Grade Spans". Identify the individual school or a subset of schools or grade spans (e.g., all high schools or grades K-5), as appropriate.

Charter schools operating more than one site, authorized within the same charter petition, may choose to distinguish between sites by selecting "Specific Schools" and identify the site(s) where the actions/services will be provided. For charter schools operating only one site, "All Schools" and "Specific Schools" may be synonymous and, therefore, either would be appropriate. Charter schools may use either term provided they are used in a consistent manner through the LCAP.

For Actions/Services Contributing to Meeting the Increased or Improved Services Requirement:

Students to be Served

For any action/service contributing to the LEA's overall demonstration that it has increased or improved services for unduplicated students above what is provided to all students (see [Demonstration of Increased or Improved Services for Unduplicated Students](#) section, below), the LEA must identify the unduplicated student group(s) being served.

Scope of Service

For each action/service contributing to meeting the increased or improved services requirement, identify scope of service by indicating "LEA-wide", "Schoolwide", or "Limited to Unduplicated Student Group(s)". The LEA must select one of the following three options:

- If the action/service is being funded and provided to upgrade the entire educational program of the LEA, place a check mark next to "LEA-wide."
- If the action/service is being funded and provided to upgrade the entire educational program of a particular school or schools, place a check mark next to "schoolwide".
- If the action/service being funded and provided is limited to the unduplicated students identified in "Students to be Served", place a check mark next to "Limited to Student Groups".

For charter schools and single-school school districts, "LEA-wide" and "Schoolwide" may be synonymous and, therefore, either would be appropriate. For charter schools operating multiple schools (determined by a unique CDS code) under a single charter, use "LEA-wide" to refer to all schools under the charter and use "Schoolwide" to refer to a single school authorized within the same charter petition. Charter schools operating a single school may use "LEA-wide" or "Schoolwide" provided these terms are used in a consistent manner through the LCAP.

Location(s)

Identify the location where the action/services will be provided. If the services are provided to all schools within the LEA, the LEA must indicate "All Schools". If the services are provided to specific schools within the LEA or specific grade spans only, the LEA must mark "Specific Schools" or "Specific Grade Spans". Identify the individual school or a subset of schools or grade spans (e.g., all high schools or grades K-5), as appropriate.

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Actions/Services

For each LCAP year, identify the actions to be performed and services provided to meet the described goal. Actions and services that are implemented to achieve the identified goal may be grouped together. LEAs may number the action/service using the "Action #" box for ease of reference.

New/Modified/Unchanged:

- Check "New" if the action/service is being added in any of the three years of the LCAP to meet the articulated goal.
- Check "Modified" if the action/service was included to meet an articulated goal and has been changed or modified in any way from the prior year description.
- Check "Unchanged" if the action/service was included to meet an articulated goal and has not been changed or modified in any way from the prior year description.
 - If a planned action/service is anticipated to remain unchanged for the duration of the plan, an LEA may check "Unchanged" and leave the subsequent year columns blank rather than having to copy/paste the action/service into the subsequent year columns. Budgeted expenditures may be treated in the same way as applicable.

Note: The goal from the prior year may or may not be included in the current three-year LCAP. For example, when developing year 1 of the LCAP, the goals articulated in year 3 of the preceding three-year LCAP will be from the prior year.

Charter schools may complete the LCAP to align with the term of the charter school's budget that is submitted to the school's authorizer. Accordingly, a charter school submitting a one-year budget to its authorizer may choose not to complete the year 2 and year 3 portions of the Goals, Actions, and

Services section of the template. If year 2 and/or year 3 is not applicable, charter schools must specify as such.

Budgeted Expenditures

For each action/service, list and describe budgeted expenditures for each school year to implement these actions, including where those expenditures can be found in the LEA's budget. The LEA must reference all fund sources for each proposed expenditure. Expenditures must be classified using the California School Accounting Manual as required by *Education Code* sections 52061, 52067, and 47606.5.

Expenditures that are included more than once in an LCAP must be indicated as a duplicated expenditure and include a reference to the goal and action/service where the expenditure first appears in the LCAP.

If a county superintendent of schools has jurisdiction over a single school district, and chooses to complete a single LCAP, the LCAP must clearly articulate to which entity's budget (school district or county superintendent of schools) all budgeted expenditures are aligned.

Demonstration of Increased or Improved Services for Unduplicated Students

This section must be completed for each LCAP year. When developing the LCAP in year 2 or year 3, copy the Demonstration of Increased or Improved Services for Unduplicated Students table and mark the appropriate LCAP year. Using the copy of the table, complete the table as required for the current year LCAP. Retain all prior year tables for this section for each of the three years within the LCAP.

Estimated Supplemental and Concentration Grant Funds

Identify the amount of funds in the LCAP year calculated on the basis of the number and concentration of low income, foster youth, and English learner students as determined pursuant to 5 *CCR* 15496(a)(5).

Percentage to Increase or Improve Services

Identify the percentage by which services for unduplicated pupils must be increased or improved as compared to the services provided to all students in the LCAP year as calculated pursuant to 5 *CCR* 15496(a)(7).

Consistent with the requirements of 5 *CCR* 15496, describe how services provided for unduplicated pupils are increased or improved by at least the percentage calculated as compared to services provided for all students in the LCAP year. To improve services means to grow services in quality and to increase services means to grow services in quantity. This description must address how the action(s)/service(s) limited for one or more unduplicated student group(s), and any schoolwide or districtwide action(s)/service(s) supported by the appropriate description, taken together, result in the required proportional increase or improvement in services for unduplicated pupils.

If the overall increased or improved services include any actions/services being funded and provided on a schoolwide or districtwide basis, identify each action/service and include the required descriptions supporting each action/service as follows.

For those services being provided on an LEA-wide basis:

- For school districts with an unduplicated pupil percentage of 55% or more, and for charter schools and county offices of education: Describe how these services are **principally directed to and effective in** meeting its goals for unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priorities.
- For school districts with an unduplicated pupil percentage of less than 55%: Describe how these services are **principally directed to and effective in** meeting its goals for unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priorities. Also describe how the services are **the most effective use of the funds to** meet these goals for its unduplicated pupils. Provide the basis for this determination, including any alternatives considered, supporting research, experience or educational theory.

For school districts only, identify in the description those services being funded and provided on a schoolwide basis, and include the required description supporting the use of the funds on a schoolwide basis:

- For schools with 40% or more enrollment of unduplicated pupils: Describe how these services are **principally directed to** and **effective in** meeting its goals for its unduplicated pupils in the state and any local priorities.
- For school districts expending funds on a schoolwide basis at a school with less than 40% enrollment of unduplicated pupils: Describe how these services are **principally directed to** and how the services are **the most effective use of the funds to** meet its goals for English learners, low income students and foster youth, in the state and any local priorities.

State Priorities

Priority 1: Basic Services addresses the degree to which:

- A. Teachers in the LEA are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed in the subject area and for the pupils they are teaching;
- B. Pupils in the school district have sufficient access to the standards-aligned instructional materials; and
- C. School facilities are maintained in good repair.

Priority 2: Implementation of State Standards addresses:

- A. The implementation of state board adopted academic content and performance standards for all students, which are:
 - a. English Language Arts – Common Core State Standards for English Language Arts
 - b. Mathematics – Common Core State Standards for Mathematics
 - c. English Language Development
 - d. Career Technical Education
 - e. Health Education Content Standards
 - f. History-Social Science
 - g. Model School Library Standards
 - h. Physical Education Model Content Standards
 - i. Next Generation Science Standards
 - j. Visual and Performing Arts
 - k. World Language; and
- B. How the programs and services will enable English learners to access the CCSS and the ELD standards for purposes of gaining academic content knowledge and English language proficiency.

Priority 3: Parental Involvement addresses:

- A. The efforts the school district makes to seek parent input in making decisions for the school district and each individual school site;
- B. How the school district will promote parental participation in programs for unduplicated pupils; and
- C. How the school district will promote parental participation in programs for individuals with exceptional needs.

Priority 4: Pupil Achievement as measured by all of the following, as applicable:

- A. Statewide assessments;
- B. The Academic Performance Index;
- C. The percentage of pupils who have successfully completed courses that satisfy UC or CSU entrance requirements, or programs of study that align with state board approved career technical educational standards and framework;
- D. The percentage of English learner pupils who make progress toward English proficiency as measured by the CELDT;
- E. The English learner reclassification rate;
- F. The percentage of pupils who have passed an advanced placement examination with a score of 3 or higher; and
- G. The percentage of pupils who participate in, and demonstrate college preparedness pursuant to, the Early Assessment Program, or any subsequent assessment of college preparedness.

Priority 5: Pupil Engagement as measured by all of the following, as applicable:

- A. School attendance rates;
- B. Chronic absenteeism rates;

- C. Middle school dropout rates;
- D. High school dropout rates; and
- E. High school graduation rates;

Priority 6: School Climate as measured by all of the following, as applicable:

- A. Pupil suspension rates;
- B. Pupil expulsion rates; and
- C. Other local measures, including surveys of pupils, parents, and teachers on the sense of safety and school connectedness.

Priority 7: Course Access addresses the extent to which pupils have access to and are enrolled in:

- A. A broad course of study including courses described under Sections 51210 and 51220(a)-(i), as applicable;
- B. Programs and services developed and provided to unduplicated pupils; and
- C. Programs and services developed and provided to individuals with exceptional needs.

Priority 8: Pupil Outcomes addresses pupil outcomes, if available, for courses described under Sections 51210 and 51220(a)-(i), as applicable.

Priority 9: Coordination of Instruction of Expelled Pupils (COE Only) addresses how the county superintendent of schools will coordinate instruction of expelled pupils

Priority 10. Coordination of Services for Foster Youth (COE Only) addresses how the county superintendent of schools will coordinate services for foster children, including:

- A. Working with the county child welfare agency to minimize changes in school placement
- B. Providing education-related information to the county child welfare agency to assist in the delivery of services to foster children, including educational status and progress information that is required to be included in court reports;
- C. Responding to requests from the juvenile court for information and working with the juvenile court to ensure the delivery and coordination of necessary educational services; and
- D. Establishing a mechanism for the efficient expeditious transfer of health and education records and the health and education passport.

Local Priorities address:

- A. Local priority goals; and
- B. Methods for measuring progress toward local goals.

APPENDIX A: PRIORITIES 5 AND 6 RATE CALCULATION INSTRUCTIONS

For the purposes of completing the LCAP in reference to the state priorities under *Education Code* sections 52060 and 52066, as applicable to type of LEA, the following shall apply:

(a) "Chronic absenteeism rate" shall be calculated as follows:

- (1) The number of pupils with a primary, secondary, or short-term enrollment during the academic year (July 1 – June 30) who are chronically absent where "chronic absentee" means a pupil who is absent 10 percent or more of the schooldays in the school year when the total number of days a pupil is absent is divided by the total number of days the pupil is enrolled and school was actually taught in the total number of days the pupil is enrolled and school was actually taught in the regular day schools of the district, exclusive of Saturdays and Sundays.
- (2) The unduplicated count of pupils with a primary, secondary, or short-term enrollment during the academic year (July 1 – June 30).
- (3) Divide (1) by (2).

(b) "Middle School dropout rate" shall be calculated as set forth in *California Code of Regulations*, title 5, Section 1039.1.

(c) "High school dropout rate" shall be calculated as follows:

- (1) The number of cohort members who dropout by the end of year 4 in the cohort where "cohort" is defined as the number of first-time grade 9 pupils in year 1 (starting cohort) plus pupils who transfer in, minus pupils who transfer out, emigrate, or die during school years 1, 2, 3, and 4.
- (2) The total number of cohort members.
- (3) Divide (1) by (2).

(d) "High school graduation rate" shall be calculated as follows:

- (1) The number of cohort members who earned a regular high school diploma [or earned an adult education high school diploma or passed the California High School Proficiency Exam] by the end of year 4 in the cohort where "cohort" is defined as the number of first-time grade 9 pupils in year 1 (starting cohort) plus pupils who transfer in, minus pupils who transfer out, emigrate, or die during school years 1, 2, 3, and 4.
- (2) The total number of cohort members.
- (3) Divide (1) by (2).

(e) "Suspension rate" shall be calculated as follows:

- (1) The unduplicated count of pupils involved in one or more incidents for which the pupil was suspended during the academic year (July 1 – June 30).
- (2) The unduplicated count of pupils with a primary, secondary, or short-term enrollment during the academic year (July 1 – June 30).
- (3) Divide (1) by (2).

(f) "Expulsion rate" shall be calculated as follows:

- (1) The unduplicated count of pupils involved in one or more incidents for which the pupil was expelled during the academic year (July 1 – June 30).
- (2) The unduplicated count of pupils with a primary, secondary, or short-term enrollment during the academic year (July 1 – June 30).
- (3) Divide (1) by (2).

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 42238.07 and 52064, *Education Code*. Reference: Sections 2574, 2575, 42238.01, 42238.02, 42238.03, 42238.07, 47605, 47605.6, 47606.5, 48926, 52052, 52060, 52061, 52062, 52063, 52064, 52066, 52067, 52068, 52069, 52070, 52070.5, and 64001.; 20 U.S.C. Sections 6312 and 6314.

APPENDIX B: GUIDING QUESTIONS

Guiding Questions: Annual Review and Analysis

- 1) How have the actions/services addressed the needs of all pupils and did the provisions of those services result in the desired outcomes?
- 2) How have the actions/services addressed the needs of all subgroups of pupils identified pursuant to *Education Code* Section 52052, including, but not limited to, English learners, low-income pupils, and foster youth; and did the provision of those actions/services result in the desired outcomes?
- 3) How have the actions/services addressed the identified needs and goals of specific school sites and were these actions/services effective in achieving the desired outcomes?
- 4) What information (e.g., quantitative and qualitative data/metrics) was examined to review progress toward goals in the annual update?
- 5) What progress has been achieved toward the goal and expected measurable outcome(s)? How effective were the actions and services in making progress toward the goal? What changes to goals, actions, services, and expenditures are being made in the LCAP as a result of the review of progress and assessment of the effectiveness of the actions and services?
- 6) What differences are there between budgeted expenditures and estimated actual annual expenditures? What were the reasons for any differences?

Guiding Questions: Stakeholder Engagement

- 1) How have applicable stakeholders (e.g., parents and pupils, including parents of unduplicated pupils and unduplicated pupils identified in *Education Code* Section 42238.01; community members; local bargaining units; LEA personnel; county child welfare agencies; county office of education foster youth services programs, court-appointed special advocates, and other foster youth stakeholders; community organizations representing English learners; and others as appropriate) been engaged and involved in developing, reviewing, and supporting implementation of the LCAP?
- 2) How have stakeholders been included in the LEA's process in a timely manner to allow for engagement in the development of the LCAP?
- 3) What information (e.g., quantitative and qualitative data/metrics) was made available to stakeholders related to the state priorities and used by the LEA to inform the LCAP goal setting process? How was the information made available?
- 4) What changes, if any, were made in the LCAP prior to adoption as a result of written comments or other feedback received by the LEA through any of the LEA's engagement processes?
- 5) What specific actions were taken to meet statutory requirements for stakeholder engagement pursuant to *Education Code* sections 52062, 52068, or 47606.5, as applicable, including engagement with representatives of parents and guardians of pupils identified in *Education Code* Section 42238.01?
- 6) What specific actions were taken to consult with pupils to meet the requirements 5 CCR 15495(a)?
- 7) How has stakeholder involvement been continued and supported? How has the involvement of these stakeholders supported improved outcomes for pupils, including unduplicated pupils, related to the state priorities?

Guiding Questions: Goals, Actions, and Services

- 1) What are the LEA's goal(s) to address state priorities related to "Conditions of Learning": Basic Services (Priority 1), the Implementation of State Standards (Priority 2), and Course Access (Priority 7)?
- 2) What are the LEA's goal(s) to address state priorities related to "Pupil Outcomes": Pupil Achievement (Priority 4), Pupil Outcomes (Priority 8), Coordination of Instruction of Expelled Pupils (Priority 9 – COE Only), and Coordination of Services for Foster Youth (Priority 10 – COE Only)?
- 3) What are the LEA's goal(s) to address state priorities related to parent and pupil "Engagement": Parental Involvement (Priority 3), Pupil Engagement (Priority 5), and School Climate (Priority 6)?
- 4) What are the LEA's goal(s) to address any locally-identified priorities?
- 5) How have the unique needs of individual school sites been evaluated to inform the development of meaningful district and/or individual school site goals (e.g., input from site level advisory groups, staff, parents, community, pupils; review of school level plans; in-depth school level data analysis, etc.)?
- 6) What are the unique goals for unduplicated pupils as defined in *Education Code* sections 42238.01 and bgroups as defined in section 52052 that are different from the LEA's goals for all pupils?
- 7) What are the specific expected measurable outcomes associated with each of the goals annually and over the term of the LCAP?
- 8) What information (e.g., quantitative and qualitative data/metrics) was considered/reviewed to develop goals to address each state or local priority?
- 9) What information was considered/reviewed for individual school sites?
- 10) What information was considered/reviewed for subgroups identified in *Education Code* Section 52052?
- 11) What actions/services will be provided to all pupils, to subgroups of pupils identified pursuant to *Education Code* Section 52052, to specific school sites, to English learners, to low-income pupils, and/or to foster youth to achieve goals identified in the LCAP?
- 12) How do these actions/services link to identified goals and expected measurable outcomes?
- 13) What expenditures support changes to actions/services as a result of the goal identified? Where can these expenditures be found in the LEA's budget?

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Curriculum & Instruction

Date: August 16, 2017

Action Item

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item X

From: Rebecca Lawson,
Coordinator of Curriculum

___ # Attached Pages

Administrator's Initials: RL

SUBJECT: 2017 CJUSD & SCOE K-6 Summer Institute Professional Development McGraw Hill's Wonders ELA/ELD Curriculum

Please ratify the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)- Agreement #1051 between Sacramento County Office of Education and Center JUSD, to provide four (4) district based Wonders ELA/ELD modules to K-6th grade teachers and administrators in Center Joint Unified School District on the following dates:

June 5, 2017 grades K-2 Foundational Skills in Wonders

June 6, 2017 grades K-2 Fluency and small group instruction in Wonders

June 7, 2017 grades 3-6 Foundational Skills in Wonders

June 8, 2017 grades 3-6 Fluency and small group instruction in Wonders

CONSENT AGENDA

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Agreement EMS #1051

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is between the **Sacramento County Office of Education**, hereinafter referred to as "SCOE," and **Center Unified School District**, hereinafter referred to as "District."

The purpose of this MOU is to detail the roles and responsibilities of **SCOE** and the **District** in regards to delivering instructional support services to staff. Once signed by both parties, this MOU is in effect, and may be terminated by either entity in writing, but not less than seven business days prior to the first day of service.

No audio or visual recording of the services provided under this agreement may be made by any means without the advance written authorization of SCOE.

SCOE agrees to:

1. Provide a primary contact person and service provider(s) for all work under this MOU.

MOU Contact:

Tami Wilson

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Services provided by:

Kou Vang

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2. Provide four days of professional development in *Wonders*. (See Exhibit A for details.)

Location of the service

Center Unified School District

8408 Watt Avenue

Antelope, CA 95843

3. SCOE will make every effort to accommodate changes in dates as needed, however rescheduling is not guaranteed as dates are dependent on availability.
4. Provide an evaluation of services.
5. Provide training materials. All instructional materials provided by SCOE are copyrighted.
6. Invoice **District** within 30 days of execution of this MOU:
Center Unified School District
8408 Watt Avenue
Antelope, CA 95843

District agrees to:

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Becky Lawson

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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING, Agreement EMS #1051

**Exhibit A
Center Unified School District**

Day	Date	Support Description	Attend		Notes
			T	A	
1	6/5/17	Foundational Skills in <i>Wonders</i> , Grades K-2			8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
2	6/6/17	Fluency and Small Group Instruction in <i>Wonders</i> , Grades K-2			8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
3	6/7/17	Foundational Skills in <i>Wonders</i> , Grades 3-6			8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
4	6/8/17	Fluency and Small Group Instruction in <i>Wonders</i> , Grades 3-6 (afternoon planning time)			8:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Center Joint Unified School District

Dept./Site: Curriculum & Instruction		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Date: August 16, 2017		Action Item
To: Board of Trustees		Information Item <u>X</u>
From: Rebecca Lawson, Coordinator of Curriculum		_____ # Attached Pages
Administrator's Initials: <u>RL</u>		

SUBJECT: 2017-2018 CJUSD & SCOE K-6 Professional Development ELA/ELD Curriculum, CCSS Standards and CAASPP Assessments

Please approve the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)-Agreement #1052 between Sacramento County Office of Education and Center JUSD, to provide Professional Development in ELA/ELD Curriculum, CCSS Standards and CAASPP Assessments to administration to teachers and administrators in Center Joint Unified School District on the following dates:

- K-6 Wonders- Writing training (7/31/17)
- K-6 4th Mondays-Wonders training (8/28/17, 9/18/17, 10/23/17, 1/29/18, 2/26/18, 4/23/18)
- K-6 Wonders Cadre (8/23/17, 10/25/17, 1/24/18, 4/4/18)
- K-12 Administrator training (9/21/17, 1/18/18, 4/19/18)
- K-6 RSP/Title 1 Wonders training (9/8/17 & 1/12/18)
- K-6 ELD Teacher Wonders training (9/6/17 & 1/10/18)

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The purpose of this MOU is to detail the roles and responsibilities of **SCOE** and the **District** in regards to delivering instructional support services to staff. Once signed by both parties, this MOU is in effect, and may be terminated by either entity in writing, but not less than seven business days prior to the first day of service.

No audio or visual recording of the services provided under this agreement may be made by any means without the advance written authorization of **SCOE**.

SCOE agrees to:

1. Provide a primary contact person and service provider(s) for all work under this MOU.

MOU Contact:

Tami Wilson

(916) 228-2350

twilson@scoe.net

Services provided by:

Tami Wilson/Kou Vang

(916) 228-2350/(916) 228-3922

twilson@scoe.net/kvang@scoe.net

2. Provide *Wonders* implementation support for **District**. See Exhibit A for details.

Location of the service

Center Unified School District

8408 Watt Avenue

Antelope, CA 95843

3. **SCOE** will make every effort to accommodate changes in dates as needed, however rescheduling is not guaranteed as dates are dependent on availability.
4. Provide an evaluation of services.
5. Provide training materials. All instructional materials provided by **SCOE** are copyrighted.
6. Invoice **District** within 30 days of execution of this MOU:
Center Unified School District
8408 Watt Avenue
Antelope, CA 95843

District agrees to:

1. Provide a primary contact person for all work under this MOU.

Becky Lawson

(916) 338-7584

rlawson@centerusd.org

**Center Unified School District
Exhibit A**

Professional Development Day July 31, 2017: \$9,000

Day	Date	Support Description	Attend		Notes
			T	A	
	TBD	Development of training modules K-6 and planning template for the session led by Cadre.			
	July 24	Prep/planning with Cadre to deliver AM/PM sessions Start Smart and Establishing Instructional Routines <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundational Skills • Reading • Speaking & Listening • Writing 			9:00-12:00 with SCOE team Cadre facilitators will be paid a one-day stipend to prep. Cadre will facilitate the planning sessions.
	July 31	Grade K: Writing in <i>Wonders</i> Grade 1: Writing in <i>Wonders</i> Grade 2: Writing in <i>Wonders</i>			Kou Deirdre Tami AM: 8:00-11:00
	July 31	Grade 3: Write to Sources in <i>Wonders</i> Grade 4: Write to Sources in <i>Wonders</i> Grade 5-6: Write to Sources in <i>Wonders</i> S2 Fisher Video S2 Slide 36-54 (SBAC) S3 Afternoon			Kou Deirdre Tami PM: 12:00-3:00
	July 31	Gr. 3-6 Start Smart and Establishing Instructional Routines			AM: 8:00-11:00
	July 31	Gr. K-2 Start Smart and Establishing Instructional Routines			PM: 12:00-3:00

Monday Professional Development Days \$42,000

Day	Date	Support Description	Attend		Notes
			T	A	
	August 28	Fluency			3:00-4:30
	Sept. 18	Assessment and Small Group Teaching			Include TE study 4 instructors each session
	Oct. 23	Reading/Writing Connections			• TK/K
	Jan. 29	Comprehension			• 1-2 • 3-4

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	Feb. 26	Collaborative Conversations			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5-6 Writing topics coming TK/K and 1
	April 23	Vocabulary and Language Development			

- Other topics to consider: Inquiry and Research; Genre Writing . . .

Wonders Cadre \$8,000

Day	Date	Support Description	Attend		Notes
			T	A	
	Aug. 23	TBD	16	9	8:30-3:00
	Oct. 25	TBD			
	Jan. 24	TBD			
	April 4	TBD			

Administrator Training \$3,000

Day	Date	Support Description	Attend		Notes
			T	A	
	Sept. 21	Topics to consider: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SBAC Scores • Interim Assessments • Standards • Framework • Tier 1 – All, Some, Few • Coherence 		20	9:30-11:00 C&I Administrators All levels
	Jan. 18	TBD-See topics above			
	April 19	TBD-See topics above			

RSP/Title 1 \$5,000

Day	Date	Support Description	Attend		Notes
			T	A	
	Sept. 8	Foundational Skill; Diagnostic Assessment	4 Title 1 7 RSP		8:30-3:00
	Jan. 12	TBD			

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ELD Teachers \$5,000

Day	Date	Support Description	Attend		Notes
			T	A	
	Sept. 6	ELD standards and framework dig-in activities; Integrated/Designated; Wonders Program 2	4		8:30-3:00
	Jan. 10	TBD			

Option not included in MOU total listed above
Site-Based Support \$10,000 per school site

Two Rounds of Academic Conferences – one in Fall; one in Spring

- 3 days of academic conferences meeting with two grade levels per day
- 1 day of AM walk-through with administrator(s) and PM academic conference with Kinder (or one grade level)

Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	Curriculum Dept.	
Date:	August 16, 2017	Action Item <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
To:	Board of Trustees	Information Item
From:	Mike Jordan, Director of Curriculum & Special Education	
Initials:	<u>MOJ</u>	<u>6</u> # Attached Pages

SUBJECT:	Renewal of Licensing Agreement for Document Tracking Services (DTS) to provide templates and support for: 2017 School Accountability Report Card 2017 Single Plan for Student Achievement 2017 Local Control Accountability Plan 2017 Local Education Agency Plan Others to be identified as needed Please ratify the Renewal of Document Tracking Services (DTS) to provide support and forms to Center JUSD during the 2017/18 fiscal year.
RECOMMENDATION:	Center JUSD Board of Trustees to ratify 2017/18 Renewal of Licensing Agreement with Document Tracking Services (DTS).

CONSENT AGENDA



LICENSING AGREEMENT

This Agreement effective **June 1, 2017**, is made and entered into by **Center Joint Unified School District** as Licensee and Document Tracking Services (DTS) as Licensor each a "Party" and collectively the "Parties".

Licensee desires that DTS provide a license to use DTS proprietary web-based application in accordance with the following provisions:

- A. License. DTS hereby grants to Licensee a non-exclusive license to use DTS application in order to create, edit, update, print and track specific documents as described in Exhibit **A** of this agreement.
 - (i) DTS retains all rights, title and interest in DTS application and any registered trademarks associated with the license.
 - (ii) Licensee retains all rights, title and interest in the documents as described in Exhibit **A** of this agreement.
- B. Internet Areas. All parties including third party licensees shall not be permitted to establish any "pointers" or links between the Online Area and any other area on or outside of the DTS login without the prior written approval.
- C. Term of License. The term of the Agreement is for **one (1) year** from the effective date (as noted in paragraph one) of the license agreement.
- D. Personnel. DTS will assign the appropriate personnel to represent DTS in all aspects of the license including but not limited to account set up and customer license inquiries.
- E. Content. DTS will be solely responsible for loading the content supplied by Licensee into DTS secure server and provide complete access to Licensee and its representatives.
- F. Security of Data. DTS at all times will have complete security of Licensee documents on dedicated servers that only authorized DTS personnel will have access to; all login by DTS authorized will be stored and saved as to time of log-in and log-out.
 - (i) Licensee may request DTS to only store Licensee documents for the period of time that allows Licensee and its authorized personnel to create, edit and update their documents.
- G. Management of Database. DTS shall allow Licensee to review, edit, create, update and otherwise manage all content of Licensee available through the Secure Login of DTS.
- H. Customer License. DTS shall respond promptly and professionally to questions, comments, complaints and other reasonable requests regarding any aspect of DTS application by Licensee. DTS business hours are Monday-Friday 8AM PST to 5PM PST except for national/state holidays.



- I. License Fee. Licensee shall pay a fee of **\$2,250**.
- J. Document Set Up Fee. The one-time set up fee for documents as described in Exhibit A and made a part of this Agreement is **\$0**.
- K. Payment Terms. Licensee shall pay the annual licensing fee upon execution of the Agreement between parties and the electronic submittal of the invoice to Licensee.
- L. Number of Documents. The maximum number of documents per school district is limited to **five (5)**.
- M. Warranty. Licensee represents and warrants that all information provided to DTS, including but not limited to narratives, editorials, information regarding schools, is owned by Licensee and Licensee has the right to use and allow use by DTS as called for hereunder and that no copyrights, trademark rights or intellectual property rights of any nature of any third party will be infringed by the intended use thereof. In the event any claim is brought against DTS based on an alleged violation of the rights warranted herein, Licensee agrees to indemnify and hold DTS harmless from all such claims, including attorney fees and costs incurred by DTS in defending such claims.
- N. Definitions.
 - (i) Document. A document is defined as **a)** a specific template provided by CDE or; **b)** any specific word document or forms that have different fields or school references such as elementary, middle or high schools* submitted by District or CDE; or **c)** Individual inserts submitted by District or CDE that are integrated into existing documents or are offered as supplemental and/or addendums to other report documents.
 - * Licensee submits a SPSA template for their elementary, middle and high schools, which is counted as three (3) separate documents.
 - (ii) Customized Documents. Any document that is not a standard CDE template is considered a custom document and as such may be subject to additional setup fees; DTS shall provide an estimated cost of these additional fees prior to the execution of this agreement.
- O. Document Setup Fee. DTS will charge a one-time setup fee of \$200 per standard document up to a maximum of \$850 for customized documents.
- P. Additional Fees. Licensee shall pay additional fees if Licensee exceeds the number of documents as described in section L of this agreement. The fee for each additional document is \$39 per document times the number of schools in the district. The fee shall be payable within thirty (30) days from DTS invoice.
- Q. Additional Services. DTS can also provide Data Transfer and Document Translation services to Licensee for an additional fee. The fee for each additional service would be agreed upon between the parties and invoiced at the time the services were requested. The fee shall be payable within thirty (30) days from DTS invoice.



The Parties hereto have executed this Agreement as of the Effective Date.

Document Tracking Services, LLC

By: Aaron Tarazon, Director
Document Tracking Services
10225 Barnes Canyon Road, Suite A200
San Diego, CA 92121
858-784-0960 - Phone
858-587-4640 - Corporate Fax

Date: May 1, 2017

Licensee

By: Michael D. Allen

Date: 7/28/17

Center Joint Unified School District



Exhibit A

The following are standard documents to be used in conjunction with the license.

1. 2017 School Accountability Report Card, English & Spanish (Custom Template)
2. 2017 Single Plan for Student Achievement (CDE Template)
3. 2017 Local Control and Accountability Plan (CDE Template)
4. 2017 Local Education Agency Plan (CDE Template)
5. Others to be identified as needed.



May 1, 2017

Center Joint Unified School District
8408 Watt Ave.
Antelope, CA 95843

Re: Document Tracking Services

INVOICE #9584303

Pursuant to the licensing agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and Document Tracking Services (DTS):

Document Tracking Services

Document Tracking Services [6/1/17 to 6/1/18]: \$2,250
8 schools and District Personnel = 9 sites
License Agreement Includes up to 5 documents

Translation Services

2017 Spanish School Accountability Report Card: \$150
\$150 x 1 School Accountability Report Cards

Total Balance Due: \$2,400

Please Make Checks Payable To: Document Tracking Services

Send to:

Aaron Tarazon, Director
Document Tracking Services
10225 Barnes Canyon Road, Suite A200
San Diego, CA 92121
858-784-0960 - Phone
858-587-4640 - Corporate Fax

Thank you!



Approved Per Payment (Signature)

Michael Jordan (Director of
Name/Role (Printed)

Curriculum, Instruction and
Special Education

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

Print or type
See Specific Instructions on page 2.

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.
Document Tracking Services, LLC

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes:
 Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC
 C Corporation
 S Corporation
 Partnership
 Trust/estate
 Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ C
 Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner.
 Other (see Instructions) ▶

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):
 Exempt payee code (if any) _____
 Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____
(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)
10225 Barnes Canyon Road, A200

6 City, state, and ZIP code
San Diego, CA 92121

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Social security number

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OR

Employer identification number

2	0	-	3	4	6	9	2	5	4
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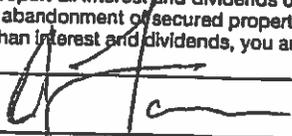
Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign Here Signature of U.S. person ▶ 

Date ▶ 3/15/17

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.
 Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/w9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
 - Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
 - Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)
- Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.
- If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See *What is backup withholding?* on page 2.
- By signing the filled-out form, you:
- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
 - Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
 - Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
 - Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.

2017-18 Certification of Assurances

Submission of Certification of Assurances is required every fiscal year. A complete list of legal and program assurances for the fiscal year can be found at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/aa/co/ca17asstoc.asp>.

CDE Program Contact:

Joy Paull, jpaull@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0297

Consolidated Application Certification Statement

I hereby certify that all of the applicable state and federal rules and regulations will be observed by this applicant; that to the best of my knowledge the information contained in this application is correct and complete; and I agree to have the use of these funds reviewed and/or audited according to the standards and criteria set forth in the California Department of Education's Categorical Program Monitoring (CPM) Manual. Legal assurances for all programs are accepted as the basic legal condition for the operation of selected projects and programs and copies of assurances are retained on site. I certify that we accept all assurances except for those for which a waiver has been obtained or requested. A copy of all waivers or requests is on file. I certify that actual ink signatures for this form is on file.

Authorized Representative's Full Name	Scott A. Loehr
Authorized Representative's Signature	
Authorized Representative's Title	Superintendent
Authorized Representative Signature Date	08/16/2017

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2017-18 Protected Prayer Certification

ESSA Section 8524 specifies federal requirements regarding constitutionally protected prayer in public elementary and secondary schools. This form meets the annual requirement and provides written certification.

CDE Program Contact:

Franco Rozic, Title I Monitoring and Support Office, frozic@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0269
 Mindi Yates, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, myates@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0789

Protected Prayer Certification Statement

The LEA hereby assures and certifies to the California State Board of Education that the LEA has no policy that prevents, or otherwise denies participation in, constitutionally protected prayer in public schools as set forth in the "Guidance on Constitutionally Protected Prayer in Public Elementary and Secondary Schools."

The LEA hereby assures that this page has been printed and contains an ink signature. The ink signature copy shall be made available to the California Department of Education upon request or as part of an audit, a compliance review, or a complaint investigation.

The authorized representative agrees to the above statement	Yes
Authorized Representative's Full Name	Scott A. Loehr
Authorized Representative Title	Superintendent
Authorized Representative Signature Date	06/13/2017
Comment If the LEA is not able to certify at this time an explanation must be provided in the Comment field. (Maximum 500 characters)	

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2017-18 Application for Funding

CDE Program Contact:

Education Data Office, ConApp@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0297

Local Governing Board Approval

The LEA is required to review and receive approval of their Application for Funding selections with their local governing board.

Date of approval by local governing board	08/16/2017
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District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC) Review

Per Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Section 11308, if your district has more than 50 English learners the district must establish a District English Learner Advisory Committee (DELAC) and involve them in the application for funding for programs that serve English learners.

DELAC representative's full name	 Rosa Pena
DELAC review date	06/21/2017
Meeting minutes web address Please enter the Web address of DELAC review meeting minutes (format http://SomeWebsiteName.xxx). If a Web address is not available, the LEA must keep the minutes on file which indicates that the application is approved by the committee.	
DELAC comment If an advisory committee refused to review the application, or if DELAC review is not applicable, enter a comment. (Maximum 500 characters)	

Application for Categorical Programs

To receive specific categorical funds for a school year the LEA must apply for the fund by selecting Yes. Only the categorical funds the LEA is eligible to receive are displayed.

Title I Part A (Basic Grant) ESSA Sec. 1111 et seq. SACS 3010	Yes
Title II Part A (Supporting Effective Instruction) ESEA Sec. 2104 SACS 4035	Yes
Title III Part A Immigrant ESEA Sec. 3102 SACS 4201	Yes
Title III Part A English Learner ESEA Sec. 3102 SACS 4203	Yes

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2017-18 Title III, Part A English Learner Student Program Subgrant Budget

The purpose of this report is to provide a proposed budget for 2017-18 English learner (EL) student program subgrant funds only per the Title III, Part A, English Learner Students Program requirements (ESSA, Title III, Part A, Sections 3114, 3115, & 3116).

CDE Program Contact:

Patty Stevens, Language Policy and Leadership Office, pstevens@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-5838
 Geoffrey Ndirangu, Language Policy and Leadership Office, gndirang@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-5831

Estimated Entitlement Calculation

Note: If the estimated entitlement amount does not meet the minimum \$10,000 program eligibility criteria for direct funding status, further action may be required. To receive instructions regarding the consortium application process, please contact Patty Stevens by phone at 916-323-5838 or by e-mail at pstevens@cde.ca.gov.

Estimated English learner per student allocation	\$93.37
Estimated English learner student count	595
Estimated English learner entitlement amount	\$55,555

Budget

Professional development activities	\$32,195
Program and other authorized activities	\$10,000
English Proficiency and Academic Achievement	\$0
Parent, family, and community engagement	\$10,732
Direct administration costs (Amount cannot exceed 2% of the estimated entitlement)	\$0
Indirect costs (Amount should be calculated using the LEA's approved indirect cost rate)	\$2,628
Total allocation budget	\$55,555

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2017-18 Title III, Part A Immigrant Student Program Subgrant Budget

The purpose of this report is to provide a proposed budget for 2017-18 Immigrant Student Program Subgrant funds only per the Title III, Part A, Immigrant Student Program requirements (ESSA, Title III, Part A, Sections 3114, 3115, & 3116).

CDE Program Contact:

Patty Stevens, Language Policy and Leadership Office, pstevens@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-5838
 Geoffrey Ndirangu, Language Policy and Leadership Office, gndirang@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-5831

Estimated Entitlement Calculation

Note: Only LEAs that have 21 or more eligible immigrant students, and that have experienced a significant increase of two percent or greater growth in eligible immigrant student enrollment in the current year compared with the average of the two preceding fiscal years are eligible for Title III, Part A Immigrant Student Program Subgrant funds. Use your Immigration student count that was provided to the California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System on census day of October 5, 2016.

Estimated Immigrant per student allocation	\$80.77
Estimated Immigrant student count	121
Estimated Immigrant entitlement amount	\$9,773

Budget

Authorized activities	\$9,773
Direct administration costs (Amount cannot exceed 2% of the estimated entitlement)	\$0
Indirect costs (Amount should be calculated using the LEA's approved indirect cost rate)	\$0
Total allocation budget	\$9,773

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2017-18 Substitute System for Time Accounting

This certification may be used by auditors and by CDE oversight personnel when conducting audits and sub-recipient monitoring of the substitute time-and-effort system. Approval is automatically granted when the LEA submits and certifies this data collection.

CDE Program Contact:

Julie Brucklacher, Financial Accountability and Info Srv Office, jbruckla@cde.ca.gov, 916-327-0858

The LEA certifies that only eligible employees will participate in the substitute system and that the system used to document employee work schedules includes sufficient controls to ensure that the schedules are accurate. Additional information on the predetermined schedule substitute system of time accounting can be found at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/ac/co/timeaccounting2013.asp>. Detailed information on documenting salaries and wages, including both substitute systems of time accounting, are described in Procedure 905 of the California School Accounting Manual posted on the Web at <http://www.cde.ca.gov/fg/ac/sa/>.

2017-18 Request for authorization	Yes
LEA certifies that the following is a full disclosure of any known deficiencies with the substitute system or known challenges with implementing the system (Maximum 500 characters)	no known deficiencies

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2017-18 Other ESEA Nonprofit Private School Participation

The LEA must offer to provide equitable services that address the needs of nonprofit private school students, teachers and other educational personnel under the programs listed below.

CDE Program Contact:

Anie Wilson, Educator Excellence Office, awilson@cde.ca.gov, 916-445-5669
 Patty Stevens, Language Policy and Leadership Office, pstevens@cde.ca.gov, 916-323-5838

Title II, Part A Supporting Effective Instruction

The LEA must offer to provide Title II, Part A equitable services that address the needs of nonprofit private school students, teachers and other educational personnel. The enrollment numbers are reported under penalty of perjury by each private school on its annual Private School Affidavit. The information filed in the Private School Affidavit is not verified and the CDE takes no position as to its accuracy. It is expected that districts engaged in private school consultation verify nonprofit status and the accuracy of student enrollment data if it is being used for the purpose of providing equitable services.

Title III, Part A Immigrant and English Learner Student Subgrant Program

On an annual basis, the LEA must consult with all nonprofit private schools within its boundaries, as to whether the private school students and teachers will participate in the Title III, Part A English Language Acquisition, Language Enhancement, and Academic Achievement Program. Consultation with appropriate nonprofit private school officials must be done during the design and development of programs and before decisions are made that affect the opportunities of students and teachers to participate. LEAs may not require documentation that poses an administrative barrier that is inconsistent to their responsibility to ensure equitable participation of private school students and teachers.

School Name	School Code	Enrollment	Title II, Part A Participation	Title III, Part A Immigrant Participation	Title III, Part A English Learner Participation	School Added
Antelope Christian Academy	6937544	81	Y	Y	Y	N

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2017-18 Nonprofit Private School Consultation

The LEA shall provide, on an equitable basis, special education services or other benefits to eligible children attending a nonprofit private school.

CDE Program Contact:

Sylvia Hanna, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, shanna@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0948

The LEA must offer to provide equitable services that address the needs of eligible students attending nonprofit private school and staff under the programs listed below. The enrollment numbers are reported under penalty of perjury by each private school on its annual Private School Affidavit. The information field in the Private School Affidavit is not verified, and the CDE takes no position as to its accuracy. It is expected that districts engaged in private school consultation verify the accuracy of student enrollment data if it is being used for the purpose of providing equitable services.

Note:

The LEA of residence is responsible for providing Title I, Part A services to all eligible students who reside in the LEA's Title I attendance area but attend a nonprofit private school. This includes students who attend nonprofit private schools outside the LEA's boundaries

Results of Consultation Allowable Values

Y1: meaningful consultation occurred

Y2: timely and meaningful consultation did not occur

Y3: the program design is not equitable with respect to eligible private school children

Y4: timely and meaningful consultation did not occur and the program design is not equitable with respect to eligible private school children

School Name	School Code	Enrollment	Consultation Occurred	Was Consultation Agreement Met	Signed Written Affirmation on File	Results of Consultation	School Added
Antelope Christian Academy	6937544	81	Y	Y	Y	Y1	N

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2017-18 Title I, Part A Planned School Allocations

Based on information provided in the School Student Counts data collection, the table below provides eligibility and ranking information. For school allocation planning, the LEA has indicated to which schools it intended to allocate Title I, Part A funds by entering a check in the Fund Flag column.

CDE Program Contact:

Lana Zhou, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, lzhou@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0956
Mindi Yates, Title I Policy and Program Guidance Office, myates@cde.ca.gov, 916-319-0789

If an exception to funding is needed, enter an Exception Reason. Use lower case only.

Allowable Exception Reasons

- a - Meets 35% Low Income Requirement
- d - Desegregation Waiver on File
- e - Grandfather Provision
- f - Feeder Pattern
- g - Local Funded Charter Opted Out
- h - Local Funded Charter Opt In
- k - Funded with EIA/SCE

Low income measure	FRPM
Group Schools by Grade Span	Yes
District-wide Low Income %	64.45%
Grade Span 1 Low Income %	67.52%
Grade Span 2 Low Income %	64.55%
Grade Span 3 Low Income %	59.40%

School Name	School Code	Grade Span Group	Projected Enrollment	Projected Low Income Students	Low Income %	Eligible for Funding	Funding Required	Ranking	Fund Flag	Exception Reason
Cyril Spinelli Elementary	6032924	1	290	232	80.00	Y	Y	1	Y	
North Country Elementary	6108948	1	626	459	73.32	Y	N	2	Y	
Arthur S. Dudley Elementary	6032908	1	676	469	69.38	Y	N	3	Y	

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2017-18 Title I, Part A Planned School Allocations

Based on information provided in the School Student Counts data collection, the table below provides eligibility and ranking information. For school allocation planning, the LEA has indicated to which schools it intended to allocate Title I, Part A funds by entering a check in the Fund Flag column.

School Name	School Code	Grade Span Group	Projected Enrollment	Projected Low Income Students	Low Income %	Eligible for Funding	Funding Required	Ranking	Fund Flag	Exception Reason
Oak Hill Elementary	6107734	1	803	457	56.91	N	N	4	N	
Wilson C. Riles Middle	0108621	2	660	426	64.55	Y	N	1	Y	
Global Youth Charter	0106377	3	59	40	67.80	Y	N	1	N	g
McClellan High (Continuation)	3430451	3	103	67	65.05	Y	N	2	Y	
Center High	3430378	3	1306	765	58.58	Y	N	3	N	

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Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Facilities & Operations Department

To: Board of Trustees

Action Item X

Date: August 16, 2017

Information Item

From: Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.

Attached Pages 3

Assist. Supt. Initials: CD

SUBJECT: Contractor Change Order #01 to the Contract By and Between NFB Engineering, and Center Joint Unified School District

Change Order #1 credits \$5,373.68 back to the district.

RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Trustees approves Change Order #01 to contract by and between NFB Engineering, and Center Joint Unified School District for the Wilson Riles Site Access Project.

CONSENT AGENDA

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

CHANGE ORDER

Project: Wilson Riles Site Access Project Engineer: Warren Consulting Engineers Date: 7/17/2017
 Bid Pkg#: 17-02

Contractor: NFB Engineering DSA App: 02-115616 Change Order #: 1
 Budget Code: N/A OPSC No: N/A P.O. #: 172345

DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE:

The following proposed change order(s) are incorporated into the Contract by reference:

<u>PCO #</u>	<u>SUMMARY DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
#01	T & M work at Curb - Additional Concrete Infill	0	\$336.51
#02	Credit for Overkote not applied (asphalt sealer)	0	(\$710.19)
	District Allowance not Used	0	(\$5,000.00)
TOTAL:		0	(\$5,373.68)

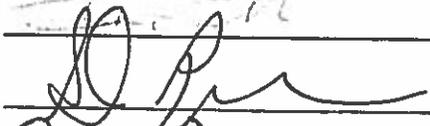
Original contract amount.....	\$79,700.00
Previous change orders.....	\$0.00
Contract amount prior to this change order.....	\$79,700.00
Amount of this change order.....	(\$5,373.68)

NEW CONTRACT AMOUNT Including this change order..... \$74,326.32

Contract time will be changed by: Increasing 0 Work days

Original Date of Construction Completion: 7-Jul-17

DATE OF CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION AS OF THIS CHANGE ORDER: 7-Jul-17

Issued by the Owners Representative		Date: <u>7/17/2017</u>
Reviewed by Architect/Engineer		Date: <u>7/17/2017</u>
Agreement by Contractor		Date: <u>7/17/17</u>
Approved by Owner		Date: <u>7/18/17</u>

Note: Not valid until signed by the Owner, Architect and the Owners Representative. Signature of the Contractor indicates agreement herewith, including adjustments to Contract Sum and/or Contract Time.

**Wilson Riles Access Project
PCO #01**

		MATERIAL	Unit	Amount	LABOR	Rate	Amount	TOTAL
		Qty			Hours			
T & M Work at Curb								
	Cement Mason				1	\$ 72.79	\$ 72.79	\$ 72.79
	Laborer				1	\$ 63.93	\$ 63.93	\$ 63.93
	Concrete	1.5	CY	\$ 153.00				\$ 153.00
LABOR								\$ 136.72
OH/P	15%							\$ 20.51
MATERIAL								\$ 153.00
OH/P	15%							\$ 22.95
SUB TOTAL LABOR/MATERIAL								\$ 333.18
Bonds/Insurance 1%								\$ 3.33
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TOTAL COST FOR PCO								\$ 336.51

Wilson Riles Access Project
PCO #02

	MATERIAL Qty	Unit	Amount	LABOR Hours	Rate	Amount	TOTAL
Credit for Overkote							
Laborer				-8	\$ 63.93	\$ (511.44)	\$ (511.44)
Materials			\$(100.00)				\$ (100.00)
LABOR							\$ (511.44)
OH/P	15%						\$ (76.72)
MATERIAL							\$ (100.00)
OH/P	15%						\$ (15.00)
SUB TOTAL LABOR/MATERIAL							\$ (703.16)
Bonds/Insurance 1%							\$ (7.03)
TOTAL COST FOR PCO							\$ (710.19)

Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	Facilities & Operations Dept.	Action Item <u> X </u>
To:	Board of Trustees	Information Item <u> </u>
Date:	August 16, 2017	# Attached Pages <u> 4 </u>
From:	Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.	
Asst. Superintendent Initials:	<u>CD</u>	

SUBJECT:	Ratify approval for PSA for Catherine Stevens
CONSULTANT'S NAME:	Catherine Stevens
COMPANY NAME (if applicable):	
SERVICES TO BE RENDERED:	Delegated Trainer
DATES OF SERVICE:	Beginning 7/24/2017 – 6/30/2018
PAYMENT PER HOUR:	\$50
TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRACT:	As needed
FUNDING SOURCE:	01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000
RECOMMENDATION:	CJUSD Board of Trustees Ratifies Professional Services Agreement as presented.

CONSENT AGENDA



Center Unified School District
 8408 Watt Avenue
 Antelope, California 95843

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This agreement for professional services is entered into this _____ day of _____ by and between the Center Unified School District and the person(s) or firm described below, hereinafter described as CONTRACTOR. Persons performing services under this contract hold themselves out to be independent contractors, not employees of the DISTRICT, and hold(s) the DISTRICT harmless from claims under workers' compensation laws. CONTRACTOR further declares that he/she/it is/are in the business of providing the described service for any and all persons/organizations desiring such services, that such services are not provided exclusively for Center Unified School District. CONTRACTOR also holds the DISTRICT harmless from claims arising from loss, damage, or injury while performing the stipulated services.

Contractor Name: Catherine Stevens
 Address: 125 Elderbrook Lane Sacramento CA
 Phone: (916) 397-4538 Taxpayer ID # _____

Full description of services to be provided:
Delegate Trainer (Behind the Wheel)

Payment \$ 50.00 per hour. CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt of invoice or service, whichever is later.

Beginning Date of Service: 7-24-17 Frequency of Service: As Needed
 Ending Date of Service: 6-29-18

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)
 Variable Payroll - W-2 Generated (Requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.)
 Accounts Payable - 1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on back of this form).

Total amount of this contract \$ _____ Budget # _____

Reason service cannot be provided by a District employee: _____

Signature of CONTRACTOR: Catherine Stevens Date: 7-24-17
 Signature of District employee requesting service: C. Deen Date: 7/24/17
 Signature of Accounting Supervisor: _____ Date: _____
 Date Board of Trustees Approved (If over \$500.00): _____
 Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____ Date: _____

*** CONTRACT NOT VALID WITHOUT AUTHORIZED DISTRICT SIGNATURE ***

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the
 requester. Do not
 send to the IRS.

Print or type
 See Specific instructions on page 2.

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank. <i>Catherine Stevens</i>	
2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above	
3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____ <small>Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner.</small> <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶ _____	4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3): Exempt payee code (if any) _____ Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____ <small>(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)</small>
5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.) <i>125 Elderbrook Lane</i>	Requester's name and address (optional)
6 City, state, and ZIP code <i>Sacramento CA 95828</i>	
7 List account number(s) here (optional)	

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number
[Redacted]
or
Employer identification number
[Redacted]

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
4. The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign Here	Signature of U.S. person ▶ <i>Catherine Stevens</i>	Date ▶ <i>8-24-17</i>
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General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.
 Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/fw9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
- Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
- Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.

If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See What is backup withholding? on page 2.

- By signing the filled-out form, you:
1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued).
 2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
 3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
 4. Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.

**INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR OR EMPLOYEE?
DISTRICT GUIDELINES**

PART I

YES NO

1. Has this category of worker already been classified an "employee" by the IRS? , <i>Refer to page 1 for individuals listed in IRS Publication SWR 40 and others identified during the IRS compliance studies in San Diego County.</i>		X
2. Is the individual working as an employee prescribed by the Education Code? <i>Education Code sections 45100-45451/88000-88263 define what constitutes classified service and 44800-45060/87000-87333 define certificated service. The IRS predisposes an employer/employee relationship when state law mandates such a relationship.</i>		X
3. Is the individual already an employee of the district in another capacity?		X
4. Has the individual performed substantially the same services for the district as an employee in the past? <i>Is the individual retired, returning to substitute, or train, etc.?</i>		X
5. Are there currently employees of the district doing substantially the same services as will be required of this individual?		X
6. Does the district have the legal right to control the method of performance by this individual? <i>Consider whether the district has to train this individual or give instruction as to when, where, how, and in what order to work. Does the district require the individual to submit reports or perform the services at a district site? These factors would indicate the district maintains control sufficient for an employer/employee relationship. However, it is not necessary that the district exercise this right or have the expertise required to do so. In many cases this would not be practical nor advisable.</i>		X
7. Are the services, as being provided, an integral part of school operations? <i>Are the services being provided necessary to the operation of the school, program, project, etc.? This indicates the district has an interest in the method of performance and implies the maintenance of legal control.</i>		X

If the answer to any of the above questions is "YES",

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Do not complete the rest of the questions. The individual is the district employee and must be paid and reported accordingly.

If all of the above are "NO", continue...

PART II

YES NO

8. Must the required service be performed by this individual? <i>Consider whether or not the individual may designate someone else to do the work without the district's knowledge or approval</i>		X
9. Does the district have a continuing relationship with this individual? <i>Is this a "one shot deal" or will the district continue to use this individual in the future? This could be on an infrequent or irregular basis but a continuous relationship exists.</i>	X	
10. Can this relationship be terminated without the consent of both parties?	X	

If the answer to questions 8, 9, or 10 is "YES", there is a good possibility that an employment relationship exists. Questions 8 & 9 are indicators of district control that, in conjunction with other factors, imply an employment relationship. Go back to PART I and re-evaluate each question. If questions 1-7 are still all "NO", continue...

PART II - continued

	YES	NO
<p>11. Does the individual operate an <u>independent</u> trade or business that is available to the general public? <i>A determining factor in judging independence is the performance of services to the general public. In evaluating this criteria, school districts are considered to be separate entities. Keep in mind: if the district is utilizing this individual's services on a full-time basis, the individual is <u>not</u> available to the general public. NOTE: Possession of a business license or incorporation does <u>not</u> automatically satisfy this requirement. The determination <u>must</u> be made on the actual <u>relationship</u> between the district and the individual performing services.</i></p>	X	
<p>12. Does the individual have a substantial investment in his/her business, i.e. maintains a facility, equipment, etc.? <i>This is indicative of economic risk inherent in business enterprises. An independent contractor must be able to make a profit or sustain a loss.</i></p>	X	

If either 11 or 12 are "NO", the individual is a district employee

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and process the individual through payroll.

If 11 and 12 are both "YES", continue

	YES	NO
<p>13. Does the individual provide all materials and support services necessary for the performance of this service? <i>The district should not be providing office space, clerical, secretarial, or any other support for this individual such as materials, xeroxing, printing, office supplies, etc. Any necessary assistants would be hired by the individual.</i></p>	X	
<p>14. Is this paid by the job or on a commission?</p>	X	
<p>15. Does the individual bear the cost of any travel and business expenses incurred to perform this service? <i>Generally, these types of expenses are paid by an employer, however, some contracts provide for payment of airfare, mileage, etc. for consultants.</i></p>	X	

If 11 and 12 are "YES", 13 through 15 should also be "YES" and are items that should be written into the consultant contract. This individual is an independent contractor. A "YES" on questions 13 through 15 supports the district's conclusion and substantiates a "reasonable basis" for treatment as an independent contractor. While there are circumstances where the district might pay contractually provided expenses, these should be kept at a minimum to avoid giving the impression of an employment relationship.

Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	Facilities & Operations Department	
To:	Board of Trustees	Action Item <u> X </u>
Date:	August 16, 2017	Information Item <u> </u>
From:	Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.	# Attached Pages <u> 2 </u>
Assist. Supt. Initials:	<u> CD </u>	

SUBJECT:	Amendment 2 to Agreement with CPM for Prop 39 Planning Services
<p>Facilities & Operations request that the Agreement with CPM entered into January 21, 2015, be amended. This is an Amendment to increase compensation from One Hundred Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$130,000) to Two Hundred Two Thousand Dollars (\$202,000), an increase of Seventy Two Thousand Dollars (\$72,000).</p>	
<p>Recommendation: That the Board of Trustees approves Amendment 2 to the agreement with CPM for Prop 39 planning and implementation services.</p>	
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CONSENT AGENDA

Contract Amendment #2

July 25, 2017

Planning and implementation services associated with Proposition 39, California Clean Energy Jobs Act Agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and Capital Program Management Inc., "Program Manager or PM" (hereinafter collectively referred to as "Parties").

WHEREAS, the Parties entered into an Agreement ("Agreement") dated January 21, 2015 to provide planning and implementation services in connection with the Proposition 39, California Clean Energy Jobs Act for the District; and

WHEREAS, the Parties wish to amend the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

This is an Amendment to increase compensation from One Hundred Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$130,000) to Two Hundred Two Thousand Dollars (\$202,000), an increase of Seventy Two Thousand Dollars (\$72,000).

This additional \$72,000 is broken down as follows:

CPM Planning for HVAC replacement on selected District sites	\$10,260
CPM Implementation Assistance	\$37,620
CPM Reporting – Annual Progress and Final Report	\$ 6,120
CECI Planning and Implementation	<u>\$18,000</u>
TOTAL	\$72,000

REVISE Article 7: COMPENSATION AND PAYMENT, Paragraph A. Compensation for Basic Services to:

A. Compensation for Basic Services: The Owner shall compensate the PM for performing the Services as described in Exhibit "A", within timeframes established in Article 4. Fees will not exceed Two Hundred Two Thousand Dollars (\$202,000) based upon hourly rates for services as described in Exhibit "B".

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties agree that all other terms, conditions, exhibits, and obligations of the Agreement remain in effect throughout the term of the Agreement except for those provisions of the Agreement that are directly contradicted by this Amendment, in which event the terms of the Amendment shall control.

The covenants and conditions contained in this Amendment shall apply to and bind the Parties and the heirs, legal representatives, successors and permitted assigns of the Parties.

This Amendment is executed as of the day and year first written above.

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT:

CAPITAL PROGRAM MANAGEMENT, INC.:

By: _____

By: 

Mr. Wallace E. Browe

Its: _____

Its: President

Date: _____

Date: 7.27.2017



Center Joint Unified School District

CONSENT AGENDA

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Facilities & Operations Department

To: Board of Trustees

Action Item X

Date: August 16, 2017

Information Item

From: Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.

Attached Pages

Initials: CD

SUBJECT: Disposal of Surplus Equipment

The Facilities & Operations Department would like to surplus the following vehicle that is no longer in use from the Maintenance Department:

1992 GMC Utility Truck, VIN #1GDKC34N6NJ522295, Plate #1078152

This vehicle will be offered for sale, donation, or disposal following your approval.

Recommendation: That the Board of Trustees approves the surplus and disposal, donation, or sale of the equipment.

Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	Facilities & Operations Department	
To:	Board of Trustees	Action Item <u>XX</u>
Date:	August 16, 2017	Information Item <u> </u>
From:	Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.	# Attached Pages <u>10</u>
Assist. Supt. Initials:	<u>CD</u>	

SUBJECT:	Agreement Between Center Joint Unified School District and SCI Consulting Group for Professional Services.
<p>The District is requesting ratification from the Board to enter into an agreement with SCI Consulting Group to provide Special Tax Consulting Services and the formation of a Community Facilities District ("CFD") for the Center Joint Unified School District.</p>	
<p>RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Trustees ratifies the agreement with SCI Consulting Group.</p>	
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CONSENT AGENDA

Wednesday, July 5, 2017

Craig Deason, Assistant Superintendent
Center Joint Unified School District
8408 Watt Avenue
Antelope, CA 95843

Re: Proposal for Community Facilities District Special Tax Consulting Services for the Center Joint Unified School District

Dear Craig:

SCI Consulting Group ("SCI") is pleased to submit, for your review, this proposal to provide Special Tax Consulting Services and the formation of a Community Facilities District ("CFD") for the Center Joint Unified School District ("District"). We understand that the District would like to form a CFD to fund the construction of school facilities needed to serve the students generated by the following development projects with the District's boundaries:

- Elverta Specific Plan (Sacramento County) – Approximately 3,750 dwelling units
- Placer Vineyards Specific Plan (Placer County) – Approximately 10,900 dwelling units
- Sierra Vista Specific Plan (Placer County) – Approximately 15,900 dwelling units
- Regional University Specific Plan (Placer County) – Approximately 1,450 dwelling units
- Riolo Vineyards Specific Plan (Placer County) – Approximately 650 dwelling units

Our proposal includes all tasks required for a successful CFD formation, including the development of the rate and method of apportionment of the special tax; drafting and processing of all required documents including draft resolutions, notices, ballots, agenda reports, and the boundary map.

Our approach to the CFD formations would be based on a close interaction and coordination of the project with District staff, the consulting team, the County of Sacramento and the County of Placer ("Counties"), the participating developers/landowners, and other key stakeholders. If selected, SCI would provide comprehensive services in a manner that limits the time and resources of District staff.

ABOUT COMMUNITY FACILITIES DISTRICTS

In 1978, Proposition 13 was enacted by Californians, which limited the ability of many public agencies to finance new projects. In 1982, Senator Henry Mello and Assemblyman Mike Roos affected the passage of the "Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982" ("Act") authorizing local governments to form CFDs for the purpose of financing authorized public improvements and services. A CFD may fund public improvements with a useful life of at least five years, such as public infrastructure, park, recreation, and open space facilities, school facilities, libraries, child care facilities and other governmental facilities. CFDs may also fund ongoing services such as police and fire protection; park, parkway, and open space maintenance; recreation programs; and flood and storm protection.

In order to form a CFD, it must be approved by a two-thirds margin of qualified voters in the proposed boundaries of the CFD. If there are fewer than twelve registered voters within the proposed CFD, the vote may be passed by current landowners. If there are twelve or more registered voters within the proposed CFD, a registered-voter election is required.

Once formed, special taxes are levied on properties within the CFD annually to fund public improvements and/or services. The Act allows considerable flexibility in determining the method and apportionment of the special tax. If the public improvement costs are significant, land-secured bonds may be authorized to provide the upfront funding needed to construct the improvements.

WORK PLAN AND APPROACH

Based upon our current understanding of the project and the technical analysis and services needed by the District, we propose the following scope of work and approach:

Task 1: Background Research and Initial Strategy. SCI will first review the District's development impact analysis, facility plan, other technical studies and plans related to funding of the facilities. SCI and the District will then hold a project kick-off meeting to discuss the District's goals and objectives and the proposed methodologies and approaches that will be used in the determination of the Rate and Method of Apportionment of the Special Tax ("RMA"). At the project kick-off meeting, SCI and District staff will develop a detailed timeline, task list, and deliverables for the project.

Task 2: Preliminary Tax Spread Analysis. SCI will then analyze the development impact analysis, facilities plan and funding plan for the authorized facilities to be included in the CFD as provided by School Facilities Consultants ("SFC"). SCI will determine supportable bonded indebtedness and the special tax rates required to fund the project and the estimated effective total property tax rates. SCI will work with the District to develop estimates of annual costs for financing of the facilities. SCI will work with the District to develop a cost allocation methodology to benefiting land uses in the proposed CFD. SCI will determine and use local dwelling unit occupancy factors for residential land uses and assumed square foot per employee factors for nonresidential uses as a proxy for the benefit received by the various residential and nonresidential land uses. The cost allocation methodology will help in the determination of the maximum special tax per unit for each land use type and the annual special tax formula. The special tax will likely be assigned on a per dwelling unit basis for residential land uses and assigned on a per building square foot basis for nonresidential land uses.

SCI and the District will need to maintain a productive dialogue throughout this process to ensure the cost allocation methodology is reasonable and complies with the requirements of the Act. Upon completion of the initial cost allocation and the maximum special tax determination, SCI will review the technical analysis, key findings and recommendations with District staff and make any necessary adjustments.

Task 3: Rate and Method of Apportionment of Special Tax. Prepare the rate and method of apportionment of the special tax ("RMA"). The RMA will document the special tax formula, maximum special tax rates, classification of property for purposes of the annual levy, the prepayment methodology, etc. All such components of the RMA will be structured so they are consistent with State CDIAC guidelines and District's approved CFD policies, and facility plan of the District.

Task 4: CFD Special Tax Report. SCI will then prepare a draft Special Tax Report which shall include a description of facilities to be funded by the CFD, the estimated costs of the proposed facilities, an estimate of incidental costs; an explanation of the RMA; estimated bonded indebtedness and related issuance costs and incidental expenses; anticipated date of issuance; and the boundary map and a listing the participating assessor's parcels. The draft CFD Special Tax Report and the proposed structure of the CFD will be made available for District review and comment. All components of the RMA will be structured to be consistent with the District's Local Goals and Policies for CFDs as well as the long-term facility plan for the District.

After review by District staff, SCI will revise the draft Special Tax Report according to one set of consolidated comments from the District. SCI will then provide a Public Review Draft of the Special Tax Report and present it and the proposed CFD before the District Board ("Board") and the public.

Task 5: Stakeholder Outreach. After review by District staff, SCI will revise the administrative draft according to one set of consolidated comments from the District. SCI will then provide a Public Review Draft of the Special Tax Report and present it and the proposed CFD(s) the before the Counties, the North State BIA, participating developers/landowners, and other key stakeholders. The purpose of these outreach meetings is to educate the stakeholders on the purpose and details of the proposed CFD and solicit their input and support. A PowerPoint presentation will be prepared for each meeting to succinctly present the District's plans, the cost allocation methodologies and proposed CFD(s).

Task 6: CFD Formation Proceedings. Once the RMA is approved, SCI will draft all documents required for the CFD formation proceedings including the petition, consent and waiver, resolutions/ordinances, draft agenda reports, the notice of public hearing, notice of special tax lien and will review with District staff and legal counsel as necessary. SCI will also provide necessary data and advice to Bond Counsel regarding the implementation of the CFD, including policies which address changes in land uses which occur after the formation. On behalf of the District, SCI will also coordinate the mailing of the petition, consent and waiver and the subsequent landowner special tax election notice and ballot with all participating landowners. SCI will also coordinate the publishing of the notice of public hearing and the recording of the boundary map and notice of special tax lien with the County Recorder.

Meetings/Hearings. SCI will attend meetings with District staff and other stakeholders to review and discuss CFD formation and documents. We anticipate the need for four (4) meetings for Tasks 1 through Task 4 and three (3) meetings for Task 6. Task 5 services, additional meetings, beyond our proposed seven (7) in-person meetings, will be billed at our hourly billing rate for the project.

TENTATIVE TIMELINE

We anticipate that the special tax analysis and the Special Tax Report would take approximately two months. The timeline will in part depend on the availability of the required development impact analysis and funding plan from SFC. The CFD formation and ballot proceeding will take approximately three months to complete and require at least two District Board meetings, with a minimum of 30 days between each Board meeting. This assumes that 100% of the participating landowners complete a petition, consent, and waiver form.

FEE SCHEDULE / MANNER OF PAYMENT

In consideration for the work accomplished, as outlined in this proposal, SCI shall be follows:

The scope of work for Tasks 1 through 4 shall be 50% of a fixed fee of \$23,500 for both school districts and shall include up to four (4) in-person meetings and assumes participation by both school districts. Payments shall be due and payable upon submission of an invoice for each project milestone.

Task 5 Stakeholder Outreach shall be billed proportionately among the two Districts at the hourly bill rate of \$175 per hour. Travel time for attendance at meetings shall be billed proportionately at 50% of the hourly bill rates. Payments shall be due and payable upon submission of a monthly invoice for billable hours from the prior month.

Task 6 CFD Formation Proceedings shall be a fixed fee of \$14,500 per CFD formation and shall include to three (3) in-person meetings. Payments shall be due and payable upon submission of an invoice for each project milestone.

Compensation for additional in-person meetings and out-of-scope services, as requested, shall be billed proportionately among the two Districts at the hourly bill rates of \$175 per hour. Travel time for attendance at meetings shall be billed proportionately at 50% of the hourly bill rates.

Incidental costs incurred by SCI for the purchase of property or statistical data, travel, postage and other out-of-pocket expenses incurred in performing the scope of work shall be reimbursed at the proportionate actual cost.

ABOUT SCI CONSULTING GROUP

Established in 1985, **SCI Consulting Group** is a recognized public finance consulting firm with leading expertise in assisting California public agencies with local funding of public services and improvements. We also possess industry leading expertise with the important legal and procedural requirements for the formation of Community Facilities Districts, Benefit Assessment District, and other local financing mechanisms. SCI has formed and annually administers over 900 special taxes, assessments, and fees for over 150 public agencies throughout the State. This expertise and experience will ensure that your goals and objectives are met successfully, collaboratively, on schedule and on budget.

CFD Formation Experience

Listed below are our recent and current clients for which we provided Special Tax Analysis and CFD Formation Services.

- Amador Water Agency
- City of Petaluma
- City of Placentia
- City of Vallejo
- County of Merced
- County of San Benito
- County of Ventura
- Cosumnes CSD (Sacramento)
- Davis Joint USD
- Diablo CSD
- Dixon USD
- Galt Joint UESD
- Galt Joint UESD
- Monterey-Peninsula RPD
- Mountain Rec. and Cons. Auth. (L.A.)
- North Highlands RPD (Sacramento)

- Rio Linda Elverta RPD (Sacramento)
- Sacramento City USD
- Southgate RPD (Sacramento)
- South Lake County FPD
- Truckee FPD
- Travis USD

PROJECT TEAM

If selected, I would serve as the project manager and principal-in-charge and would be actively involved in the special tax analysis and review of all formation documents and election material. Melanie Lee, Senior Consultant, would be involved with the review of the special tax analysis and would prepare all CFD formation documents and election material. Both Melanie and I do not have any work commitments that would interfere with our responsiveness and ability to successfully complete the project within a reasonable timeframe.

As Director of Planning Services, I specialize in the areas of developer mitigation, Mello-Roos CFD formations, development impact fees and other new revenue mechanisms to fund the need for new or increased public facilities. With over 16 years of experience in public finance, I have developed extensive expertise in assisting public agencies in addressing the financial impact of new development. I have prepared over 100 development impact studies and public facility financing plans and am a recognized expert in CFD formations.

Some of my project-specific developer impact analyses and mitigation projects include the Sacramento Railyards Specific Plan, the Alameda Point Specific Plan, the East Dublin Specific Plan, the Florin-Vineyard Community Plan in Sacramento, the Fairfield Train Station Specific Plan, the Galt Eastview Specific Plan, the Vallco Redevelopment and Apple Campus 2 in Cupertino, and the Warm Springs/South Fremont Community Plan in Fremont, to name a few.

I am a graduate of Boise State University with a B.A. in Economics with an emphasis in public finance. I am a frequent presenter on local funding mechanisms for public agencies at annual conferences and area workshops held by the California Society of Municipal Finance Officers, the California Special Districts Association, the Coalition for Adequate School Housing, the California Park & Recreation Society, the California Association of Recreation & Park Districts, and the Fire District Association of California. I am a commercial associate member of the California Society of Municipal Finance Officers, former Community Resources Commissioner for the City of Fairfield, and current member of the CSDA Legislative Committee.

Melanie Lee contributes over ten years of experience in cost estimating, local revenue measure balloting projects and election services to the SCI team. Melanie has extensive experience with all phases of the forming a financing district and the associated election, from the initial feasibility analysis, to opinion research and through the election and informational outreach. Melanie is a graduate of St. Mary's College with a B.A. in Business Management.

OTHER INFORMATION

Employment Policies. SCI does not and shall not discriminate against any employee in the work place or against any applicant for such employment or against any other person because of race, religion, sex, color, national origin, handicap, or age or any other arbitrary basis. SCI Consulting Group insures compliance with all civil rights laws and other related statutes.

Craig Deason

July 5, 2017

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Insurance. SCI carries professional Errors and Omissions insurance in the amount of \$2 million per occurrence and \$2 million aggregate. SCI also carries general liability insurance in the amount of \$2 million per occurrence and \$4 million aggregate.

Conflict of Interest Statements. SCI is under agreement with the Rio Linda Elverta Recreation and Park District ("RLERPD") for updating their Park Impact Fee Nexus Study and assisting with them with formation of a CFD for park maintenance. SCI will need a conflict of interest waiver from RLEPRD and the District and Elverta Joint Elementary School District in order to proceed. SCI has no other known past, ongoing or potential conflicts of interest for working with the District, performing the Scope of Work or any other service for this project.

Independent Contractor. If selected, SCI shall perform all services included in this proposal as an independent contractor.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me. I can be reached at (707) 430-4300 ext. 113 or via email at blair.aas@sci-cg.com. We look forward to this opportunity to assist the District with this important project and stand ready to proceed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Blair E. Aas". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Blair E. Aas
Director of Planning Services

cc: Melanie Lee, SCI Consulting Group

CONSULTANT SERVICES AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made on June 19, 2017, between **Center Joint Unified School District**, a public agency, ("District") and **SCI Consulting Group** ("Consultant" or "SCI"), a California Corporation, who agree as follows:

1. **Scope of Work ("Work").** Consultant shall perform the work and render the services described in the proposal entitled Community Facilities District Special Tax Consulting Services dated July 5, 2017, which is attached as Exhibit A and incorporated herein (the "Work"). Consultant shall provide all labor, equipment, material, and supplies required or necessary to properly and competently perform the Work and determine the method, details, and means of doing the Work.
2. **Payment.**
 - a. In exchange for the Work, District shall pay to Consultant a fee for completed phases of Work as described in Exhibit A. The total fee for the Work shall not exceed amounts set forth in Exhibit A. There shall be no compensation for extra or additional work or services by Consultant unless approved in advance in writing by District. Consultant's fee shall include all of the Consultant's costs and expenses related to the Work.
 - b. At the completion of each phase of Work, Consultant shall submit to District an invoice for the Work performed during the preceding month. If the Work is satisfactorily completed and the invoice is accurately computed, District shall pay the invoice within 30 days of its receipt.
3. **Term.** This Agreement shall take effect on the above date and shall continue until completion of the Work.
4. **Conflict of Interest.** Consultant (including principals, associates and professional employees) represents and acknowledges that (a) it does not now have any investment or interest in real property and shall not acquire any interest, direct or indirect, in the area covered by this Agreement or any other source of income, interest in real property or investment that would be affected in any manner or degree by the performance of Consultant's services under this agreement, and (b) in the performance of the Work under this Agreement no person having any such interest shall perform any portion of the Work. However, Consultant is under contract with the Rio Linda Elverta Recreation and Park District ("RLERPD") to update their Park Impact Fee Nexus Study and assisting with them with the formation of a CFD for park maintenance. District and Consultant both agree to waive any conflict of interest arising out of the performance of this Agreement and the Consultant's Agreement with Rio Linda Elverta Recreation and Park District.
5. **Insurance.**
 - a. **Types & Limits.** Consultant at its sole cost and expense shall procure and maintain for the duration of this Agreement the following types and limits of insurance:

Commercial General Liability \$2,000,000 per occurrence

Automobile Liability	\$4,000,000 aggregate
Workers' Compensation	\$2,000,000 per accident
Professional Liability	Statutory limits
Excess Liability (over General Liability & Auto Liability)	\$2,000,000 per claim
	\$1,000,000 per occurrence
	\$1,000,000 aggregate

- b. **Other Requirements.** The general liability policy(ies) shall be endorsed to name District, its officers, and employees as additional insureds regarding liability arising out of the Work.
- c. **Proof of Insurance.** Upon request, Consultant shall provide to District proof of insurance.
- 6. **Indemnification.** Consultant shall indemnify, defend, protect, and hold harmless District, and its officers and employees from and against any and all liability, losses, claims, damages, expenses, demands, and costs (including, but not limited to, attorney, expert witness and consultant fees, and litigation costs) arising out of, pertaining to, or relating to the negligence, recklessness, or willful misconduct of the Consultant, its employees, agents and subcontractors in performance of the Work.
- 7. **Entire Agreement.** This writing represents the sole, final, complete, exclusive and integrated expression and statement of the terms of this contract between the parties concerning the Work, and supersedes all prior oral and/or written negotiations, representations or contracts. This Agreement may be amended only by a subsequent written contract approved and executed by both parties.
- 8. **Independent Contractor.** Consultant's relationship with District is that of an independent contractor.
- 9. **Successors and Assignment.** This Agreement shall bind and inure to the benefit of the heirs, successors, and assigns of the parties; however, Consultant shall not subcontract, assign or transfer this Agreement or any part of it without the prior written consent of District.
- 10. **No Waiver of Rights.** Any waiver at any time by either party of its rights as to a breach or default of this Agreement shall not be deemed to be a waiver as to any other breach or default.
- 11. **Severability.** If any part of this Agreement is held to be void, invalid or unenforceable, then the remaining parts will nevertheless continue in full force and effect.
- 12. **Governing Law and Venue.** This Agreement will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California.
- 13. **Default.** In the event that Consultant defaults in the obligations of Consultant under this Agreement, or Consultant defaults in the performance of the terms and conditions of this Agreement, District may, at its option, declare this Agreement to be in default and, at any time thereafter, may do any one or more of the following: a) enforce performance of the Agreement by Consultant; or

b) terminate this Agreement. In the event that this Agreement is terminated, payment shall still be due for all Work performed by Consultant through the date of the termination.

14. Cancellation. District or Consultant may cancel this Agreement without cause. The party desiring to cancel this Agreement shall notify the other party in writing. In the event that this Agreement is canceled, payment shall still be due for all Work performed by Consultant through the date of the notification of cancellation.

15. Attorney's Fees. In the event any legal action is brought to enforce or construe this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to an award of reasonable attorney's fees, expert witness and consulting fees, and litigation costs.

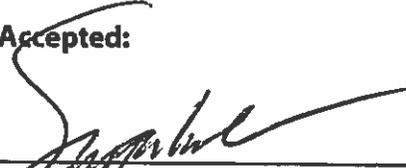
16. Notice. Any notice, invoice or other communication that is required or permitted to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing and either served personally or sent by prepaid, first class U.S. mail addressed as follows:

Public Agency:
Center Joint Unified School District
8408 Watt Avenue
Antelope, CA 95843

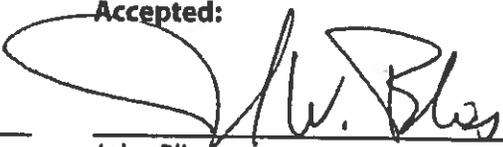
Consultant:
SCI Consulting Group
4745 Mangels Boulevard
Fairfield, CA 94534

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Any party may change its address by notifying the other party of the change in the manner provided above.

Accepted:


Scott Loehr
Superintendent
Center Joint Unified School District

Accepted:


John Bliss
President
SCI Consulting Group

8/3/17

Date

8-3-2017

Date

Attachment: Exhibit A – Work and Fee Schedule

EXHIBIT A – WORK AND FEE SCHEDULE

This Exhibit A is Consultants proposal to the District, submitted July 5, 2017, which describes the Work, fee schedule, and manner of payment.

Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	Facilities & Operations Department	
To:	Board of Trustees	Action Item <u>XX</u>
Date:	August 16, 2017	Information Item <u> </u>
From:	Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.	# Attached Pages <u>9</u>
Assist. Supt. Initials:	<u>CD</u>	

SUBJECT:	Agreement Between Center Joint Unified School District and Nacht & Lewis Architects for Professional Services.
<p>The District is requesting ratification from the Board to enter into an agreement with Nacht & Lewis Architects to provide professional design services to upgrade the southwest pedestrian entrance from the student parking lot into the front of the campus at Center High School.</p>	
<p>RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Trustees ratifies the agreement with Nacht & Lewis Architects.</p>	
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CONSENT AGENDA

July 6, 2017

Craig Deason
Assistant Superintendent, Facilities & Operations
Center Jt. Unified School District
8408 Watt Ave.
Antelope, CA 95843-9116

**Re: Agreement for Professional Services
Center High School Campus Entry Upgrade**

Dear Craig,

Nacht & Lewis Architects (N&L) is pleased to continue to serve the Center Jt. Unified School District (CJUSD/District) and to submit this proposal for A/E services for the above referenced project. Based on numerous conversations with you, several site visits, and an initial concept study, we understand this project to be as defined below. Upon mutual acceptance, this document may serve as our written agreement for professional services for this project.

1.0 SCOPE OF SERVICES

1.01 Project Understanding & Scope of Services

- A. Provide professional design services to upgrade the southwest pedestrian entrance from the student parking lot into the front of the campus for improved function, aesthetics and accessibility. Project will generally align with an early concept study prepared by Nacht & Lewis and presented to the District on 3/13/2017 (see attached).
- B. Project will include the removal of an existing 24'x40' modular building located between the gymnasium and existing permanent classroom building in an area to become a new student plaza. Improvements will include new concrete sidewalk, benches and lighting from the southwest entry gates to the student parking lot. The area vacated by the portable building will be converted to a concrete paved plaza surrounded by new ornamental iron fencing for controlled student use. School spirit signage will be incorporated into the fencing, gates and entry walk and minor landscape improvements will be made. Additionally, the existing trash enclosure near the kitchen will be enlarged to accommodate (4) trash/recycling containers and be enclosed by new CMU walls and solid metal gates.
- C. This project will exceed the minimum cost threshold of \$100,000 to avoid DSA review. As such, accessibility upgrades will be required to restrooms that can be deemed as serving the area of improvements. Nacht & Lewis has identified the restrooms in the front lobby of the main gymnasium adjacent to the new plaza area as the most economical for upgrade. Additionally, an accessible path of travel will need to be provided, if not already present, to accessible parking and the main administration office.
- D. Provide design, construction documents, bidding assistance and construction administration assistance for the project.

- E. Visit site and meet with CJUSD and site staff as required to determine project needs and DSA required accessibility upgrades.
- F. Prepare conceptual site plan and 3-D graphics for CJUSD approval prior to the start of construction documents.
- G. Assist CJUSD in project planning, scheduling and provide a rough order of magnitude cost estimate based on conceptual design package, including anticipated accessibility upgrades.
- H. Provide full design, construction documents, graphic renderings, DSA approval, contractor procurement assistance, construction administration and project closeout services including all required engineering consultants. Scope of work to include site work, fencing, pedestrian path lighting, landscape & irrigation repair, path of travel, restroom and other required accessibility upgrades.
- I. Review project record drawings from contractor provided field sets and obtain final DSA project certification.

1.02 Deliverables:

- A. Electronic PDF drawings of schematic design scoping plans and 3-D renderings
- B. (2) half-size and (1) electronic PDF copy of progress drawings at 75% construction documents phase.
- C. (2) half-size and (1) electronic PDF copy of CD package as submitted to DSA for initial review.
- D. (2) half-size and (1) electronic PDF copy of DSA approved CDs.
- E. Additional printed hard copy bid/procurement sets, coordination sets or construction sets are not a part of this proposal. N&L will provide any and all electronic PDF and/or CAD files required to complete the project.

1.03 Engineering and Consulting Services

- A. Nacht & Lewis will utilize the following engineering consultants to deliver the full scope of services outlined in this agreement. All consultant fees are part of this agreement.

WCE - Civil Engineering
BP - Structural Engineers
Edge Electrical - Lighting
MTW Group - Landscape

1.04 Assumptions/Exclusions

- A. CJUSD to provide topographic ground and utility survey for areas of work and are not a part of this proposal. WCE will contract direct to District.
- B. Geohazard reports and California Geological Survey approvals are not required on these projects due to limited scope of work on an existing campus that does not involve the construction of new buildings.

- C. District will provide the design team access to the work areas. The design team will try to limit site visits to after school hours but to maintain schedule, this may not always be possible and school period work may be required.
- D. DSA fees are not a part of this scope. Local fire authority reviews/fees are not anticipated for this project.
- E. Testing & inspection are not a part of this scope.
- F. N&L to provide technical specification sections only. District provide all Division 0 & 1 (front-end) specifications, bidding requirements, schedules, and related contract forms. N&L will assist with defining the scope of work and notice to bidders.
- G. Other than those deliverables identified herein, additional hardcopy prints of drawings and/or specifications, including bid documents or record drawings are not a part of this proposal.
- H. Construction administration fees assume weekly job site meetings for an 8-week project duration and includes (1) pre-bid meeting, (1) pre-construction meeting and (1) punch walk. Additional site visits, meetings and/or construction administration duties are not a part of this proposal.

2.0 ADDITIONAL SERVICES

2.01 In the event that the scope of services is modified from what has been outlined herein, the resulting work shall be provided only when confirmed or authorized in writing by the District and N&L. Such services shall be billed as additional services and based on the hourly identified in N&L's 2017 Billing Rate Schedule or as a negotiated stipulated sum.

2.02 Cost Estimates

N&L will work to design a solution that reflects the stated needs, program, and code requirements and which is consistent with the existing fit and finish of the facility. N&L will not provide detailed cost estimates as part of the scope.

2.03 Construction Contracting

N&L assumes that the construction of this project will be through a normal competitive bid process under a traditional design-bid-build project delivery method.

3.0 SCHEDULE

3.01 A definitive project delivery schedule has not been provided by the District at the time of this proposal. We are assuming a summer 2018 construction target with the following milestones:

Assessments, Planning & Scoping	August 2017
Construction Documents to DSA	September - October 2017
DSA Review & Approval	October 2017 - January 2018
Bid / Award	February - March 2018
Construction	June - July 2018
Project Closeout	August 2018

3.02 Nacht & Lewis has no control over the review times established by DSA. We will work in a proactive manner to facilitate timely reviews, however, the ultimate review duration is dependent upon the agency performance. This project may potentially be accelerated upon further discussion with the CIUSD.

4.0 PROJECT CONSTRUCTION BUDGET

4.01 A defined construction budget has not been provided by the CIUSD. This proposal is based on the work effort required to design to the District's approved project scope. A/E service fees are based on the scope of services required to deliver this defined project scope and not reflective of a predetermined percentage of construction cost. For preliminary planning purposes, we would expect this project as currently defined, including modest accessibility and path of travel upgrades to be approximately \$350,000 in bid-day construction cost.

5.0 COMPENSATION

5.01 Fees are based on a lump sum with percent phase billing and include all labor and direct expenses for N&L and their designated consultants. Basic reimbursable expenses are included in the lump sum fee and include meetings, site trips and all deliverables identified herein. Additional trips, meetings, deliverables, and other additional service fees shall be considered above this base fee and can be negotiated as occur under the terms of the Architectural Services Agreement.

5.02 Phase Fee Breakdown:

Assessments, Scoping, Planning & SD	15%	\$6,243
Construction Documents w/ DSA Approval	50%	\$20,813
Procurement/Award	5%	\$2,081
Construction Administration	25%	\$10,407
<u>Project Closeout</u>	<u>5%</u>	<u>\$2,081</u>
Total	100%	\$41,625

5.03 A/E Team Breakdown:

WCE – Civil Engineering	\$4,400
Barrish Pelham – Structural Engineering	\$4,950
Edge Electrical – Electrical Engineering	\$1,650
MTW Group - Landscape	\$1,650
<u>Nacht & Lewis</u>	<u>\$28,978</u>
Total	\$41,625

5.04 Payment

Invoices for services rendered will be submitted monthly. Payments are due and payable 45 days from the date of invoice.

6.0 INSURANCE PROVISIONS

Professional Liability Insurer: ACE American Insurance Company
Policy Number: EONG2165596A001
Policy Limits: Per Claim: \$2,000,000
Aggregate: \$3,000,000

Coverage: This claims-made policy covers professional errors or omissions by Nacht & Lewis or on their behalf.

General Liability Insurer: Fidelity & Guarantee Insurance Underwriters
Policy Number: BK02153240
Policy Limits: Each Occurrence \$1,000,000
Fire Damage (any one fire) \$500,000
Med Exp (any one person) \$10,000
Personal & Adv Injury \$1,000,000
General Aggregate \$2,000,000
Products - Comp/Op Agg \$2,000,000

Coverage: Each Occurrence

Auto Liability Insurer: Fidelity & Guarantee Insurance Underwriters
Policy Number: BK01797223
Policy Limits: Combined Single Limit: \$1,000,000
Coverage: Hired Autos & Non-owned Autos

Workers Comp. Insurer: St. Paul Protective Insurance Co.
Policy Number: BW02163757
Policy Limits: Statutory Limits
Each Accident: \$1,000,000
Disease/Policy Limit: \$1,000,000
Disease/Employee: \$1,000,000
Coverage: Required by law, provides coverage for injuries sustained on the job.
Provides all benefits by statute.

7.0 INDEMNIFICATION

7.01 N&L shall indemnify, defend with counsel approved by CJUSD, and hold harmless CJUSD, its officers, officials, employees and volunteers from and against liability, loss, damage, expense, cost (including without limitation reasonable attorney's fees, expert fees and all other costs and fees of litigation) of every nature arising out of or in connection with N&L's negligence, recklessness or willful misconduct in the performance of work hereunder or its failure to comply with any of its obligations contained in this Agreement, except such loss or damage which is caused by the sole negligence or willful misconduct of the CJUSD, but only to the extent N&L is determined to be liable by a court, mediator or other venue qualified to make such a determination. Until liability has been determined and assigned, all parties shall pay their own costs of discovery and defense, including litigation, with prevailing party(s) being reimbursed by liable party(s) in shares proportionated to their determined level of liability as a part of final settlement. N&L shall promptly pay any final judgment rendered against the CJUSD (and its officers, officials, employees, and volunteers) with respect to claims determined by a trier of fact to have been the result of the N&L's negligent, reckless, or wrongful performance. It is expressly understood and agreed that the foregoing provisions are intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of California and will survive termination of this Agreement.

8.0 THIRD PARTY LIABILITY

8.01 N&L does not guarantee the completion of performance contracts by the construction contractor(s) or other third parties, nor is N&L responsible for their acts or omissions, or for the safety of their work, except when employed directly by N&L for consulting services.

9.0 SEGREGATION OF CONTRACT

9.01 The fees and fee apportionments quoted herein are predicated upon a single contract covering all the work described herein. If only a partial contract is assigned, the fees stipulated may be void and a new proposal may be required reflecting a revised scope or schedule of services.

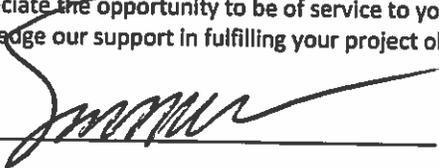
10.0 FINGERPRINTING

10.01 Nacht & Lewis will fully comply with the provision of Education Code sections 45125.1 (Fingerprinting Requirements), when it is determined that N&L will have contract with pupils in the performance of services described in this contract. This requirement will extend for the full extent of the contract period. The following Nacht & Lewis staff are anticipated to be on these project sites during normal school hours and all have clear DOJ records:

Brian Maytum
Eric Sifuentes
Yesenia Watkins

11.0 SIGNATURES

Should the above proposal be acceptable, please authorize by signing below and returning a copy for our records. We appreciate the opportunity to be of service to you. As always, Nacht & Lewis values our professional relationship and we pledge our support in fulfilling your project objectives.

By:  _____

Date: 8/3/17

Authorized Agent
Center Jt. Unified School District



By: _____

Date: July 6, 2017

Brian J. Maytum, AIA – Principal
Nacht & Lewis Architects, Inc.

Attachments: Nacht & Lewis 2017 Hourly Billing Rate Schedule
Conceptual Design Study - 3/13/2017

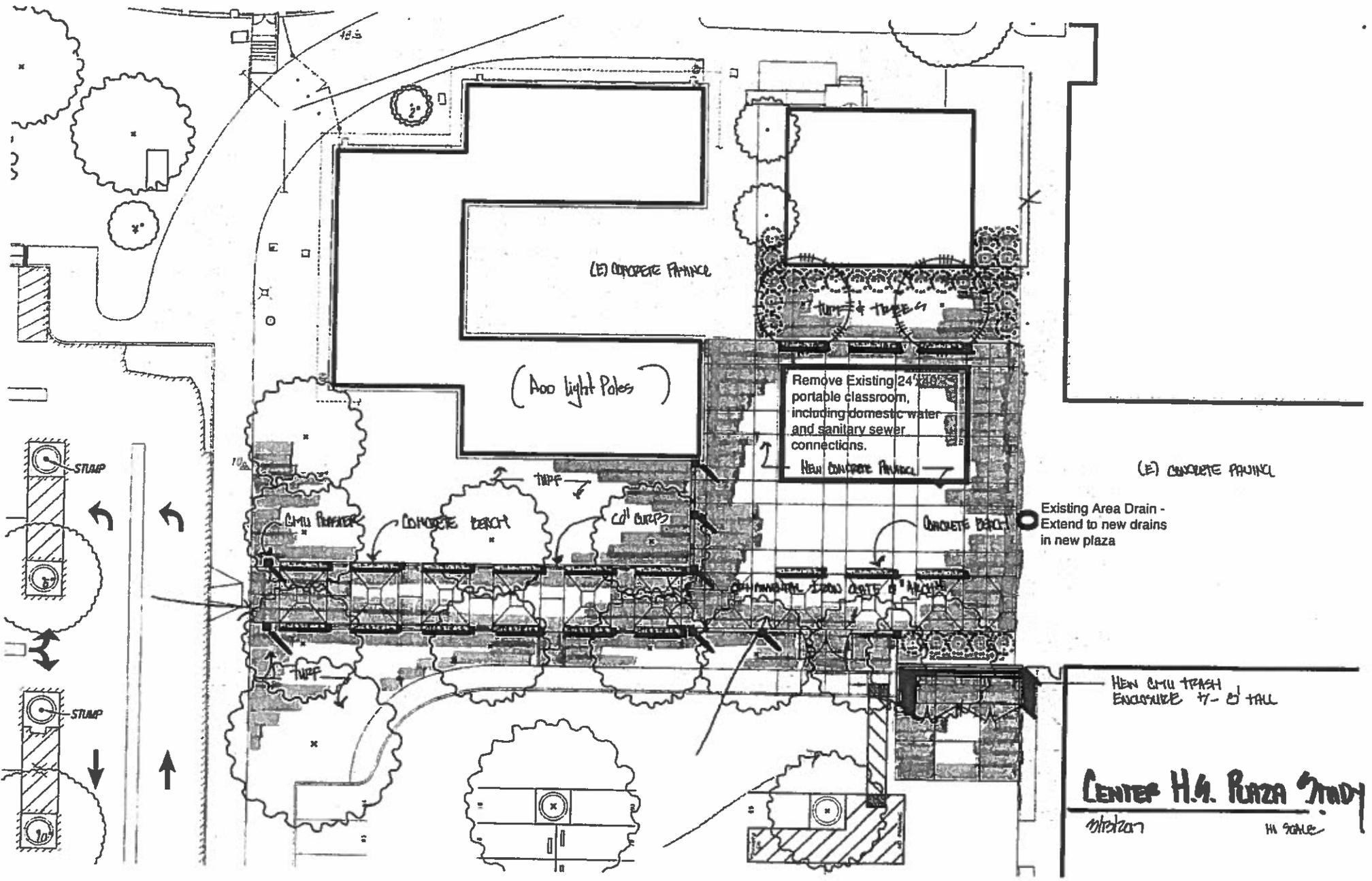
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2017 Billing Rate Schedule

<u>POSITION</u>	<u>HOURLY RATE</u>
Principal	275.00
Senior Project Manager	200.00
Senior Planner	195.00
Project Manager	180.00
Senior Project Architect	170.00
Senior Project Coordinator	165.00
Project Architect	160.00
Project Coordinator	150.00
Interior Designer	140.00
Senior Design Technician II	135.00
Senior Design Technician	125.00
Graphic Designer	115.00
Design Technician	110.00
Office Manager	115.00
Project Administrator	95.00
Administration	80.00

Billing rates are subject to review and change on the anniversary date of the contract.

Reimbursable expenses include reproductions, plotting, postage, shipping, meals, travel, lodging, models and renderings. Reimbursable expenses will be billed at actual cost plus an administrative charge of 10%. Mileage is at the Internal Revenue Service standard mileage rate. The current rate is 53.5 cents per mile.



(E) CONCRETE FINANCE

(Add light Poles)

Remove Existing 24' portable classroom, including domestic water and sanitary sewer connections.
- NEW CONCRETE FINANCE

(E) CONCRETE FINANCE

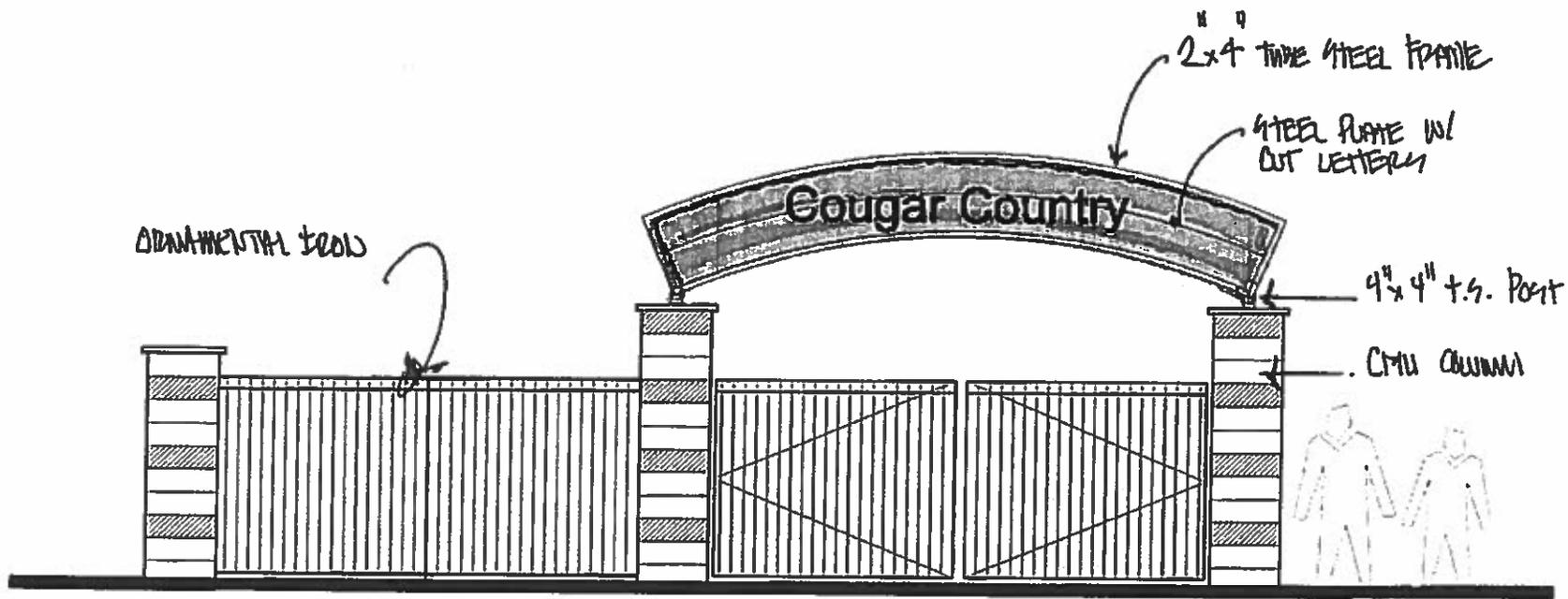
Existing Area Drain - Extend to new drains in new plaza

NEW CMU TRASH ENCLOSURE 7'-0" TALL

CENTER H.G. RAZA STUDY

sketch

1/1 SCALE



Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Facilities & Operations Department

To: Board of Trustees

Action Item X

Date: August 16, 2017

Information Item

From: Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.

Attached Pages 1

Assist. Supt. Initials: CD

SUBJECT: Notice of Completion for the Wilson C. Riles Site Access Upgrade

The Wilson C. Riles Middle School Site Access Upgrade #17-2 Project contract was awarded to NFB Engineering at the District's May 17, 2017 Board meeting.

The contractor has met the requirements set forth in the construction documents and work has been completed to the satisfaction of the Superintendent.

RECOMMENDATION: Ratify the Notice of Completion for NFB Engineering, for the Wilson C. Riles Middle School Site Access Upgrade #17-02 Project.

CONSENT AGENDA

RECORDING REQUESTED BY

AND WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO:

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
8408 Watt Avenue
Antelope, CA 95843



Sacramento County
Donna Allred, Clerk/Recorder

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Fees	\$0.00
Taxes	\$0.00
PCOR	\$0.00
Paid	\$0.00

NOTICE OF COMPLETION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That the work of Wilson C. Riles MS Site Access Upgrade was completed on:

July 7, 2017

That the name and address of owner of said property is:

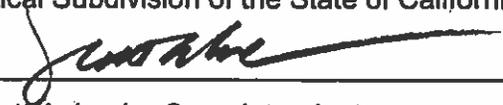
CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
8408 Watt Avenue
Antelope, CA 95843

The nature of its title to said property is a fee simple.

No fee, per Government Code 6103.

That the name of the original contractor for the work is **NFB Engineering** a licensed contractor of California.
That the property herein above referred to are located at 8408 Watt Avenue, Antelope, CA 95843.

Center Joint unified School District
A Political Subdivision of the State of California

By: 

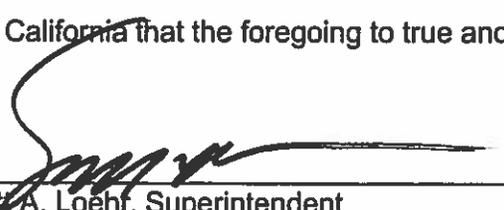
Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent
Center Joint Unified School District
8408 Watt Avenue, Antelope, CA 95843

(STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
(City of Antelope)
(County of Sacramento)

Scott A. Loehr, being first duly sworn, deposes and says: That I am the Superintendent of the Center Joint Unified School District, which District is the owner of property described in the forgoing Notice of Completion and knows the contents thereof; that the facts therein stated are true of my own knowledge.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing to true and correct.

Dated this 25th day of July, 2017.



Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:	
Dept./Site: Facilities & Operations Department	
To: Board of Trustees	Action Item <u> X </u>
Date: August 16, 2017	Information Item <u> </u>
From: Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.	# Attached Pages <u> 4 </u>
Assist. Supt. Initials: <u> CD </u>	

<p>SUBJECT: Contractor Change Order #1 to the Contract By and Between Star Energy Management, Inc., Contractor, and Center Joint Unified School District</p> <p>This change order to the contract by and between Star Energy Management, Inc., and Center Joint Unified School District increases the contract amount for CJUSD in the amount of \$15,177.26.</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Trustees approves Change Order #1 to contract by and between Star Energy Management, Inc., and Center Joint Unified School District for the Proposition 39 Funded Energy Efficiency and Conservation Lighting Projects (Project No. 17-01A).</p>

CONSENT AGENDA

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

CHANGE ORDER

Project: Proposition 39 Funded Energy Efficiency Lighting and Conservation Lighting Projects
 Project #: 17-01A CJUSD District Sites Date: 7/18/2017

Contractor: Star Energy Management, Inc. DSA App: N/A Change Order #: 1
 Budget Code: N/A OPSC No: N/A P.O. #: N/A

DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE:

The following proposed change order(s) are incorporated into the Contract by reference:

<u>PCO #</u>	<u>SUMMARY DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
#002	Interior Lighting Controls and Exterior Lighting Fixtures - Scope Adjustments per Existing Conditions. (McClellan High School, Spinelli Elementary School, North Country Elementary School, Oak Hill Elementary School, and Dudley Elementary School)	5	\$12,272.72
#004	Additional Interior Lighting Controls and Exterior Lighting Fixtures - Added to Scope by District. (McClellan High School, Spinelli Elementary School, Oak Hill Elementary School, and Dudley Elementary School)	1	\$12,904.54
SUB-TOTAL			\$25,177.26
Beginning Allowance Account (Credit Against Allowances Used)			(\$10,000.00)

*Note - See attached back-up documentation for PCO #002 and #004.

	TOTAL:	<u>6</u>	<u>\$15,177.26</u>
Original contract amount.....			\$197,816.75
Previous change orders.....			\$0.00
Contract amount prior to this change order.....			\$197,816.75
Amount of this change order.....			<u>\$15,177.26</u>
NEW CONTRACT AMOUNT including this change order.....			<u>\$212,994.01</u>

Contract time will be changed by: increasing 6 Work days
 Original Date of Construction Completion: 21-Jul-17
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION AS OF THIS CHANGE ORDER: 31-Jul-17

Issued by the Owners Representative		Date: <u>07 AUG 17</u>
Reviewed by Architect/Engineer	<u>N/A</u>	Date: _____
Agreement by Contractor	_____	Date: _____
Approved by Owner	_____	Date: _____

Note: Not valid until signed by the Owner, Architect and the Owners Representative. Signature of the Contractor indicates agreement herewith, including adjustments to Contract Sum and/or Contract Time.



Star Energy Management, Inc.
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Oroville, CA 95966
P: 530.532.9250 F: 530.532.7553

Change Order

DATE: July 12, 2017
Change Order# Center C002
All Schools Except Global Youth

BILLING ADDRESS:
CPM

SERVICE ADDRESS:
Wilson, McClellan, Spinelli, N. County Elementary
Oak Hill Elementary, Dudley Elementary

DESCRIPTION	ACTIVITY	EXPLANATION/NOTES	QUANTITY	AMOUNT
None	None	Exterior Wilson	No Changes	\$ -
A-10	Multi-Purpose Room	Interior McClellan	Remove From Scope	\$ -
D-10	Center Adult School Classroom	Interior McClellan	Installed 1 DSW-301 - Credit 2 MRF2-4S-DV & 1 LRF2-OKLB	\$ (560.00)
C-6	Classroom	Interior McClellan	Installed 1 MRF2-4S-DV - Credit 1	\$ (179.00)
C-7	Classroom	Interior McClellan	Installed 1 MRF2-4S-DV - Credit 1	\$ (86.62)
C-8	Classroom	Interior McClellan	Installed 1 MRF2-4S-DV - Credit 1	\$ (86.62)
C-9	Classroom	Interior McClellan	Installed 1 MRF2-4S-DV - Credit 1	\$ (86.62)
B-3	Principal's Office	Interior McClellan	Installed 1 DSW-301 - Credit 1 DSW-302	\$ (86.62)
B-14	Classroom	Interior McClellan	Installed additional MRF2-4S-DV	\$ (8.25)
D-17	Workroom	Interior McClellan	Installed 1 MRF2-4S-DV & 1 LRF2 - Credit 1 DSW-301	\$ 273.31
D/E	Dual Flood Light (Security)	Exterior McClellan	Only Installed (2) PFS22LED - Credit (2)	\$ (352.50)
B	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior McClellan	Only 1 installed - Credit 2	\$ (348.42)
D	Standard Medium Wall Pack	Exterior McClellan	Actually only 1 - Credit 1 WPM43LED	\$ (300.27)
B	Standard Medium Wall Pack	Exterior McClellan	Actually only 1 - Credit 1 WPM43LED	\$ (300.27)
C	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior McClellan	Actually installed 3 fixtures - Credit 1 WPS27LED	\$ (266.96)
E	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior McClellan	Actually only 1 - Credit 1 WPS27LED	\$ (266.96)
D	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior McClellan	Actually only 1 - Credit 1 WPS27LED installed Bottom PhotoCells	\$ (266.96)
C	Building C	Exterior McClellan	New Entry (Installed 1 OLWP 11)	\$ 174.21
B	Building E Weight Room	Exterior McClellan	New Entry (Install 2 OLWP 11)	\$ 348.42
B	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior McClellan	Actually 3 Fixtures Add (2) Of the same	\$ 533.91
A	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior McClellan	Installed 2 Additional WPS27LED	\$ 533.92
A	Building A	Exterior McClellan	New Entry (Installed 2 WPM43LED)	\$ 600.54
Parking	Cree Cobrabad 101w	Exterior McClellan	New Entry (Install 6 CREE CH 101w)	\$ 1,800.00
D-8	Multi-Purpose Room	Interior Spinelli	No Sensors / Key Switches - Credit (4) LRF2-OKLB & (4) MRF2-4S-DV	\$ (973.15)
D-6	Stage	Interior Spinelli	No Sensors / Low Voltage Switches - Credit (1) LRF2-OKLB & (2) MRF2-4S-DV	\$ (449.54)
JA-6/1/11	Multi-Purpose Room	Interior Spinelli	No Sensors / Key Switches - Credit (1) LRF2-OKLB & (1) MRF2-4S-DV	\$ (323.31)
D-3	Girl's Restroom	Interior Spinelli	No Sensor - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ (129.62)
D-7	Storage	Interior Spinelli	No Sensor - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ (129.62)
B-12	Women's Restroom	Interior Spinelli	No Sensor - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ (129.62)
B-13	Men's Restroom	Interior Spinelli	No Sensor - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ (129.62)
B-14	Girl's Restroom	Interior Spinelli	No Sensor - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ (129.62)
D-1	Boy's Restroom	Interior Spinelli	No Sensor - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ (129.62)
A-13	Vice Principal's Office	Interior Spinelli	Installed (1) DSW-302 - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ 10.25
D-14	Kitchen Office	Interior Spinelli	New Entry; - Installed (1) DSW-301	\$ 129.62
	Portable CDC-2	Interior Spinelli	New Entry	\$ 144.07
	Portable CDC-1	Interior Spinelli	New Entry	\$ 144.07
	Portable CDC-3 (CUSD Counseling)	Interior Spinelli	New Entry	\$ 144.07
A-1	Teachers Room	Interior Spinelli	Installed (2) DSW-302 AND Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ 158.52
B-6	Library	Interior Spinelli	Installed (2) Additional MRF2-4S-DV's	\$ 172.40
A-16	Principal's Office	Interior Spinelli	Installed (1) LRF2-OKLB & (1) MRF2-4S-DV - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ 211.92
B-1	Classroom	Interior Spinelli	Installed (1) LRF2-OKLB & (3) MRF2-4S-DV - Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 420.12
B-2	Classroom	Interior Spinelli	Installed (3) MRF2-4S-DV's & (1) LRF2-OKLB's - Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 420.12
B-3	Classroom	Interior Spinelli	Installed (3) MRF2-4S-DV's & (1) LRF2-OKLB's - Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 420.12
B-4	Computer Lab	Interior Spinelli	Installed (3) MRF2-4S-DV's & (1) LRF2-OKLB's - Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 420.12
B-5	Classroom	Interior Spinelli	Installed (3) MRF2-4S-DV's & (1) LRF2-OKLB's - Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 420.12
D-14	Kitchen	Interior Spinelli	New Entry - Installed (2) LRF2-OKLB's & (2) MRF2-4S-DV's	\$ 681.58
B	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior Spinelli	Only (8) installed - Credit (1) WPS27LED	\$ (266.96)
C	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior Spinelli	Only (2) installed - Credit (1) WPS27LED	\$ (266.96)
Q-2	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Spinelli	Installed (3) OLWP - Add (1)	\$ 174.21
	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Spinelli	New Entry - Installed (1) OLWP 11	\$ 174.21
	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Spinelli	New Entry - Installed (1) OLWP 11	\$ 174.21
D	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior Spinelli	(7) installed - Add (1) WPS27LED	\$ 266.96
	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior Spinelli	New Entry - Installed (1) WPS27LED	\$ 266.96
A-19	Stage	Interior N. Country	Low Voltage Dimming	\$ (637.15)
A-5	Boy's Restroom	Interior N. Country	Key Switch - No Per Crag	\$ (129.62)
A-8	Girl's Restroom	Interior N. Country	Key Switch - No Per Crag	\$ (129.62)
A-31	Vestibule	Interior N. Country	Installed (1) DSW-302 - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$ 10.25
A-15	Back Entry	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
A-16	Back Entry	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
A-37	Computer Lab	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
A-38	Reading Room	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
B-1	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
B-2	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
B-3	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
C-1	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
C-2	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
C-3	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
F-1	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
F-2	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
F-3	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
G-1	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
G-2	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00
G-3	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$ 45.00

I-3	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$	45.00
I-4	Classroom	Interior N. Country	3 WAY	\$	45.00
O-1	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed additional LFR2-OKLB	\$	112.00
K-1	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed additional MRF2-8S-DV	\$	135.00
K-2	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed additional MRF2-8S-DV	\$	135.00
K-3	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed additional MRF2-8S-DV	\$	135.00
L-4	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed additional MRF2-8S-DV	\$	135.00
L-5	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed additional MRF2-8S-DV	\$	135.00
L-6	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed additional MRF2-8S-DV	\$	135.00
M-9	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed additional MRF2-8S-DV	\$	135.00
P-3	Portable Building/Birch	Interior N. Country	New Entry	\$	144.07
Q-3	Portable Building/CDC	Interior N. Country	New Entry	\$	144.07
Q-4	Portable Building/CDC	Interior N. Country	New Entry	\$	144.07
Q-5	Portable Building/CDC	Interior N. Country	New Entry	\$	144.07
Q-6	Portable Building/CDC	Interior N. Country	New Entry	\$	144.07
D-3	Workroom	Interior N. Country	Installed (1) MFR2-8S-DV and (2) FR2-OKLB - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$	319.92
E-12	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed (1) MFR2-8S-DV and (2) FR2-OKLB - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$	319.92
D-1	Classroom	Interior N. Country	Installed (1) MFR2-8S-DV and (2) FR2-OKLB - Credit (1) DSW-301	\$	319.92
B-4	Large Storage	Interior N. Country	Installed (4) DSW-301a 3 WAY	\$	388.87
F-4	Storage	Interior N. Country	Installed (4) DSW-301a 3 WAY	\$	388.87
G-4	Storage	Interior N. Country	Installed (4) DSW-301a 3 WAY	\$	388.87
I-4	Storage	Interior N. Country	Installed (4) DSW-301a 3 WAY	\$	388.87
A	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior N. Country	Installed (3) WMP43LED - Credit (16) WPS27LEDs	\$	(1,604.70)
L	Standard Medium Wall Pack	Exterior N. Country	INSTALLED (3) WPS27LED - Credit (3) WMP347LEDs	\$	(264.00)
J	Recessed Can Fixture	Exterior N. Country	Change to Halco 6" RC Retrofit & GooF Plate	\$	40.00
C	Recessed Can Fixture	Exterior N. Country	Change to Halco 6" RC Retrofit & GooF Plate	\$	160.00
B	Recessed Can Fixture	Exterior N. Country	Change to Halco 6" RC Retrofit & GooF Plate	\$	160.00
I	Recessed Can Fixture	Exterior N. Country	Change to Halco 6" RC Retrofit & GooF Plate	\$	240.00
A	Recessed Can Fixture	Exterior N. Country	Change to Halco 6" RC Retrofit & GooF Plate	\$	240.00
F	Recessed Can Fixture	Exterior N. Country	New Entry - Install (8) Halco with Plates	\$	1,686.32
G	Recessed Can Fixture	Exterior N. Country	New Entry - Install (8) Halco with Plates	\$	1,686.32
B	Recessed Can Fixture	Exterior N. Country	New Entry - Install (8) Halco with Plates	\$	1,686.32
A-19	Multi-Purpose	Interior Oak Hill	New Solution - Credit	\$	(1,298.00)
A-18	Corridor	Interior Oak Hill	Installed DSW-301 - Credit (1) DSW-302	\$	(8.25)
A-29	Nurse	Interior Oak Hill	Installed DSW-301 - Credit (1) DSW-302	\$	(8.25)
A-30	Nurse Room	Interior Oak Hill	Installed DSW-301 - Credit (1) DSW-302	\$	(8.25)
A-21	Lounge	Interior Oak Hill	3 Way	\$	45.00
A-25	Workroom	Interior Oak Hill	3 way	\$	45.00
A-19	Hot Water Heater Room	Interior Oak Hill	Installed (2) MFR2-8S-DV & (1) LFR2-OKLB - Credit (1) DWS-301	\$	214.93
C-1	Triangle Classroom	Interior Oak Hill	3 way & combined (4) Circuits Installed additional DSW-302	\$	244.07
T-4	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Oak Hill	NEW ENTRY	\$	174.21
U-5	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Oak Hill	NEW ENTRY	\$	174.21
W-7	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Oak Hill	NEW ENTRY	\$	174.21
X-6	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Oak Hill	NEW ENTRY	\$	174.21
Y-9	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Oak Hill	NEW ENTRY	\$	174.21
V-6	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Oak Hill	NEW ENTRY - Need (2) More	\$	348.42
H	Surface Mounted Square	Exterior Oak Hill	Need 3 More	\$	1,090.45
B	Surface Mounted Square	Exterior Oak Hill	Need 4 More	\$	1,453.94
A-8	Kitchen	Interior Dudley Elementary	Credit (1) MFR2-8S-DV	\$	(135.00)
A-3	WH Closer	Interior Dudley Elementary	No Switch in this arm	\$	(329.62)
B-9	Nurse	Interior Dudley Elementary	3 Way	\$	45.00
A-10	Stage	Interior Dudley Elementary	Installed (1) Additional LFR2-OKLB	\$	112.00
B-3	Classroom	Interior Dudley Elementary	Installed (1) Additional LFR2-OKLB	\$	112.00
O-1	Classroom D-7	Interior Dudley Elementary	Installed (1) Additional LFR2-OKLB	\$	112.00
B-12	Principal's Office	Interior Dudley Elementary	Install (1) MFR2-8S-DV & (1) LFR2-OKLB - Credit (1) DWSW-301	\$	117.38
B-3	Utility Room	Interior Dudley Elementary	Install (1) MFR2-8S-DV & (1) LFR2-OKLB - Credit (1) DWSW-301	\$	117.38
B-7	Principal's Workroom	Interior Dudley Elementary	Install (1) MFR2-8S-DV & (1) LFR2-OKLB - Credit (1) DWSW-301	\$	117.38
B-8	Reception	Interior Dudley Elementary	Install (1) MFR2-8S-DV & (1) LFR2-OKLB - Credit (1) DWSW-301	\$	117.38
J-5	Office	Interior Dudley Elementary	Installed (1) Additional DSW-301	\$	129.62
	Portable Building/CDC	Interior Dudley Elementary	New Entry	\$	144.07
	Portable Building/CDC	Interior Dudley Elementary	New Entry	\$	144.07
	Portable Building/Computer Lab	Interior Dudley Elementary	New Entry	\$	144.07
	Portable Building/Computer Lab	Interior Dudley Elementary	New Entry	\$	144.07
F	Dual Flood Light (security)	Exterior Dudley Elementary	Only (10) Installed - Credit (6) Atlas PFS22LED	\$	(1,130.23)
D	Dual Flood Light (security)	Exterior Dudley Elementary	Only (4) Installed - Credit (4) Atlas PFS22LED	\$	(753.48)
H	Dual Flood Light (security)	Exterior Dudley Elementary	Only (5) Installed - Credit (3) Atlas PFS22LED	\$	(565.10)
C	Dual Flood Light (security)	Exterior Dudley Elementary	Only (2) Installed - Credit (2) Atlas PFS22LED	\$	(376.74)
B	Dual Flood Light (security)	Exterior Dudley Elementary	Only (2) Installed - Credit (2) Atlas PFS22LED	\$	(376.74)
I	Canopy Fixture	Exterior Dudley Elementary	NO FIXTURE EXISTING - CREDIT	\$	(338.39)
	CFL Mini Wall Pack	Exterior Dudley Elementary	NO FIXTURE EXISTING - CREDIT	\$	(174.21)
A	Small Standard Wall Pack	Exterior Dudley Elementary	Installed Additional Atlas WPS27LED	\$	266.96
				\$	12,272.72



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Change Order

DATE: July 12, 2017
 Change Order: Center CO #4
 All Schools Except Global Youth

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SERVICE ADDRESS:
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 Oak Hill Elementary, Dudley Elementary

DESCRIPTION	SCHOOL	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	AMOUNT
B Admin/Preschool Wing	McClellan HS	Install Enertron Canopy Fixtures	4	\$ 1,453.92
C Classroom Wing	McClellan HS	Install Enertron Canopy Fixtures	4	\$ 1,453.92
D Classroom Wing	McClellan HS	Install Enertron Canopy Fixtures	8	\$ 2,907.84
D-8 MPR	Spinelli ES	Install high bay integrated occupancy sensor 8' Strips (3) Circuits - Credits Issued	1	\$ 2,235.00
A-19 Administration/MPR	Oak Hill ES	Install high bay integrated occupancy sensor 2'x2' HB Sensors - Credits Issued	1	\$ 1,280.00
D Classroom Wing	McClellan HS	Install AtlasPFL14LEDS - 84w LED flood w/slipfitter	2	\$ 1,410.30
B & C End of Wing Facing Hardcourt	McClellan HS	Replace (2) installed Atlas WPS27 fixtures with Atlas WLSG27 fixtures	2	\$ 635.00
E Old Locker Room Facing Parking Lot	McClellan HS	Replace (2) installed Atlas WPS43 fixtures with Atlas WLSG43 fixtures	2	\$ 764.28
A MPR Facing Parking Lot	Dudley ES	Replace (2) installed Atlas WPS43 fixtures with Atlas WLSG43 fixtures	2	\$ 764.28
				\$ 12,904.54

Center Joint Unified School District

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Dept./Site: Facilities & Operations Department	
To: Board of Trustees	Action Item <u>X</u>
Date: August 16, 2017	Information Item <u> </u>
From: Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.	# Attached Pages <u>3</u>
Assist. Supt. Initials: <u>CD</u>	

<p>SUBJECT: Contractor Change Order #2 to the Contract By and Between Star Energy Management, Inc., Contractor, and Center Joint Unified School District</p> <p>This change order to the contract by and between Star Energy Management, Inc., and Center Joint Unified School District provides for credit to CJUSD in the amount of \$592.77.</p> <p>RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Trustees approves Change Order #1 to contract by and between Star Energy Management, Inc., and Center Joint Unified School District for the Proposition 39 Funded Energy Efficiency and Conservation Lighting Projects (Project No. 17-01B).</p>

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CONSENT AGENDA

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

CHANGE ORDER

Project: Proposition 39 Funded Energy Efficiency Lighting and Conservation Lighting Projects
 Project #: 17-01B Global Youth Charter School Date: 7/18/2017

Contractor: Star Energy Management, Inc. DSA App: N/A Change Order #: 2
 Budget Code: N/A OPSC No: N/A P.O. #: N/A

DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE:

The following proposed change order(s) are incorporated into the Contract by reference:

<u>PCO #</u>	<u>SUMMARY DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>TIME</u>	<u>AMOUNT</u>
#001	Interior Lighting Controls - Scope Adjustments per Existing Conditions. (Global Youth Charter School)	5	\$2,727.23
#003	Multi-Purpose Room High Bay Occupancy Sensors - Added to Scope by District. (Global Youth Charter School)	1	\$1,680.00
SUB-TOTAL			\$4,407.23
Beginning Allowance Account (Credit Against Allowances Used)			(\$5,000.00)

*Note - See attached back-up documentation for PCO #001 and #003.

TOTAL: 6 (\$592.77)

Original contract amount.....	\$34,786.85
Previous change orders.....	\$0.00
Contract amount prior to this change order.....	\$34,786.85
Amount of this change order.....	(\$592.77)

NEW CONTRACT AMOUNT Including this change order..... \$34,194.08

Contract time will be changed by: Increasing 6 Work days
 Original Date of Construction Completion: 21-Jul-17
 DATE OF CONSTRUCTION COMPLETION AS OF THIS CHANGE ORDER: 31-Jul-17

Issued by the Owners Representative		Date: <u>07 AUG 17</u>
Reviewed by Architect/Engineer	N/A	Date: _____
Agreement by Contractor	_____	Date: _____
Approved by Owner	_____	Date: _____

Note: Not valid until signed by the Owner, Architect and the Owners Representative. Signature of the Contractor indicates agreement herewith, including adjustments to Contract Sum and/or Contract Time.



Change Order

Star Energy Management, Inc.
 6120 Lincoln Blvd., Suite G
 Oroville, CA 95966
 P: 530.532.9250 F: 530.532.7555

DATE: July 12, 2017
 Change Order: Center CO#1 Global Youth

BILLING ADDRESS:
 CPM

SERVICE ADDRESS:
 Global Youth Charter

DESCRIPTION		INSTALLATION NOTES	AMOUNT
A-1	Girls Locker Room	Credit (3) MFR2-8S-DV	\$ (223.02)
A-6	Old boy's Locker Room	Credit (3) MFR2-8S-DV	\$ (223.02)
W-12	Portable Classroom	Exclude From Contract Per Craig	\$ (144.07)
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N-5	Library	Installed (2) MFR2-8S-DV's credit (3) - Installed (1) DSW-301s	\$ (93.40)
Q-1	Classroom	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (2) MRF2-8S-DV	\$ (93.40)
Q-2	Classroom	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (2) MRF2-8S-DV	\$ (93.40)
Q-3	Classroom	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (2) MRF2-8S-DV	\$ (93.40)
P-2	Classroom	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (2) MRF2-8S-DV	\$ (44.16)
A-16	Storage	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
A-9	Boy's Restroom	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
D-2	Women's Restroom	INSTALLED (1) DSW - 301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
D-3	Men's Restroom	INSTALLED (1) DSW - 301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
D-4	Mailroom	INSTALLED (1) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
D-4	Kitchen	INSTALLED (1) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
H-7	Boy's Restroom	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
M-1	Women's Restroom	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
M-3	Men's Restroom	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
S-1	Portable Classroom	Installed (1) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ (8.25)
D-4	Old Nurse Restroom	INSTALLED (2) DSW - 301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 115.17
D-4	Workroom	INSTALLED (2) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 115.17
D-4	Workroom 2	3/Way - INSTALLED (2) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 115.17
N-1	Library Workroom	Installed (2) DSW-301s Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 115.17
D-4	Principal's R/R	New Entry	\$ 129.62
L-1	Classroom	New Entry	\$ 129.62
	Portable Building	New Entry - Install Wattstopper 301	\$ 129.62
M-4	Staff Lounge	Installed (2) DSW-302 Added (1) DSW-302	\$ 144.07
M-4	Conference Room	Installed (2) DSW-302 Added (1) DSW-302	\$ 144.07
U-1	Portable Classroom	Installed (2) DSW-302 Added (1) DSW-302	\$ 144.07
L-1	Classroom	Installed (4) MFR2-8S-DV's (2) Extra	\$ 173.78
D-4	Conference Room	3/Way INSTALLED (3) DSW-301 Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 244.79
D-4	Attendance Office	3/way switching - INSTALLED (1) Additional DSW-302	\$ 288.14
D-1	Corridor	INSTALLED (4) DSW - 301s Credit (1) DSW-302	\$ 374.41
O-1	Workroom	NEED (2) ADDITIONAL DSW-301 DDD PLATE	\$ 388.87
	Portable Building	NEW Entry - Install Wattstopper 302s	\$ 432.21
	Gymnasium/Stage	NEW Entry - Install Wattstopper 301s behind stage (east side)	\$ 777.72
			\$ 2,727.23



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Change Order

DATE: July 12, 2017
Change Order: Center CO #3
Global Youth Extra

BILLING ADDRESS:
CPM

SERVICE ADDRESS:
Global Youth

DESCRIPTION	SCHOOL	DESCRIPTION	QUANTITY	AMOUNT
A-11 MPR	Global Youth	Install high bay integrated occupancy sensor. 8' Strips (3) Circuits - Credits Issued	1	\$ 1,680.00
				\$ 1,680.00

Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	Facilities & Operations Department	
To:	Board of Trustees	Action Item <u>XX</u>
Date:	August 16, 2017	Information Item <u> </u>
From:	Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.	# Attached Pages <u>1</u>
Assist. Supt. Initials:	<u>CD</u>	

SUBJECT:	Agreement Between Center Joint Unified School District and School Facility Consultants.
<p>The District is requesting ratification from the Board to enter into an agreement with School Facility Consultants to assist Center Joint Unified School District to estimate the overall cost to the District to mitigate the impacts of anticipated development for use in evaluating options for how the required school construction can be funded.</p>	
<p>RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Trustees ratifies the agreement with School Facility Consultants.</p>	

CONSENT AGENDA

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SCHOOL FACILITY CONSULTANTS

School Facility Consultants Contract for Services with Center Joint Unified School District

1303 J STREET, SUITE 500
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814
PHONE: (916) 441-5063
FACSIMILE: (916) 441-2848
WWW.S-F-C.ORG

This document represents an agreement between, Center Joint Unified School District herein referred to as the Client, and School Facility Consultants, herein referred to as the Contractor.

For the remuneration stipulated, the Contractor shall provide the following services:

- Assist the Client with planning services, as requested by the Client, and as accepted by the Contractor.

For the services delineated above, the Client shall pay the Contractor according to the hourly rate schedule below. The Contractor will bill the Client in increments of 15 minutes, and invoice on a monthly basis. The fees shall cover all normal business expenses incurred in Sacramento by the Contractor on behalf of the Client. Client agrees that if it becomes necessary for a Consultant from School Facility Consultants to visit the Client, the Client will pay for travel time per the rate schedule below. Client also agrees to reimburse Contractor for all necessary and pre-approved travel expenses.

Hourly Rate Schedule

Principal	\$210 per hour
Director	\$195 per hour
Senior Consultant	\$185 per hour
Consultant	\$165 per hour
Research Analyst	\$135 per hour
Administrative Support	\$80 per hour

The Client shall be responsible for reviewing and verifying all data included in documents, forms and reports prepared by the Contractor on behalf of the Client. The Client shall be responsible for meeting any certification requirements and shall be responsible for consulting legal counsel as related to the preparation and submittal of documents, forms and reports.

It is understood that the Contractor shall function as an independent contractor without authority to obligate the Client for any indebtedness or other commitments. The Contractor will accurately and fairly represent the Client's position.

During the term of this agreement, the status of those individuals performing the work stipulated in this contract may change. Changes to an individual's status may affect billing rates. The Client agrees to accept these changes. The Contractor agrees that any such changes in status will be reflected on the bill.

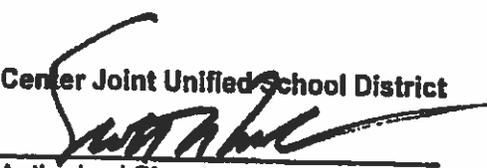
The terms of the agreement shall remain in force unless mutually amended. This agreement may be terminated by either party upon 30 days written notice.

School Facility Consultants


Matthew A. Pettler
Vice President

Date: 7/6/17

Center Joint Unified School District


Authorized Signature

Date: 7/5/17

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Facilities & Operations Department

Date: August 16, 2017

Action Item XX

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

From: Craig Deason, Asst. Superintendent

Attached Pages 13

Asst. Superintendent Initials: CD

SUBJECT: Agreement between Center Joint Unified School District and MRB Enterprises

The District is requesting ratification from the Board to enter into an agreement with MRB Enterprises.

Award amount: \$30,156.69. This project includes all work required in connection with the CHS Gym Floor Agreement ("Project").

RECOMMENDATION: That the Board of Trustees ratifies the agreement with MRB Enterprises.

CONSENT AGENDA

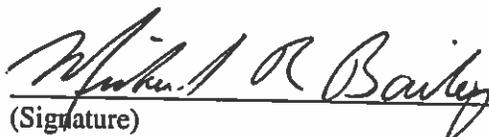
CONTRACTOR'S CERTIFICATE REGARDING
WORKERS' COMPENSATION FORM

Labor Code Section 3700 in relevant part provides:

Every employer except the State shall secure the payment of compensation in one or more of the following ways:

1. By being insured against liability to pay compensation by one or more insurers duly authorized to write compensation insurance in this State.
2. By securing from the Director of Industrial Relations a certificate of consent to self-insure, which may be given upon furnishing proof satisfactory to the Director of Industrial Relations of ability to self-insure and to pay any compensation that may become due to employees.
3. For any county, city, city and county, municipal corporation, public Owner, public agency, or any political subdivision of the state, including each member of a pooling arrangement under a joint exercise of powers agreement (but not the state itself), by securing from the Director of Industrial Relations a certificate of consent to self-insure against workers' compensation claims, which certificate may be given upon furnishing proof satisfactory to the director of ability to administer workers' compensation claims properly, and to pay workers' compensation claims that may become due to its employees. On or before March 31, 1979, a political subdivision of the state which, on December 31, 1978, was uninsured for its liability to pay compensation, shall file a properly completed and executed application for a certificate of consent to self-insure against workers' compensation claims. The certificate shall be issued and be subject to the provisions of Section 3702.

I am aware of the provisions of Labor Code Section 3700 which require every employer to be insured against liability for workers' compensation or to undertake self-insurance in accordance with the provisions of that code, and I will comply with such provision before commencing the performance of the work of this Contract.



(Signature)

MICHAEL R BAILEY

(Print)

7-5-2017

(Date)

In accordance with Article 5 (commencing at section 1860), Chapter 1, Part 7, Division 2 of the Labor Code, the above certificate must be signed and submitted with the Contractor's bid.

NON-COLLUSION DECLARATION

The undersigned declares:

I am the OWNER [Title] of MRB ENTERPRISES [Name of Company], the party making the foregoing bid.

The bid is not made in the interest of, or on behalf of, any undisclosed person, partnership, company, association, organization, or corporation. The bid is genuine and not collusive or sham. The bidder has not directly or indirectly induced or solicited any other bidder to put in a false or sham bid. The bidder has not directly or indirectly colluded, conspired, connived, or agreed with any bidder or anyone else to put in a sham bid, or to refrain from bidding. The bidder has not in any manner, directly or indirectly, sought by agreement, communication, or conference with anyone to fix the bid price of the bidder or any other bidder, or to fix any overhead, profit, or cost element of the bid price, or of that of any other bidder. All statements contained in the bid are true. The bidder has not, directly or indirectly, submitted his or her bid price or any breakdown thereof, or the contents thereof, or divulged information or data relative thereto, to any corporation, partnership, company, association, organization, bid depository, or to any member or agent thereof, to effectuate a collusive or sham bid, and has not paid, and will not pay, any person or entity for such purpose.

Any person executing this declaration on behalf of a bidder that is a corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited liability company, limited liability partnership, or any other entity, hereby represents that he or she has full power to execute, and does execute, this declaration on behalf of the bidder.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration is executed on 7-5-2017 [Date], at XUBA CITY [City], CA [State].

Signed:

Michael R Bailey

Typed Name:

MICHEAL R BAILEY

AGREEMENT FORM

THIS AGREEMENT ("Agreement" or "Contract"), entered into this 19th day of June, 2017 in the County of Sacramento of the State of California, by and between the Center Joint Unified School District, hereinafter called the "Owner" or the "District", and MRB Enterprises, hereinafter called the "Contractor".

WITNESSETH that the Owner and the Contractor for the consideration stated herein agree as follows:

ARTICLE I - SCOPE OF WORK: The Contractor shall furnish all labor, materials, equipment, tools, and utility and transportation services, and perform and complete all work required in connection with CHS Gym Floor Agreement ("Project"). The project consists of a complete sanding, resurfacing, graphic repaint, and refinish. Damaged bolt down areas will be repaired as needed prior to sanding. The sand, resurface, and refinish component will include sanding the surface to raw wood, and seal with one coat Bona DTS, and apply one coat of Bona HD finish prior to repainting graphics and court lines. Repaint lines and graphics as shown in Exhibit A. Apply four final coats of Bona HD finish. All work must be completed in strict accordance with the Contract Documents enumerated in Article 9 below. The Contractor shall be liable to the District for any damages arising as a result of a failure to comply with that obligation, and the Contractor shall not be excused with respect to any failure to so comply by an act or omission of the Architect, Engineer, Inspector, Division of the State Architect (DSA), or representative of any of them, unless such act or omission actually prevents the Contractor from fully complying with the Contract Documents and the Contractor protests, in accordance with the Contract Documents, that the act or omission is preventing the Contractor from fully complying with the Contract Documents. Such protest shall not be effective unless reduced to writing and filed with the District office within seven (7) days of the date of occurrence of such act or omission preventing the Contractor from fully complying with the Contract Documents.

ARTICLE 2 - TIME OF COMPLETION: The Owner may give notice to proceed within ninety (90) days of the award of the bid by the Owner. Once the Contractor has received a notice to proceed, the Contractor shall reach Final Completion of the Project within forty-five days (45) calendar days from receipt of the Notice to Proceed. This shall be called Contract Time. It is expressly understood that time is of the essence.

Contractor has thoroughly studied the Project and has satisfied itself that the time period for this Project is adequate for the timely and proper completion of the Project within the Contract time.

In the event that the Owner desires to postpone giving the notice to proceed beyond this ninety (90) day period, it is expressly understood that with reasonable notice to the Contractor, giving the notice to proceed may be postponed by the Owner. It is further expressly understood by the Contractor, that the Contractor shall not be entitled to any claim of additional compensation as a result of the Owner's postponement of giving the notice to proceed.

If the Contractor believes that a postponement will cause hardship to it, the Contractor may terminate the Contract with written notice to the Owner within ten (10) days after receipt by the Contractor of the Owner's notice of postponement. It is further understood by the Contractor that in the event that the Contractor terminates the Contract as a result of postponement by the Owner, the Owner shall only be obligated to pay the Contractor for the work performed by the Contractor at the time of notification of postponement. Should the Contractor terminate the Contract as a result of a notice of postponement, the District shall have the authority to award the Contract to the next lowest responsible bidder.

ARTICLE 3 - LIQUIDATED DAMAGES: It being impracticable and infeasible to determine the amount of actual damage, it is agreed that the Contractor will pay the Owner the sum of Two Hundred Dollars (\$200) per calendar day for each and every day of delay beyond the Contract Time set forth in Article 2 of this Agreement as liquidated damages and not as a penalty or forfeiture. In the event Liquidated Damages are not paid, the Contractor further agrees that the Owner may deduct such amount thereof from any money due or that may become due the Contractor under the Contract. This Article shall not be construed as preventing the Owner from the recovery of damages (actual or other) under the Contract Documents.

ARTICLE 4 - CONTRACT PRICE:

4.1 Contract Price. The Owner shall pay to the Contractor as full consideration for the faithful performance of the Contract, subject to any additions or deductions as provided in the Contract Documents, the sum of THIRTY THOUSAND, ONE HUNDRED FIFTY-SIX AND 69/100 DOLLARS (\$30,156.69), said sum being the total amount stipulated in the Bid Contractor submitted. Payment shall be made as set forth herein.

Should any Change Order result in an increase in the Contract Price, the cost of such Change Order shall be agreed to in advance by the Contractor and the Owner, subject to the monetary limitations set forth in Public Contract Code Section 20118.4. In the event that the Contractor proceeds with a Change in work without an agreement between the Owner and Contractor regarding the cost of a Change Order, the Contractor waives any Claim of additional compensation for such additional work.

4.2 Warranty of Title. The Contractor warrants title to all work. The Contractor further warrants that all work is free and clear of liens, claims, security interests, or encumbrances in favor of the Contractor, Subcontractors, material and equipment suppliers, or other persons or entities making a claim by reason of having provided labor, materials, and equipment relating to the Project. If a lien or stop notice of any nature should at any time be filed against the Project or any Owner property,

by any entity which has supplied material or services at the request of the Contractor, Contractor shall promptly, on demand by Owner and at Contractor's and own expense, take any and all action necessary to cause any such lien or stop notice to be released or discharged immediately. If the Contractor fails to furnish to the Owner within five (5) calendar days after demand by the Owner, satisfactory evidence that a lien or stop notice has been so released, discharged, or secured, then Owner may discharge such indebtedness and deduct the amount required, together with any and all losses, costs, damages, and attorney's fees and expense incurred or suffered by Owner from any sum payable to Contractor under the Contract.

4.3 Payment Applications. On or before the fifth (5th) day of each calendar month during the progress of the work, Contractor shall submit to the Architect (or District if there is no Architect), an itemized application for payment for all work completed. Such application shall be notarized, if required, and supported by the information and documents as Architect or District requires. All payment applications shall be on forms approved by the District or Architect.

4.4 Reasons to Withhold Payment. The Owner may withhold payment, in whole, or in part, to such extent as may be necessary to protect the Owner from loss because of, but not limited to:

- (a) Defective work not remedied;
- (b) Stop notices served upon the Owner;
- (c) Liquidated damages assessed against the Contractor;
- (d) Damage to the Owner or other contractor;
- (e) Unsatisfactory prosecution of the work by the Contractor;
- (f) Failure of the Contractor to prosecute the work in a timely manner.
- (g) Failure to properly pay prevailing wages as defined in Labor Code section 1720, et seq.;
- (h) Failure to properly maintain or clean up the site;
- (i) Payments to indemnify, defend, or hold harmless the Owner; or
- (j) Failure to pay Subcontractors or suppliers.

4.5 Nonconforming Work. If Contractor defaults or neglects to carry out the work required to complete the Project or fails to perform any provision hereof, Owner may, after 48 hours' written notice to the Contractor and without prejudice to any other remedy make good such deficiencies. The Owner shall adjust the total Contract price by reducing the amount thereof by the cost of making good such deficiencies. If Owner deems it inexpedient to correct work which is damaged, defective, or not done in accordance with Contract provisions, an equitable reduction in the Contract price (of at least 150% of the estimated reasonable value of the nonconforming work) shall be made.

ARTICLE 5 - HOLD HARMLESS/ INDEMNITY: Contractor shall defend, indemnify and hold harmless Owner, Architect, Inspector, the State of California and their officers, employees, agents and independent contractors from all liabilities, claims, actions, liens, judgments, demands, damages, losses, costs or expenses of any kind arising from death, personal injury, property damage or other cause based or asserted upon any act, omission, or breach connected with or arising from the progress of work or performance of service under this Agreement or the Contract Documents. As part of this indemnity, Contractor shall protect and defend, at its own expense, Owner, Architect, Construction Manager, Inspector, the State of California and their officers, employees, agents and independent contractors from any legal action including attorney's fees or other proceeding based upon such act, omission, breach or as otherwise required by this Article.

Furthermore, Contractor agrees to and does hereby defend, indemnify and hold harmless Owner, Architect, Construction Manager, Inspector, the State of California and their officers, employees, agents and independent contractors from every claim or demand made, and every liability, loss, damage, expense or attorney's fees of any nature whatsoever, which may be incurred by reason of:

- (a) Liability for (1) death or bodily injury to persons; (2) damage or injury to, loss (including theft), or loss of use of, any property; (3) any failure or alleged failure to comply with any provision of law or the Contract Documents; or (4) any other loss, damage or expense, sustained by any person, firm or corporation or in connection with the work called for in this Agreement or the Contract Documents, except for liability resulting from the sole or active negligence, or the willful misconduct of the Owner.
- (b) Any bodily injury to or death of persons or damage to property caused by any act, omission or breach of Contractor or any person, firm or corporation employed by Contractor, either directly or by independent contract, including all damages or injury to or death of persons, loss (including theft) or loss of use of any property, sustained by any person, firm or corporation, including the Owner, arising out of or in any way connected with work covered by this Agreement or the Contract Documents, whether said injury or damage occurs either on or off Owner property, but not for any loss, injury, death or damages caused by the sole or active negligence or willful misconduct of the Owner.
- (c) Any dispute between Contractor and Contractor's subcontractors/supplies/ Sureties, including, but not limited to, any failure or alleged failure of the Contractor (or any person hired or employed directly or indirectly by the Contractor) to pay any Subcontractor or Materialman of any tier or any other person employed in connection with the work and/or filing of any stop notice or mechanic's lien claims.

Contractor, at its own expense, cost, and risk, shall defend any and all claims, actions, suits, or other proceedings that may be brought or instituted against the Owner, its officers, agents or employees, on account of or founded upon any cause, damage, or injury identified herein Article 5 and shall pay or satisfy any judgment that may be rendered against the Owner, its officers, agents or employees in any action, suit or other proceedings as a result thereof.

The Contractor's and Subcontractors' obligation to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the Owner, Architect, Inspector, the State of California and their officers, employees, agents and independent contractors hereunder shall include, without limitation, any and all claims, damages, and costs for the following: (1) any damages or injury to or death of any person, and damage or injury to, loss (including theft), or loss of use of, any property; (2) breach of any warranty, express or implied; (3) failure of the Contractor or Subcontractors to comply with any applicable governmental law, rule, regulation, or other requirement; (4) products installed in or used in connection with the Project; and (5) any claims of violation of the Americans with Disabilities Act ("ADA").

ARTICLE 6 - INSURANCE & BONDS:

6.1 Insurance Requirements. Before the commencement of the work, the Contractor shall purchase from and maintain in a company or companies lawfully authorized to do business in California with a financial rating of at least an A-VIII status as rated in the most recent edition of Best's Insurance Reports or as amended by the Supplementary General Conditions, such insurance as will protect the Owner from claims set forth below, which may arise out of or result from the Contractor's work under the Contract and for which the Contractor may be legally liable, whether such work are by the Contractor, by a Subcontractor, by anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them, or by anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable. Any required insurance shall not contain any exclusion that applies to the type of work performed by the Contractor under the Contract Documents.

- (a) Claims for damages because of bodily injury, sickness, disease, or death of any person Owner would require indemnification and coverage for employee claim;
- (b) Claims for damages insured by usual personal injury liability coverage, which are sustained by a person as a result of an offense directly or indirectly related to employment of such person by the Contractor or by another person;
- (c) Claims for damages because of injury or destruction of tangible property, including loss of use resulting therefrom, arising from operations under the Contract Documents;
- (d) Claims for damages because of bodily injury, death of a person, or property damage arising out of the ownership, maintenance, or use of a motor vehicle, all mobile equipment, and vehicles moving under their own power and engaged in the work;
- (e) Claims involving contractual liability applicable to the Contractor's obligations under the Contract Documents, including liability assumed by and the indemnity and defense obligations of the Contractor and the Subcontractors; and
- (f) Claims involving Completed Operations, Independent Contractors' coverage, and Broad Form property damage, without any exclusions for collapse, explosion, demolition, underground coverage, and excavating. (XCU)
- (g) Claims involving sudden or accidental discharge of contaminants or pollutants.

6.2 Specific Insurance Requirements. Contractor shall take out and maintain and shall require all Subcontractors, if any, whether primary or secondary, to take out and maintain:

Comprehensive General Liability Insurance with a combined single limit per occurrence of not less than \$1,000,000.00 or Commercial General Liability Insurance which provides limits of not less than:

(a) Per occurrence (combined single limit)	\$1,000,000.00
(b) Project Specific Aggregate (for this Project only)	\$1,000,000.00
(c) Products and Completed Operations (aggregate)	\$1,000,000.00
(d) Personal and Advertising Injury Limit	\$1,000,000.00

Insurance Covering Special Hazards. The following Special hazards shall be covered by riders or riders to above mentioned public liability insurance or property damage insurance policy or policies of insurance, in amounts as follows:

(a) Automotive and truck where operated in amounts	\$1,000,000.00
(b) Material Hoist where used in amounts	\$1,000,000.00
(c) Explosion, Collapse and Underground (XCU coverage)	\$1,000,000.00
(d) Hazardous Materials	\$1,000,000.00

In addition, provide Excess Liability Insurance coverage in the amount of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00).

6.3 Subcontractor Insurance Requirements. The Contractor shall require its Subcontractors to take out and maintain public liability insurance and property damage insurance required under this Article in like amounts. A "claims made" or modified "occurrence" policy shall not satisfy the requirements of this Article without prior written approval of the Owner.

6.4 Additional Insured Endorsement Requirements. The Contractor shall name, on any policy of insurance required under Articles 6.1 and 6.2 above, the Owner, CM, Architect, Inspector, the State of California, their officers, employees, agents, volunteers and independent contractors as additional insureds. Subcontractors shall name the Contractor, the Owner, Architect, Inspector, the State of California, their officers, employees, agents, volunteers and independent contractors as additional insureds. The Additional Insured Endorsement included on all such insurance policies shall be an ISO CG 20 10 (04/13), or an ISO CG 20 38 (04/13), or their equivalent as determined by the Owner in its sole discretion, and must state that coverage is afforded the additional insured with respect to claims arising out of operations performed by or on behalf of the insured. If the additional insureds have other insurance which is applicable to the loss, such other insurance shall be on an excess or contingent basis. The insurance provided by the Contractor pursuant to 11.1 must be designated in the policy as primary to any insurance obtained by the Owner. The amount of the insurer's liability shall not be reduced by the existence of such other insurance.

6.5 Workers' Compensation Insurance. During the term of this Contract, the Contractor shall provide workers' compensation and employer's liability insurance for all of the Contractor's employees engaged in work under this Contract on or at the Site of the Project and, in case any of the Contractor's work is subcontracted, the Contractor shall require the Subcontractor to provide workers' compensation insurance for all the Subcontractor's employees engaged in work under the subcontract. Any class of employee or employees not covered by a Subcontractor's insurance shall be covered by the Contractor's insurance. In case any class of employees engaged in work under this Contract on or at the Site of the Project is not protected under the Workers' Compensation laws, the Contractor shall provide or cause a Subcontractor to provide insurance coverage for the protection of those employees not otherwise protected. The Contractor shall file with the Owner certificates of insurance. Workers' compensation limits as required by the Labor Code, but not less than \$1,000,000 and employers' liability limits of \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury or disease.

6.6 Automobile Liability. The Owner, Architect and Construction Manager, Inspectors, their directors, officers, employees, agents and volunteers shall be covered as additional insureds with respect to the ownership, operation, maintenance, use, loading or unloading of any auto owned, leased, hired or borrowed by the Contractor or for which the Contractor is responsible. Such insurance coverage shall be primary and non-contributory insurance as respects the Owner, Architect, Construction Manager, Project Inspector, their directors, officers, employees, agents and volunteers, or if excess, shall stand in an unbroken chain of coverage excess of the Contractor's scheduled underlying coverage. Any insurance or self-insurance maintained by the Owner, Architect, Construction Manager, Project Inspector, their directors, officers, employees, agents and volunteers shall be excess of the Contractor's insurance and shall not be called upon to contribute with it. The insurer shall agree to waive all rights of subrogation against the Owner, Architect, Construction Manager, Project Inspector, their directors, officers, employees, agents and volunteers for losses paid under the terms of the insurance policy that arise from work performed by the Contractor. Insurance Services Office Business Auto Coverage Form Number CA 0001, Code 1 (any auto) is required. Comprehensive Automobile Liability insurance to include all autos, owned, non-owned, and hired, with limits of \$1,000,000 per accident for bodily injury and property damage

6.7 Other Insurance. The Contractor shall provide all other insurance required to be maintained under applicable laws, ordinances, rules, and regulations.

6.8 Proof of Insurance. The Contractor shall not commence work nor shall it allow any Subcontractor to commence work under this Contract until all required insurance and certificates have been obtained and delivered in duplicate to the Owner for approval subject to the following requirements:

(a) Certificates and insurance policies shall include the following clause:

"This policy and any coverage shall not be suspended, voided, non-renewed, canceled, or reduced in required limits of liability or amounts of insurance or coverage until notice has been mailed via certified mail to the Owner. Date of cancellation or reduction may not be less than thirty (30) days after the date of mailing notice."

(b) Certificates of insurance shall state in particular those insured, the extent of insurance, location and operation to which the insurance applies, the expiration date, and cancellation and reduction notices.

(c) Certificates of insurance shall clearly state that the Owner and the Architect are named as additional insureds under the policy described and that such insurance policy shall be primary to any insurance or self-insurance maintained by Owner.

(d) The Contractor and its Subcontractors shall produce a certified copy of any insurance policy required under this Section upon written request of the Owner.

6.9 Compliance. In the event of the failure of Contractor to furnish and maintain any insurance required by this Article, the Contractor shall be in default under the Contract. Compliance by Contractor with the requirement to carry insurance

and furnish certificates or policies evidencing the same shall not relieve the Contractor from liability assumed under any provision of the Contract Documents, including, without limitation, the obligation to defend and indemnify the Owner and the Architect.

6.10 Waiver of Subrogation. Contractor waives (to the extent permitted by law) any right to recover against the Owner for damages to the work, any part thereof, or any and all claims arising by reason of any of the foregoing, but only to the extent that such damages and/or claims are covered by property insurance and only to the extent of such coverage (which shall exclude deductible amounts) by insurance actually carried by the Owner. The provisions of this section are intended to restrict each party to recovery against insurance carriers only to the extent of such coverage and waive fully and for the benefit of each, any rights and/or claims which might give rise to a right of subrogation in any insurance carrier. The Owner and the Contractor shall each obtain in all policies of insurance carried by either of them, a waiver by the insurance companies thereunder of all rights of recovery by way of subrogation for any damages or claims covered by the insurance.

6.11 Performance and Payment Bond Requirements. Prior to commencing any portion of the work, the Contractor shall furnish separate payment and performance bonds for its portion of the work which shall cover 100% faithful performance of and payment of all obligations arising under the Contract Documents and/or guaranteeing the payment in full of all claims for labor performed and materials supplied for the work. All bonds shall be provided by a corporate surety authorized and admitted to transact business in California as sureties. To the extent, if any, that the Contract Price is increased in accordance with the Contract Documents, the Contractor shall, upon request of the Owner, cause the amount of the bonds to be increased accordingly and shall promptly deliver satisfactory evidence of such increase to the Owner. To the extent available, the bonds shall further provide that no change or alteration of the Contract Documents (including, without limitation, an increase in the Contract Price, as referred to above), extensions of time, or modifications of the time, terms, or conditions of payment to the Contractor will release the surety. If the Contractor fails to furnish the required bonds, the Owner may terminate the Contract for cause. Only bonds executed by admitted Surety insurers as defined in Code of Civil Procedure § 995.120 shall be accepted. Surety must be a California-admitted surety and listed by the U.S. Treasury with a bonding capacity in excess of the Project cost. If a California-admitted surety insurer issuing bonds does not meet these requirements, the insurer will be considered qualified if it is in conformance with § 995.660 of the California Code of Civil Procedure and proof of such is provided to the Owner.

ARTICLE 7 - PROVISIONS REQUIRED BY LAW: Each and every provision of law and clause required to be inserted in this Contract shall be deemed to be inserted herein, and this Contract shall be read and enforced as though it were included herein, and if through mistake or otherwise any such provision is not inserted or is not inserted correctly, then upon application of either party the Contract shall forthwith be physically amended to make such insertion or correction.

ARTICLE 8 - COMPONENT PARTS OF THE CONTRACT: The Contract entered into by this Agreement consists of the following Contract Documents, all of which are component parts of the Contract as if herein set out in full or attached hereto:

Non-Collusion Declaration
Contractor's Certificate Regarding Worker's Compensation Agreement Form
Payment Bond
Performance Bond
Guarantee
Workers' Compensation/Employers Liability Endorsement
General Liability Endorsement
Automobile Liability Endorsement
Supplementary and Special Conditions (if any)
All Addenda as Issued
Drawings/Plans
Requirements, Reports and/or Documents in the Project Manual or Other Documents Issued to Bidders

All of the above named Contract Documents are intended to be complementary. Work required by one of the above named Contract Documents and not by others shall be done as if required by all.

ARTICLE 9 - PREVAILING WAGES: Wage rates for this Project shall be in accordance with the general prevailing rate of holiday and overtime work in the locality in which the work is to be performed for each craft, classification, or type of work needed to execute the Contract as determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations. Copies of schedules of rates so determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations are on file at the administrative office of the Owner and are also available from the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations.

The following are hereby referenced and made a part of this Agreement and Contractor stipulates to the provisions contained therein.

1. Chapter 1 of Part 7 of Division 2 of the Labor Code (Section 1720 et seq.)
2. California Code of Regulations, Title 8, Chapter 8, Subchapters 3 through 6 (Section 16000 et seq.)

ARTICLE 10 – TERMINATION OF THE CONTRACT:

10.1 Termination for Cause. The Owner may terminate the Contractor and/or this Contract for the following reasons:

- (a) Persistently or repeatedly refuses or fails to supply enough properly skilled workers or proper materials;
- (b) Persistently or repeatedly is absent, without excuse, from the job site;
- (c) Fails to make payment to Subcontractors, suppliers, materialmen, etc.;
- (d) Persistently disregards laws, ordinances, rules, regulations, or orders of a public authority having jurisdiction;
- (e) Becomes bankrupt or insolvent, including the filing of a general assignment for the benefit of creditors; or
- (e) Otherwise is in substantial breach of a provision of this Agreement.

10.2 Notification of Termination. When any of the above reasons set forth in Article 10.1 above exists, the Owner may, without prejudice to any other rights or remedies of the Owner and after giving the Contractor and the Contractor's surety written notice of five (5) days, terminate the Contractor and/or this Contract and may, subject to any prior rights of the surety:

- (a) Take possession of the Project and of all material, equipment, tools, and construction equipment and machinery thereon owned by the Contractor;
- (b) Accept assignment of Subcontracts. Contractor acknowledges and agrees that if the Owner (in its sole and absolute discretion) decides to takeover completion of the Project, the Contractor agrees to immediately assign all subcontracts to the Owner which the Owner has chosen to accept; and
- (c) Complete the work by any reasonable method the Owner may deem expedient, including contracting with a replacement contractor or contractors.

10.3 Payments Withheld. If the Owner terminates the Contract for one of the reasons stated in Article 10.1 above, the Contractor shall not be entitled to receive further payment until the work is complete. All costs associated with the termination and completion of the Project shall be the responsibility of the Contractor and/or its surety.

10.4 Payments Upon Completion. If the unpaid balance of the Contract Sum exceeds costs of completing the Project, including compensation for professional services and expenses made necessary thereby, such excess shall be paid to the Contractor. If such costs exceed the unpaid balance, the Contractor shall pay the difference to the Owner. This payment obligation shall survive completion of the Contract.

10.5 Termination for Convenience. Owner may terminate the Contract upon five (5) calendar days of written notice to the Contractor and use any reasonable method the Owner deems expedient to complete the Project, including contracting with replacement contractor or contractors, if it is found that reasons beyond the control of either the Owner or Contractor make it impossible or against the Owner's interest to complete the work. In such a case, the Contractor shall have no claims against the Owner except: (1) the actual cost for labor, materials, and services performed and completed in accordance with the Contract Documents and approved by the District as documented through timesheets, invoices, receipts, or otherwise, and (2) ten percent (10%) profit and overhead of all remaining work as determined by the Owner, and (3) five percent (5%) termination cost of the total of item (2). Contractor acknowledges and agrees that if the Owner (in its sole and absolute discretion) decides to takeover completion of the Project, the Contractor agrees to immediately assign all subcontracts to the Owner which the Owner has chosen to accept.

ARTICLE 11 – MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS:

11.1 Record Audit. In accordance with Government Code Section 8546.7 (and Davis Bacon, if applicable), records of both the Owner and the Contractor shall be subject to examination and audit for a period of five (5) years after a Final Retention Payment or the Recording of a Notice of Completion, whichever occurs first.

11.2 Contractor's License. The Contractor must possess throughout the Project a Class C-15 Contractor's License, issued by the State of California, which must be current and in good standing.

11.3 The Contractor shall enforce strict discipline and good order among the Contractor's and Subcontractor's employees, and other persons carrying out the Contract. The Contractor shall not permit employment of unfit persons or persons not skilled in tasks assigned to them. As used in this subsection, "unfit" includes any person who the Owner concludes is improperly skilled for the task assigned to that person, who fails to comply with the requirements of this Article, or who creates safety hazards which jeopardize other persons and/or property.

11.4 Contractor shall take all steps necessary to insure that employees of Contractor or any of its subcontractors' employees do not use, consume, or work under the influence of any alcohol, tobacco or illegal drugs while on the Project. Contractor shall further prevent any of its employees or its subcontractor employees from playing any recorded music devices or radios or wearing any radio headphone devices for entertainment while working on the Project. Likewise, Contractor shall

prevent its employees or subcontractor's employees from bringing any animal onto the Project. Contractor shall not violate any written school policies.

11.5 Nothing contained in this Agreement shall create a contractual relationship with or a cause of action in favor of any third party against the Owner.

11.6 The Owner and Contractor, respectively, bind themselves, their partners, officers, successors, assigns and legal representatives to the other party to this Agreement with respect to the terms of this Agreement. Contractor shall not assign this Agreement.

11.7 This Agreement shall be governed by the laws of the State of California.

11.8 This Agreement represents the entire agreement between the Owner and Contractor and supersedes all prior negotiations, representations or agreements, either written or oral. This Agreement may be amended or modified only by an agreement in writing signed by both the Owner and the Contractor

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been duly executed by the above named parties, on the day and year first above written.

Center Joint Unified School District

CONTRACTOR:

SCOTT A. LOREN
Typed or Printed Name

MR B ENTERPRISES
Typed or Printed Name

SUPERVISOR
Title

OWNER
Title

[Signature]
Signature

[Signature]
Signature

Dated: 7/5/17

MICHAEL R BAILEY
Type or Printed Name

Title (Authorized Officers or Agents)

Signature

(CORPORATE SEAL)

GUARANTEE

Guarantee for CENTER HS GYM FLOOR
SAND & RESURFACING, which we have installed in MAIN
GYM has been done in accordance with the Contract Documents, including without limitation, the drawings and specifications, and that the work as installed will fulfill the requirements included in the bid documents. The undersigned and its surety agrees to repair or replace any or all such work, together with any other adjacent work, which may be displaced in connection with such replacement, that may prove to be defective in workmanship or material within a period of one year from the date of the Notice of Completion of the above-mentioned structure by the CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL District, ordinary wear and tear and unusual abuse or neglect excepted.

In the event the undersigned or its surety fails to comply with the above-mentioned conditions within a reasonable period of time, as determined by the Owner, but not later than ten (10) days after being notified in writing by the Owner or within forty-eight (48) hours in the case of an emergency or urgent matter, the undersigned and its surety authorizes the Owner to proceed to have said defects repaired and made good at the expense of the undersigned and its surety, who will pay the costs and charges therefor upon demand. The undersigned and its surety shall be jointly and severally liable for any costs arising from the Owner's enforcement of this Guarantee.

Countersigned

MRB ENTERPRISES
(Proper Name)

(Proper Name)

By: Michael R Bailey
MICHAEL R BAILEY

By: _____

(Signature of Subcontract or Contractor)

(Signature of General Contractor if for Subcontractor)

Representatives to be contacted for service:

MRB ENTERPRISES
Name: MICHAEL R BAILEY

Address: 1654 NORTHFIELD DR
YUBA CITY, CA 95993

Phone Number: 530-713-2120

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION REGARDING BACKGROUND CHECKS

MRB ENTERPRISES certifies that it has performed one of the following:

[Name of contractor/consultant]

- Pursuant to Education Code Section 45125.1, Contractor has conducted criminal background checks, through the California Department of Justice, of all employees providing services to the Center Joint Unified School District, pursuant to the contract/purchase order dated 7-5-2017, and that none have been convicted of serious or violent felonies, as specified in Penal Code Sections 1192.7(c) and 667.5(c), respectively.

As further required by Education Code Section 45125.1, attached hereto as Attachment "A" is a list of the names of the employees of the undersigned who may come in contact with pupils.

OR

Pursuant to Education Code Section 45125.2, Contractor will ensure the safety of pupils by one or more of the following methods:

1. The installation of a physical barrier at the worksite to limit contact with pupils.
2. Continual supervision and monitoring of all employees of the entity by an employee of the entity whom the Department of Justice has ascertained has not been convicted of a violent or serious felony.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date 7-5, 2017

MRB ENTERPRISES
[Name of Contractor/Consultant]

Michael B. Banta
By its: OWNER

ATTACHMENT A:

CONTRACTOR CERTIFICATION REGARDING BACKGROUND CHECKS

(INSERT NAMES OF EMPLOYEES WHO MAY COME IN CONTACT WITH PUPILS)

MICHEAL R BAILEY
CHRISTOPHER A BAILEY
DAVE E TUFFORD
ADAM MAKINGS

Center Joint Unified School District

		AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
Dept./Site:	Facilities & Operations Dept.	Action Item <u>XX</u>
To:	Board of Trustees	Information Item _____
Date:	August 16, 2017	# Attached Pages <u>4</u>
From:	Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.	
Asst. Superintendent Initials:	<u>CD</u>	

SUBJECT:	Approval for PSA for Renee M. Plummer
CONSULTANT'S NAME:	Renee M. Plummer
COMPANY NAME (if applicable):	
SERVICES TO BE RENDERED:	School Bus Driver Instructor Duties – Driver file maintenance, classroom instruction, perform driver in-services as needed
DATES OF SERVICE:	Beginning 7/1/2017 – 6/30/2018
PAYMENT PER HOUR:	\$50
TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRACT:	As needed
FUNDING SOURCE:	01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000
RECOMMENDATION:	CJUSD Board of Trustees Approves Professional Services Agreement as presented.

CONSENT AGENDA



Center Unified School District
 8408 Watt Avenue
 Antelope, California 95843

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This agreement for professional services is entered into this _____ day of _____ by and between the Center Unified School District and the person(s) or firm described below, hereinafter described as CONTRACTOR. Persons performing services under this contract hold themselves out to be independent contractors, not employees of the DISTRICT, and hold(s) the DISTRICT harmless from claims under workers' compensation laws. CONTRACTOR further declares that he/she/it is/are in the business of providing the described service for any and all persons/organizations desiring such services, that such services are not provided exclusively for Center Unified School District. CONTRACTOR also holds the DISTRICT harmless from claims arising from loss, damage, or injury while performing the stipulated services.

Contractor Name: Renee Plummer
 Address: 2072 Prairie View Lane
 Phone: 590 940 5576 Taxpayer ID # _____

Full description of services to be provided:
Records maintenance, School Bus Driver in services & Behind the Wheel Training.
Not to Exceed \$ 5000

Payment \$ 5,000 per 50 hrs. CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt of invoice or service, whichever is later.

Beginning Date of Service: 7/1/17 Frequency of Service: As needed
 Ending Date of Service: 6/30/18

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)
 Variable Payroll - W-2 Generated (Requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.)
 Accounts Payable - 1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on back of this form).

Total amount of this contract \$ _____ Budget # 01-0000-0-5800-112-

Reason service cannot be provided by a District employee: 0000-3600-007-000.

Signature of CONTRACTOR: Renee Plummer Date: 7-10-17
 Signature of District employee requesting service: Craig Dew Date: _____
 Signature of Accounting Supervisor: _____ Date: _____
 Date Board of Trustees Approved (If over \$500.00): _____
 Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____ Date: _____

*** CONTRACT NOT VALID WITHOUT AUTHORIZED DISTRICT SIGNATURE ***

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

Print or type
See Specific Instructions on page 2

Name: Keneé M. Plummer

Business name, if different from above: Keneé M. Plummer

Check appropriate box: Individual/Sole proprietor Corporation Partnership Other Exempt

Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.): 2072 Prairie View Lane

City, state, and ZIP code: Lincoln, CA 95648

List account number(s) here (optional):

Requester's name and address (optional):

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 2. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see How to get a TIN on page 2.

Note: If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 2 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number
OR
Employer identification number

Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
- I am a U.S. person (including a U.S. resident alien).

Certification Instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the Certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. (See the instructions on page 2.)

Sign Here: Signature of U.S. person Keneé M. Plummer

Date: 02/09/16

Purpose of Form

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must get your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to give your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

- Certify the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued).
- Certify you are not subject to backup withholding, or
- Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee.

If you are a foreign person, use the appropriate Form W-8. See Pub. 515, Withholding of Tax on Nonresident Aliens and Foreign Entities.

Note: If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

What is backup withholding? Persons making certain payments to you must under certain conditions withhold and pay to the IRS 30% of such payments after December 31, 2001 (29% after December 31, 2003). This is called "backup withholding." Payments that may be subject to backup withholding include interest, dividends, broker and barter exchange transactions, rents, royalties, nonemployee pay, and certain payments from fishing boat operators. Real estate transactions are not subject to backup withholding.

You will not be subject to backup withholding on payments you receive if you give the requester your correct TIN, make the proper certifications, and report all your taxable interest and dividends on your tax return.

Payments you receive will be subject to backup withholding if:

- You do not furnish your TIN to the requester, or
- You do not certify your TIN when required (see the Part II instructions on page 2 for details), or
- The IRS tells the requester that you furnished an incorrect TIN, or
- The IRS tells you that you are subject to backup withholding because you did not report all your interest and dividends on your tax return (for reportable interest and dividends only), or

- You do not certify to the requester that you are not subject to backup withholding under 4 above (for reportable interest and dividend accounts opened after 1983 only).

Certain payees and payments are exempt from backup withholding. See the Part II instructions and the separate instructions for the Requester of Form W-9.

Penalties

Failure to furnish TIN. If you fail to furnish your correct TIN to a requester, you are subject to a penalty of \$50 for each such failure unless your failure is due to reasonable cause and not to willful neglect.

Civil penalty for false information with respect to withholding. If you make a false statement with no reasonable basis that results in no backup withholding, you are subject to a \$500 penalty.

Criminal penalty for falsifying information. Willfully falsifying certifications or affirmations may subject you to criminal penalties including fines and/or imprisonment.

Misuse of TINs. If the requester discloses or uses TINs in violation of Federal law, the requester may be subject to civil and criminal penalties.

**INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR OR EMPLOYEE?
DISTRICT GUIDELINES**

PART I

YES NO

1. Has this category of worker already been classified an "employee" by the IRS? Refer to page 1 for individuals listed in IRS Publication SWR 40 and others identified during the IRS compliance studies in San Diego County.		✓
2. Is the individual working as an employee prescribed by the Education Code? Education Code sections 45100-45451/88000-88263 define what constitutes classified service and 44800-45060/87000-87333 define certificated service. The IRS predisposes an employer/employee relationship when state law mandates such a relationship.		✓
3. Is the individual already an employee of the district in another capacity?		✓
4. Has the individual performed substantially the same services for the district as an employee in the past? <i>Is the individual retired, returning to substitute, or train, etc.?</i>		✓
5. Are there currently employees of the district doing substantially the same services as will be required of this individual?		✓
6. Does the district have the legal right to control the method of performance by this individual? <i>Consider whether the district has to train this individual or give instruction as to when, where, how, and in what order to work. Does the district require the individual to submit reports or perform the services at a district site? These factors would indicate the district maintains control sufficient for an employer/employee relationship. However, it is not necessary that the district exercise this right or have the expertise required to do so. In many cases this would not be practical nor advisable.</i>		✓
7. Are the services, as being provided, an integral part of school operations? Are the services being provided necessary to the operation of the school, program, project, etc.? This indicates the district has an interest in the method of performance and implies the maintenance of legal control.		✓

If the answer to any of the above questions is "YES",

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Do not complete the rest of the questions. The individual is the district employee and must be paid and reported accordingly.

If all of the above are "NO", continue...

PART II

YES NO

8. Must the required service be performed by this individual? Consider whether or not the individual may designate someone else to do the work without the district's knowledge or approval		✓
9. Does the district have a continuing relationship with this individual? Is this a "one shot deal" or will the district continue to use this individual in the future? This could be on an infrequent or irregular basis but a continuous relationship exists.	✓	
10. Can this relationship be terminated without the consent of both parties?	✓	

If the answer to questions 8, 9, or 10 is "YES", there is a good possibility that an employment relationship exists. Questions 8 & 9 are indicators of district control that, in conjunction with other factors, imply an employment relationship. Go back to PART I and re-evaluate each question. If questions 1-7 are still all "NO", continue...

PART II - continued

	YES	NO
<p>11. Does the individual operate an <u>independent</u> trade or business that is available to the general public? <i>A determining factor in judging independence is the performance of services to the general public. In evaluating this criteria, school districts are considered to be separate entities. Keep in mind: if the district is utilizing this individual's services on a full-time basis, the individual is <u>not</u> available to the general public. NOTE: Possession of a business license or incorporation does <u>not</u> automatically satisfy this requirement. The determination <u>must</u> be made on the actual <u>relationship</u> between the district and the individual performing services.</i></p>	✓	
<p>12. Does the individual have a substantial investment in his/her business, i.e. maintains a facility, equipment, etc.? <i>This is indicative of economic risk inherent in business enterprises. An independent contractor must be able to make a profit or sustain a loss.</i></p>	✓	

If either 11 or 12 are "NO", the individual is a district employee

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and process the individual through payroll.

If 11 and 12 are both "YES", continue

	YES	NO
<p>13. Does the individual provide all materials and support services necessary for the performance of this service? <i>The district should not be providing office space, clerical, secretarial, or any other support for this individual such as materials, xeroxing, printing, office supplies, etc. Any necessary assistants would be hired by the individual.</i></p>	✓	
<p>14. Is this paid by the job or on a commission?</p>	✓	
<p>15. Does the individual bear the cost of any travel and business expenses incurred to perform this service? <i>Generally, these types of expenses are paid by an employer, however, some contracts provide for payment of airfare, mileage, etc. for consultants.</i></p>	✓	

If 11 and 12 are "YES", 13 through 15 should also be "YES" and are items that should be written into the consultant contract. This individual is an independent contractor. A "YES" on questions 13 through 15 supports the district's conclusion and substantiates a "reasonable basis" for treatment as an independent contractor. While there are circumstances where the district might pay contractually provided expenses, these should be kept at a minimum to avoid giving the impression of an employment relationship.

Center Joint Unified School District

Dept./Site: Facilities & Operations Dept.	AGENDA REQUEST FOR:
To: Board of Trustees	Action Item <u> X </u>
Date: August 16, 2017	Information Item <u> </u>
From: Craig Deason, Assist. Supt.	# Attached Pages <u> 4 </u>
Asst. Superintendent Initials: <u> CD </u>	

SUBJECT:	Approval for PSA for Phuong Ho
CONSULTANT'S NAME:	Phuong Ho
COMPANY NAME (if applicable):	
SERVICES TO BE RENDERED:	Delegated Trainer
DATES OF SERVICE:	Beginning 8/16/2017 – 6/30/2017
PAYMENT PER HOUR:	\$45.00
TOTAL AMOUNT OF CONTRACT:	As needed
FUNDING SOURCE:	01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000
RECOMMENDATION:	CJUSD Board of Trustees Approves Professional Services Agreement as presented.

CONSENT AGENDA



Center Unified School District
 8408 Watt Avenue
 Antelope, California 95843

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT

This agreement for professional services is entered into this _____ day of _____ by and between the Center Unified School District and the person(s) or firm described below, hereinafter described as CONTRACTOR. Persons performing services under this contract hold themselves out to be independent contractors, not employees of the DISTRICT, and hold(s) the DISTRICT harmless from claims under workers' compensation laws. CONTRACTOR further declares that he/she/it is/are in the business of providing the described service for any and all persons/organizations desiring such services, that such services are not provided exclusively for Center Unified School District. CONTRACTOR also holds the DISTRICT harmless from claims arising from loss, damage, or injury while performing the stipulated services.

Contractor Name: Phuong Ho
 Address: 8700 Raven Hill way
 Phone: 916 233-5209 Taxpayer ID # [REDACTED]

Full description of services to be provided:

Payment \$ 45.00 per hrs. CONTRACTOR will submit a signed invoice not more frequently than monthly, detailing services provided and charges. Payment will be made within forty-five days after receipt of invoice or service, whichever is later.

Beginning Date of Service: 2017-2018 Frequency of Service: As Needed
 Ending Date of Service: 2018

Method of Payment and Tax Reporting: (check one)
 Variable Payroll - W-2 Generated (Requires completion of W-4 & I-9 in Personnel Dept.)
 Accounts Payable - 1099 Generated (Requires completion of W-9 on back of this form).

Total amount of this contract \$ _____ Budget # _____

Reason service cannot be provided by a District employee:

Signature of CONTRACTOR: [Signature] Date: 8/01/2017
 Signature of District employee requesting service: _____ Date: _____
 Signature of Accounting Supervisor: _____ Date: _____
 Date Board of Trustees Approved (if over \$500.00): _____
 Signature of Authorized Contracting Official: _____ Date: _____

*** CONTRACT NOT VALID WITHOUT AUTHORIZED DISTRICT SIGNATURE ***

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Give Form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

Print or type
 See Specific Instructions on page 2.

1 Name (as shown on your income tax return). Name is required on this line; do not leave this line blank.
Phuong Ho

2 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

3 Check appropriate box for federal tax classification; check only one of the following seven boxes:
 Individual/sole proprietor or single-member LLC
 C Corporation S Corporation Partnership Trust/estate
 Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C=C corporation, S=S corporation, P=partnership) ▶ _____
 Note. For a single-member LLC that is disregarded, do not check LLC; check the appropriate box in the line above for the tax classification of the single-member owner.
 Other (see instructions) ▶ _____

4 Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3):
 Exempt payee code (if any) _____
 Exemption from FATCA reporting code (if any) _____
(Applies to accounts maintained outside the U.S.)

5 Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)
8700 Raven Hill wX

6 City, state, and ZIP code
Antelope CA 95843

7 List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)

Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is generally your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see *How to get a TIN* on page 3.

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the instructions for line 1 and the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

Social security number

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OR

Employer identification number

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Part II Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

- The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me); and
- I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding; and
- I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below); and
- The FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that I am exempt from FATCA reporting is correct.

Certification instructions. You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 3.

Sign Here Signature of U.S. person ▶ Phuong Ho Date ▶ 08/01/2017

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.
 Future developments. Information about developments affecting Form W-9 (such as legislation enacted after we release it) is at www.irs.gov/fw9.

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) which may be your social security number (SSN), individual taxpayer identification number (ITIN), adoption taxpayer identification number (ATIN), or employer identification number (EIN), to report on an information return the amount paid to you, or other amount reportable on an information return. Examples of information returns include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Form 1099-INT (interest earned or paid)
- Form 1099-DIV (dividends, including those from stocks or mutual funds)
- Form 1099-MISC (various types of income, prizes, awards, or gross proceeds)
- Form 1099-B (stock or mutual fund sales and certain other transactions by brokers)
- Form 1099-S (proceeds from real estate transactions)
- Form 1099-K (merchant card and third party network transactions)

- Form 1098 (home mortgage interest), 1098-E (student loan interest), 1098-T (tuition)
 - Form 1099-C (canceled debt)
 - Form 1099-A (acquisition or abandonment of secured property)
- Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN.
- If you do not return Form W-9 to the requester with a TIN, you might be subject to backup withholding. See *What is backup withholding?* on page 2.
- By signing the filed-out form, you:
- Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued).
 - Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
 - Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income, and
 - Certify that FATCA code(s) entered on this form (if any) indicating that you are exempt from the FATCA reporting, is correct. See *What is FATCA reporting?* on page 2 for further information.

**INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR OR EMPLOYEE?
DISTRICT GUIDELINES**

PART I

YES NO

1. Has this category of worker already been classified an "employee" by the IRS? Refer to page 1 for individuals listed in IRS Publication SWR 40 and others identified during the IRS compliance studies in San Diego County.		X
2. Is the individual working as an employee prescribed by the Education Code? Education Code sections 45100-45451/88000-88263 define what constitutes classified service and 44800-45060/87000-87333 define certificated service. The IRS predisposes an employer/employee relationship when state law mandates such a relationship.		X
3. Is the individual already an employee of the district in another capacity?		X
4. Has the individual performed substantially the same services for the district as an employee in the past? <i>Is the individual retired, returning to substitute, or train, etc.?</i>		X
5. Are there currently employees of the district doing substantially the same services as will be required of this individual?		X
6. Does the district have the legal right to control the method of performance by this individual? <i>Consider whether the district has to train this individual or give instruction as to when, where, how, and in what order to work. Does the district require the individual to submit reports or perform the services at a district site? These factors would indicate the district maintains control sufficient for an employer/employee relationship. However, it is not necessary that the district exercise this right or have the expertise required to do so. In many cases this would not be practical nor advisable.</i>		X
7. Are the services, as being provided, an integral part of school operations? Are the services being provided necessary to the operation of the school, program, project, etc.? This indicates the district has an interest in the method of performance and implies the maintenance of legal control.		X

If the answer to any of the above questions is "YES",

STOP HERE

Do not complete the rest of the questions. The individual is the district employee and must be paid and reported accordingly.

If all of the above are "NO", continue...

PART II

YES NO

8. Must the required service be performed by this individual? <i>Consider whether or not the individual may designate someone else to do the work without the district's knowledge or approval</i>		X
9. Does the district have a continuing relationship with this individual? <i>Is this a "one shot deal" or will the district continue to use this individual in the future? This could be on an infrequent or irregular basis but a continuous relationship exists.</i>	X	
10. Can this relationship be terminated without the consent of both parties?	X	

If the answer to questions 8, 9, or 10 is "YES", there is a good possibility that an employment relationship exists. Questions 8 & 9 are indicators of district control that, in conjunction with other factors, imply an employment relationship. Go back to PART I and re-evaluate each question. If questions 1-7 are still all "NO", continue...

PART II - continued

YES NO

<p>11. Does the individual operate an <u>independent</u> trade or business that is available to the general public? <i>A determining factor in judging independence is the performance of services to the general public. In evaluating this criteria, school districts are considered to be separate entities. Keep in mind: if the district is utilizing this individual's services on a full-time basis, the individual is <u>not</u> available to the general public. NOTE: Possession of a business license or incorporation does <u>not</u> automatically satisfy this requirement. The determination <u>must</u> be made on the actual <u>relationship</u> between the district and the individual performing services.</i></p>	X	
<p>12. Does the individual have a substantial investment in his/her business, i.e. maintains a facility, equipment, etc.? <i>This is indicative of economic risk inherent in business enterprises. An independent contractor must be able to make a profit or sustain a loss.</i></p>	X	

If either 11 or 12 are "NO", the individual is a district employee

STOP HERE

and process the individual through payroll.

If 11 and 12 are both "YES", continue

YES NO

<p>13. Does the individual provide all materials and support services necessary for the performance of this service? <i>The district should not be providing office space, clerical, secretarial, or any other support for this individual such as materials, xeraxing, printing, office supplies, etc. Any necessary assistants would be hired by the individual.</i></p>	X	
<p>14. Is this paid by the job or on a commission?</p>	X	
<p>15. Does the individual bear the cost of any travel and business expenses incurred to perform this service? <i>Generally, these types of expenses are paid by an employer, however, some contracts provide for payment of airfare, mileage, etc. for consultants.</i></p>	X	

If 11 and 12 are "YES", 13 through 15 should also be "YES" and are items that should be written into the consultant contract. This individual is an independent contractor. A "YES" on questions 13 through 15 supports the district's conclusion and substantiates a "reasonable basis" for treatment as an independent contractor. While there are circumstances where the district might pay contractually provided expenses, these should be kept at a minimum to avoid giving the impression of an employment relationship.

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Business Department

Date: August 16, 2017

To: CJUSD Board of Trustees

From: Lisa Coronado *lc*
Director of Fiscal Services

Action Item X

Information Item

Attached Pages

SUBJECT:

Please ratify the contract for Chalk Schools to provide internal office electronic forms, workflow routing, document storage, and related reporting and analytics during the 2017-18 fiscal year.

CONSENT AGENDA



230 California St, Suite 601
San Francisco, CA 94111
www.chalkschools.com

Center Joint Unified
8408 Watt Ave.
Antelope, CA 95843

Date: 7/18/17
Terms and Cost Valid Until: 7/31/17

Service	Unit Price
<p>Chalk Internal Office forms and workflow processes Internal License – Unlimited forms for internal staff processes</p> <p>All Chalk processes include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Unlimited electronic signatures, interactive form fields, pre-filled data fields, and reusable templates to automatically collect, route, and track responses and approvals• Unlimited responses archived with full access search and nightly back-ups for all data• Phone, chat, and email support for form managers and recipients• Continuous upgrades and extensive browser and device support• Online webinars and resources for form managers	\$12,750 / year
<p>Implementation Package (one-time fee)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 forms set up by a dedicated Implementation Specialist• 180-day implementation timeline	\$2,550
<p>TOTAL FIRST YEAR COST:</p>	\$15,300
<p>ANNUAL COST:</p>	\$12,750

Emics, Inc. dba Chalk Schools

Chalk Schools Agreement

This Agreement is made as of July 18, 2017 between Emics, Inc. and Center Joint Unified covering the services to be provided below for one year from the commencement of this Agreement. This agreement automatically renews each year unless Center Joint Unified provides written notice of cancellation at least 45 days prior to the end of each 365-day period. Payment is due to Chalk Schools 30 days after the initiation or renewal of services.

Emics, Inc. will provide the following:

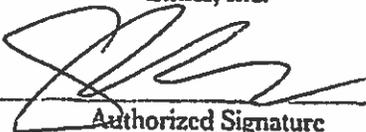
1. Ongoing assistance and staff support. Chalk Schools will provide a dedicated client success and implementation specialist as the primary contact for your district.
2. Advanced access to new features, and full access to the Chalk system. You will receive first notice and early review of all new developments.
3. Dedicated accounts with set up and configuration. Account services will adhere to the terms and definitions outlined in our Privacy Policy. In sum, you control your account information, documents, and settings. We will not rent or sell your information to third parties outside Emics, Inc. and its group companies (including any parent, subsidiaries and affiliates) without your consent.

During the term of this Agreement, Center Joint Unified will provide:

1. **Primary contact:** Identify one staff member as your primary contact, who provides direct input to the Chalk team in order to ensure success.
2. **Feedback and review:** As a valued Chalk customer, you will have the ability to help to shape and improve the tool for all educators by providing feedback and reviewing any findings together for continuous improvement.

We look forward to a long lasting and mutually beneficial relationship.

Emics, Inc.


Authorized Signature

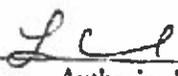
Sarah Chou

Print Name

7/24/17

Date

Center Joint Unified


Authorized Signature

Lisa Comento

Print Name

7/24/17

Date

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept. /Site: Business Department

Date: 08/04/2017

Action Item

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

From: Lisa Coronado

Attached Page 1

SUBJECT:

**APPROVAL OF CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
PAYROLL ORDERS**

The Governing board is asked to approve the attached payroll Orders for July 2016 through June 2017.

RECOMMENDATION: That the CJUSD Board of Trustees approve the District Payroll Orders for July 2016 through June 2017.

CONSENT AGENDA

DISTRICT PAYROLL-SUMMARIZED FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,2017

	REGULAR	VARIABLE	SPECIAL	TOTAL PAYROLL	#OF TRANSACTIONS
JULY	\$ 981,000.75	\$ 64,821.20		\$ 1,045,821.95	271
AUG	\$ 2,503,675.78	\$ 114,671.61		\$ 2,618,347.39	835
SEPT	\$ 2,505,464.56	\$ 172,109.94		\$ 2,677,574.50	898
OCT	\$ 2,512,641.69	\$ 100,957.20		\$ 2,613,598.89	747
NOV	\$ 2,501,919.04	\$ 158,813.53		\$ 2,660,732.57	814
DEC	\$ 618,323.87	\$ 86,681.55		\$ 705,005.42	473
3-Jan	\$ 1,890,355.83			\$ 1,890,355.83	271
JAN	\$ 2,496,778.07	\$ 79,800.90		\$ 2,576,578.97	755
FEB	\$ 2,482,574.00	\$ 118,606.59		\$ 2,601,180.59	818
MARCH	\$ 2,512,135.96	\$ 196,179.13		\$ 2,708,315.09	860
APRIL	\$ 2,509,050.79	\$ 229,758.44	471789.24	\$ 3,210,598.47	1423
MAY	\$ 2,516,613.03	\$ 260,611.44		\$ 2,777,224.47	850
JUNE	\$ 577,536.12	\$ 155,112.64		\$ 732,648.76	659
SPECIAL				\$ -	

\$ 26,608,069.49	\$ 1,738,124.17	\$ 471,789.24	\$ 28,817,982.90	9674
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Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept. /Site: Business Department

Date: 08/04/2017

Action Item

To: Board of Trustees

Information Item

From: Lisa Coronado

Attached Page 1

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CONSENT AGENDA

DISTRICT PAYROLL-SUMMARIZED FOR FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,2018

	REGULAR	VARIABLE	SPECIAL	TOTAL PAYROLL	#OF TRANSACTIONS
JULY	\$ 938,044.16	\$ 77,180.53		\$ 1,015,224.69	549
AUG				\$ -	
SEPT				\$ -	
OCT				\$ -	
NOV				\$ -	
DEC				\$ -	
JAN				\$ -	
FEB				\$ -	
MARCH				\$ -	
APRIL				\$ -	
MAY				\$ -	
JUNE				\$ -	
SPECIAL				\$ -	

3-Jan

\$ 938,044.16	\$ 77,180.53	\$ -	\$ 1,015,224.69	549
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Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Business Department

Date: June, 2017

To: Board of Trustees

From: Lisa Coronado

Action Item

Information Item

Attached Pages 45

SUBJECT: Supplemental Agenda – Commercial Warrant Registers

June 8, 2017, \$252,939.74, June 15, 2017, \$335,928.05

June 22, 2017, \$481,381.00

The commercial warrant payments to vendors total

\$ 1,070,248.79

RECOMMENDATION: That the CJUSD Board of Trustees approve the Supplemental Agenda – Vendor Warrants as presented

CONSENT AGENDA

XV-56

Batch status: A All

From batch: 0064

To batch: 0064

Include Revolving Cash: Y

Include Address: N

81 CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DIST.
06-01-17

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE PRELIST
BATCH: 0064 06-01-17
FUND : 01 GENERAL FUND

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Vendor/Addr	Remit name	Description	Tax ID num	Deposit type	ABA num	Account num	Liq Amt	Net Amount
Req Reference	Date				FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MP			
010669/00	ALHAMBRA & SIERRA SPRINGS							
163	PO-170142	06/01/2017	148714051917		2 01-0000-0-4300-103-0000-7200-003-000 NN P		74.24	74.24
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	74.24 *		74.24
010400/00	AT&T							
521	PO-170445	05/31/2017	24813481008413		1 01-0000-0-5930-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P		9.31	9.31
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	9.31 *		9.31
019504/00	B & H PHOTO-VIDEO							
2673	PO-172282	06/01/2017	126238755		1 01-0000-0-4300-472-0000-2700-014-000 YN F		46.40	40.90
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	40.90 *		40.90
					TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT	3.17		
021669/00	BAIONI, RON							
2742	PO-172346	06/01/2017	REIMB BATTERY		1 01-0000-0-4300-371-1110-1000-012-000 NN F		39.99	39.99
2743	PO-172347	06/01/2017	REIMB SHIPPING		1 01-0000-0-5920-371-0000-2700-012-000 NN F		51.47	51.47
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	91.46 *		91.46
013928/00	CINTAS LOCATION 622							
516	PO-170441	05/31/2017	622769318		1 01-0000-0-5800-111-0000-8200-007-000 NN P		185.04	185.04
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	185.04 *		185.04
016771/00	DURAN, DANIELLA							
2746	PO-172350	06/01/2017	MAY MILEAGE		1 01-3010-0-5800-601-1421-1000-017-000 NN F		236.90	236.90
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	236.90 *		236.90
015636/00	HASTIE'S SAND AND GRAVEL							
559	PO-170485	05/30/2017	150328		1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 N P		1,037.10	1,037.10
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,037.10 *		1,037.10

81 CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DIST.
06-01-17

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE PRELIST
BATCH: 0064 06-01-17
FUND : 01 GENERAL FUND

J4090 APY500 H.02.05 06/01/17 PAGE 2
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Vendor/Addr	Remit name	Tax ID num	Deposit type	ABA num	Account num	Liq Amt	Net Amount
Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P	OBJE SIT	GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MP		
016486/00	HDS WHITE CAP	CONST.SUPPLY					
416 PO-170365	06/01/2017	10007016252	1	01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	156.32	156.32
2755 PO-172358	06/01/2017	50006235124	1	01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	156.32	156.32
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				312.64 *			312.64
018762/00	HOANG, TRACY						
2744 PO-172348	06/01/2017	MAY MILEAGE	1	01-3010-0-5800-601-1421-1000-017-000	NN F	93.20	93.20
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				93.20 *			93.20
010649/00	HOLT AG SOLUTIONS LLC						
2751 PO-172354	06/01/2017	P11467	1	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	42.15	42.15
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				42.15 *			42.15
017002/00	HOME DEPOT CREDIT SERVICES						
1745 PO-171487	05/31/2017	6035322649033119	1	01-0000-0-4300-472-1110-1000-014-000	NN F	3,051.93	1,360.28
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				1,360.28 *			1,360.28
011341/00	HUNT & SONS INC						
77 PO-170075	06/01/2017	650200	1	01-0000-0-4340-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	16,626.79	16,626.79
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				16,626.79 *			16,626.79
018990/00	INTERSTATE BATTERIES						
2570 PO-172170	06/01/2017	60112229	1	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	832.37	796.64
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				796.64 *			796.64
019317/00	JENSEN, CARIN						
1309 PO-171117	06/01/2017	APRIL,MAY	1	01-0000-0-5210-103-0000-2110-003-000	NN F	86.50	18.94
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				18.94 *			18.94

Vendor/Addr	Remit name	Tax ID num	Deposit type	ABA num	Account num	Liq Amt	Net Amount
Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P OBJE	SIT GOAL FUNC	RES DEP T9MP		
011414/00	JOHNSON, DANA						
2745 PO-172349	06/01/2017	MAY MILEAGE	1	01-3010-0-5800-601-1421-1000-017-000	NN F	386.16	386.16
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				386.16
010609/00	KELLY MOORE PAINT CO						
24 PO-170023	06/01/2017	203-00000263384	1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	338.20	338.20
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				338.20
022406/00	MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC						
2607 PO-172217	05/31/2017	4971040262	1	01-0000-0-5800-102-0000-3140-003-000	NN P	2,587.50	2,587.50
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				2,587.50
015747/00	MILES, PRESTINNA						
2750 PO-172355	05/30/2017	reimb regist & mileage	1	01-0000-0-5200-110-0000-7200-004-000	NN F	53.08	53.08
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				53.08
018419/00	NCPS						
1999 PO-171681	06/01/2017	NCPS3157	1	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN P	2,505.63	2,505.63
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				2,505.63
017576/00	OFFICE DEPOT						
2579 PO-172189	06/01/2017	926015477002	1	01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	8.84	8.84
2579 PO-172189	06/01/2017	926015475001	1	01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	15.42	15.42
2579 PO-172189	06/01/2017	926015476001	1	01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	15.42	15.42
2579 PO-172189	06/01/2017	926015477001	1	01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN F	442.24	498.85
2618 PO-172227	06/01/2017	926124531001	1	01-5630-0-4300-601-1421-1000-017-000	NN M	0.00	64.65-
2618 PO-172227	06/01/2017	928214400001	1	01-5630-0-4300-601-1421-1000-017-000	NN M	0.00	521.53-
2618 PO-172227	06/01/2017	925578930001	1	01-5630-0-4300-601-1421-1000-017-000	NN P	1,246.32	1,246.32
2618 PO-172227	06/01/2017	925578929001	1	01-5630-0-4300-601-1421-1000-017-000	NN P	196.12	521.53
2618 PO-172227	06/01/2017	928636059001	1	01-5630-0-4300-601-1421-1000-017-000	NN F	0.00	231.79
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				1,951.99

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021050/00	PACHECO, SHAWNA						
2756 PO-172359	06/01/2017	MILEAGE	2	01-6520-0-5200-472-5770-1110-003-000	NN F	108.61	108.61
2756 PO-172359	06/01/2017	MILEAGE	1	01-6520-0-5200-472-5770-1110-003-982	NN F	102.51	102.51
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				211.12 *			211.12
022525/00	POST-IT LLC						
472 PO-170416	06/01/2017	APRIL LIVE SCAN	1	01-0000-0-5800-110-0000-7200-004-000	NN P	200.00	200.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				200.00 *			200.00
020616/00	RENT RITE						
1360 PO-171172	06/01/2017	156537	1	01-0000-0-5600-472-1405-1000-014-000	NN F	450.00	450.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				450.00 *			450.00
010096/00	RESERVE ACCOUNT						
2739 PO-172344	06/01/2017	15072143	1	01-0000-0-5920-105-0000-7200-005-000	NN F	10,000.00	10,000.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				10,000.00 *			10,000.00
010552/00	SAC VAL JANITORIAL						
2757 PO-172360	06/01/2017	10244121	1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	564.85	564.85
2757 PO-172360	06/01/2017	10244125	1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	1,097.13	1,097.13
2757 PO-172360	06/01/2017	10244337	1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	200.52	200.52
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				1,862.50 *			1,862.50
010266/00	SACRAMENTO COUNTY UTILITIES						
122 PO-170093	06/01/2017	50000918618	1	01-0000-0-5520-106-0000-8110-007-000	N P	658.20	658.20
122 PO-170093	06/01/2017	50000918556	1	01-0000-0-5520-106-0000-8110-007-000	N P	159.07	159.07
122 PO-170093	06/01/2017	50000918485	1	01-0000-0-5520-106-0000-8110-007-000	N P	3,359.56	3,359.56
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				4,176.83 *			4,176.83
020371/00	SUMNER, SHERYL						
2759 PO-172361	06/01/2017	MILEAGE-APRIL-MAY	1	01-0000-0-5210-103-1110-1004-003-000	NN F	16.05	16.05
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				16.05 *			16.05

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015259/00	SUNBELT RENTALS INC							
414 PO-170363	06/01/2017	69374107-001						
					1 01-0000-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P		293.63	293.63
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	293.63 *		293.63
014278/00	TOUCHBOARDS							
2473 PO-172090	06/01/2017	0529144-IN						
2473 PO-172090	06/01/2017	0539146-CM						
2473 PO-172090	06/01/2017	0528940-IN						
					1 01-3010-0-4400-475-3200-1000-015-000 YN P		1,424.05	1,424.05
					1 01-3010-0-4400-475-3200-1000-015-000 YN M		0.00	223.02-
					1 01-3010-0-4400-475-3200-1000-015-000 YN F		491.54	363.89
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,564.92 *		1,564.92
					TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT	121.28		
011190/00	UNIVERSAL SPECIALTIES INC							
36 PO-170035	06/01/2017	77911						
					1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P		323.90	323.90
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	323.90 *		323.90
					TOTAL FUND PAYMENT	47,847.10 **		47,847.10
					TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT	124.45		

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022390/00	HUGHEY, DOUG						
2753	PO-172357	06/01/2017	REIMB-GRAD	1	09-0700-0-4300-503-0000-2700-018-000 NN F	274.32	274.32
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						274.32 *	274.32
TOTAL FUND PAYMENT						274.32 **	274.32

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017576/00	OFFICE DEPOT							
2619	PO-172228	06/01/2017	927489838001	1	11-6391-0-4300-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN P	96.46	96.46
2619	PO-172228	06/01/2017	925581629001	1	11-6391-0-4300-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN P	24.11	24.11
2619	PO-172228	06/01/2017	925581628002	1	11-6391-0-4300-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN P	38.17	38.17
2619	PO-172228	06/01/2017	925581628001	1	11-6391-0-4300-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN F	65.07	65.07
2670	PO-172281	06/01/2017	928351266001	1	11-6391-0-4300-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN F	65.78	65.78
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							289.59 *	289.59
014278/00	TOUCHBOARDS							
2696	PO-172305	06/01/2017	0538594-IN	1	11-6391-0-4400-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN F	2,850.13	2,645.13
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							2,645.13 *	2,645.13
TOTAL FUND				PAYMENT	2,934.72 **		2,934.72	

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Req Reference	Date				FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MP				
020098/00	BIG TRAY								
105 PO-170112	06/01/2017	796882		1	13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	253.61	253.61	
105 PO-170112	06/01/2017	796110		1	13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	5.88	5.88	
105 PO-170112	06/01/2017	796973		1	13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	16.04	16.04	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								275.53 *	275.53
017051/00	DAVIS, LAURA								
383 PO-170343	06/01/2017	MILEAGE		1	13-5310-0-5210-108-0000-3700-000-000	NN F	52.63	106.62	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								106.62 *	106.62
014843/00	JACKIE BRANNAM								
2747 PO-172351	06/01/2017	PARENT REFUND		1	13-5310-0-8634-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN F	9.00	9.00	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								9.00 *	9.00
015608/00	KNUTSON, KARI								
1552 PO-171334	06/01/2017	JAN-MAY		1	13-5310-0-5210-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	28.98	12.20	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								12.20 *	12.20
021194/00	PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY INC								
101 PO-170111	06/01/2017	180278592		1	13-5310-0-5800-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	77.75	77.75	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								77.75 *	77.75
016043/00	SHELTONS UNLIMITED MECHANICAL								
113 PO-170113	06/01/2017	17-06 nutri		1	13-5310-0-5600-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,785.00	1,785.00	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								1,785.00 *	1,785.00
022487/00	TIFFANY TRUONG								
2748 PO-172352	06/01/2017	refund		1	13-5310-0-8634-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN F	7.90	7.90	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								7.90 *	7.90

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020366/00	WALSH, LEANN								
2734 PO-172343	06/01/2017	refund							
					1 13-5310-0-8634-000-0000-0000-000-000 NN F		35.75	35.75	
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		35.75 *	35.75	
					TOTAL FUND PAYMENT		2,309.75 **		2,309.75
					TOTAL BATCH PAYMENT		53,365.89 ***		53,365.89
					TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT		124.45	0.00	
					TOTAL DISTRICT PAYMENT		53,365.89 ****		53,365.89
					TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT		124.45	0.00	
					TOTAL FOR ALL DISTRICTS:		53,365.89 ****	0.00	53,365.89
					TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT		124.45		

Number of warrants to be printed: 41, not counting voids due to stub overflows.

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Req Reference	Date			FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MP				

011617/00	AMADOR STAGE LINES							
2796 PO-172399	06/08/2017	70823		1 01-0000-0-5865-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F		1,120.79	1,120.79	
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,120.79 *		1,120.79	
016224/00	AMY ROENSPIE BCBA							
2791 PO-172394	06/08/2017	REIMB		1 01-6512-0-5200-102-5001-3110-003-000 NN F		160.00	160.00	
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	160.00 *		160.00	
010564/00	APPLE COMPUTER							
2501 PO-172102	06/08/2017	4441099888		1 01-0000-0-4300-234-0000-2700-008-000 NN F		219.37	219.37	
2501 PO-172102	06/08/2017	4432342423		2 01-0000-0-4300-234-1110-1000-008-000 NN F		622.71	622.71	
2501 PO-172102	06/08/2017	4434803465,4436155661		3 01-0000-0-4400-234-0000-2700-008-000 NN F		1,579.61	1,805.89	
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	2,647.97 *		2,647.97	
018533/00	ATKINSON ANDELSON LOYA RUDD							
711 PO-170612	06/08/2017	520773		1 01-0000-0-5880-105-0000-7200-005-000 NE F		5,825.29	5,825.29	
2767 PO-172369	06/08/2017	520773		1 01-0000-0-5880-105-0000-7200-005-000 NE P		16,840.28	16,840.28	
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	22,665.57 *		22,665.57	
010142/00	AWARDS BY KAY							
2760 PO-172363	06/08/2017	retirement plaque		1 01-0000-0-5800-110-0000-7200-004-000 NN F		58.35	58.35	
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	58.35 *		58.35	
019075/00	BRIGHT FUTURES THERAPY							
2788 PO-172389	06/08/2017	3367		1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN F		17,920.00	17,920.00	
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	17,920.00 *		17,920.00	
011746/00	CALDEIRA UNIFIED INC - JOSTENS							
2340 PO-171949	06/08/2017	34557		1 01-4203-0-4300-103-4760-1000-003-000 NN F		250.00	242.50	
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	242.50 *		242.50	

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016472/00	CALIFORNIA DEPT OF EDUCATION						
2328 PO-171940	06/08/2017	C-058303	1 01-0000-0-5200-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN	F	1,000.00	1,000.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,000.00 *			1,000.00
018895/00	CANAAN SOUND & LIGHT						
2660 PO-172290	06/08/2017	171207	1 01-0000-0-5600-472-1405-1000-014-000	NN	F	2,200.00	2,200.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	2,200.00 *			2,200.00
016082/00	CARMAZZI GLOBAL SOLUTIONS						
1835 PO-171552	06/07/2017	17-22938	1 01-0000-0-5800-103-4760-1000-003-740	NN	P	262.50	262.50
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	262.50 *			262.50
021036/00	CCHAT CENTER						
1223 PO-171049	06/07/2017	4-17 CENTER	1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN	P	516.01	516.01
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	516.01 *			516.01
016904/00	CDI COMPUTER DEALERS INC						
2449 PO-172151	06/08/2017	578484	1 01-6387-0-4400-472-1110-1000-014-000	YN	F	8,719.35	8,129.77
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	8,129.77 *			8,129.77
			TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT	630.06			
020305/00	CDW GOVERNMENT INC.						
2537 PO-172140	06/08/2017	HNW8484	1 01-0000-0-4300-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN	P	42.92	42.92
2537 PO-172140	06/08/2017	HPK4798	1 01-0000-0-4300-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN	F	52.04	11.87
2582 PO-172179	06/08/2017	HWV8455	1 01-3010-0-4300-475-3200-3110-015-000	NN	P	878.92	878.92
2582 PO-172179	06/08/2017	HWQ2893	1 01-3010-0-4300-475-3200-3110-015-000	NN	F	367.79	292.97
2713 PO-172317	06/08/2017	HZX17273	1 01-0370-0-4400-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN	F	1,168.27	1,168.27
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	2,394.95 *			2,394.95
021051/00	CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION COUNCIL						
2771 PO-172374	06/08/2017	9308	1 01-0000-0-5800-601-1110-1000-017-093	NN	P	4,169.30	4,169.30
2771 PO-172374	06/08/2017	9447	1 01-0000-0-5800-601-1110-1000-017-093	NN	F	6,479.61	6,479.61
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	10,648.91 *			10,648.91

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019943/00	DOCUMENT TRACKING SERVICES							
	2345 PO-171963	06/07/2017 T-958430008		1	01-0000-0-5800-103-1110-1000-003-740	NN P	7.69	7.69
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				7.69 *			7.69
021610/00	EATON INTERPRETING SERVICES							
	1690 PO-171448	06/07/2017 301832		1	01-0000-0-5800-103-4760-1000-003-740	NN P	312.50	312.50
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				312.50 *			312.50
019262/00	ENTERPRISE RENT A CAR							
	2779 PO-172381	06/07/2017 30A4968		3	01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	686.13	686.13
	2779 PO-172381	06/07/2017 30A4968		2	01-0000-0-5600-472-1110-1000-014-000	NN F	88.10	88.10
	2779 PO-172381	06/07/2017 30A4968		1	01-0000-0-5600-475-3200-1000-015-000	NN F	413.94	413.94
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				1,188.17 *			1,188.17
014243/00	GARY HENDERSON MFT							
	262 PO-170238	06/08/2017 MAY 2017		1	01-6512-0-5800-102-5001-3110-003-000	NY F	6,800.00	500.00
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				500.00 *			500.00
022347/00	GIVE SOMETHING BACK							
	1427 PO-171338	06/08/2017 IN-0583677		1	01-0000-0-5800-472-0000-2700-014-000	NN F	36.59	37.07
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				37.07 *			37.07
014662/00	JACKSON, STEVEN							
	2797 PO-172390	06/08/2017 REIMB STAPLES		1	01-0000-0-4300-234-0000-2700-008-000	NN F	62.48	62.48
	2797 PO-172390	06/08/2017 REIMB- IPAD REPAIR		2	01-0000-0-5600-234-0000-2700-008-000	NN F	264.24	264.24
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				326.72 *			326.72
014426/00	JOSTENS INC.							
	2774 PO-172376	06/08/2017 20132804		1	01-0000-0-5800-475-3200-1000-015-000	NN F	182.29	182.29
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				182.29 *			182.29

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019280/00	KENNEDY, SOPHIA						
2761 PO-172364	06/08/2017	mileage					
			1	01-0000-0-5210-110-0000-7200-004-000	NN F	20.33	20.33
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		20.33 *			20.33
016042/00	L&H AIRCO						
2770 PO-172372	06/08/2017	9703					
			1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	375.00	375.00
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		375.00 *			375.00
017899/00	LAWSON, BECKY						
2693 PO-172300	06/07/2017	MAY MILEAGE					
			1	01-0000-0-5200-103-0000-2110-003-000	N P	13.91	13.91
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		13.91 *			13.91
019087/00	MCCARTY, MELADEE						
2651 PO-172258	06/07/2017	MAY					
			1	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NY P	1,300.00	1,300.00
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		1,300.00 *			1,300.00
019059/00	MILLENNIUM TERMITE & PEST						
111 PO-170178	06/07/2017	TR-71099					
			1	01-0000-0-5500-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	91.00	91.00
111 PO-170178	06/07/2017	TR-72628					
			1	01-0000-0-5500-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	57.00	57.00
111 PO-170178	06/07/2017	TR-72628					
			1	01-0000-0-5500-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	59.00	59.00
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		207.00 *			207.00
020461/00	MITCHELL, CYNDY						
2793 PO-172396	06/08/2017	REIMB-WASHING SUPPLIES					
			1	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	71.08	71.08
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		71.08 *			71.08
011143/00	NORTHWEST PUMP & EQUIPMENT CO						
2680 PO-172284	06/08/2017	2806087-00					
			1	01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	159.47	176.43
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		176.43 *			176.43

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015787/00	O'REILLY AUTO PARTS						
2577 PO-172177	06/08/2017	1333147	1 01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN P			471.71	471.71
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	471.71 *			471.71
021050/00	PACHECO, SHAWNA						
2787 PO-172388	06/08/2017	MILEAGE	1 01-3410-0-5210-472-1110-1000-003-000 NN F			31.03	31.03
2787 PO-172388	06/08/2017	POSTAGE	2 01-6520-0-5920-472-5770-1110-003-982 NN F			17.30	17.30
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	48.33 *			48.33
010131/00	PC PARTS PLUS						
1825 PO-171559	06/08/2017	4572	1 01-0000-0-4300-238-1110-1000-010-000 NN F			80.00	79.98
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	79.98 *			79.98
016692/00	PERFORMANCE CHEVROLET						
1472 PO-171259	06/07/2017	580213	1 01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN P			139.07	139.07
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	139.07 *			139.07
021249/00	PERRY, HEATHER						
2762 PO-172368	06/08/2017	reimb supplies	1 01-6500-0-4300-102-5770-1110-002-000 NN F			33.30	33.30
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	33.30 *			33.30
014069/00	PLATT ELECTRIC SUPPLY INC						
1606 PO-171398	06/08/2017	N159363	1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			678.83	678.83
1606 PO-171398	06/08/2017	N159718	1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			763.52	763.52
1606 PO-171398	06/08/2017	N201356	1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			321.10	321.10
1606 PO-171398	06/07/2017	N201213	1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			408.38	408.38
2778 PO-172380	06/08/2017	N159363	1 01-0000-0-4300-111-0000-8200-007-939 NN F			194.52	194.52
2780 PO-172382	06/08/2017	N172459	1 01-0000-0-4300-111-0000-8200-007-939 NN F			115.29	115.29
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	2,481.64 *			2,481.64
018535/00	POINT QUEST EDUCATION INC						
2601 PO-172211	06/07/2017	3001	1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN P			2,990.40	2,990.40
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	2,990.40 *			2,990.40

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2605 PO-172215	06/07/2017	160424		1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN F		4,018.80	4,810.80	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								4,810.80 *	4,810.80
021401/00	PRACTI-CAL INC								
2765 PO-172366	06/08/2017	338066		1 01-5640-0-5800-103-0000-3140-003-000	NN P		973.72	973.72	
2765 PO-172366	06/08/2017	338126		1 01-5640-0-5800-103-0000-3140-003-000	NN F		575.35	575.35	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								1,549.07 *	1,549.07
021194/00	PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY INC								
82 PO-170079	06/07/2017	180278593		1 01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P		67.73	67.73	
82 PO-170079	06/07/2017	180279226		1 01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P		67.73	67.73	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								135.46 *	135.46
019976/00	RAMIREZ, TRACY LAFAY								
2777 PO-172379	06/08/2017	MILEAGE		1 01-6500-0-5210-102-5060-2110-002-000	NN F		37.40	37.40	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								37.40 *	37.40
019951/00	ROBINSON, PAULA								
2766 PO-172367	06/08/2017	REIMB POSTAGE		1 01-0000-0-5920-102-0000-3130-003-000	NN F		8.97	8.97	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								8.97 *	8.97
010552/00	SAC VAL JANITORIAL								
2768 PO-172370	06/08/2017	10244354		1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P		1,928.45	1,928.45	
2768 PO-172370	06/08/2017	10244492		1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P		466.94	466.94	
2768 PO-172370	06/08/2017	10244495		1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P		1,958.49	1,958.49	
2768 PO-172370	06/08/2017	10245017		1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN F		646.12	96.22	
2782 PO-172384	06/06/2017	10245019		1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P		834.41	834.41	
2782 PO-172384	06/06/2017	10245030		1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P		932.86	932.86	
2782 PO-172384	06/08/2017	10245242		1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P		526.45	526.45	
2782 PO-172384	06/08/2017	10245270		1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P		706.63	706.63	
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TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								7,517.02 *	7,517.02

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017763/00	SCHOOLDUDE.COM						
2783 PO-172391	06/08/2017	INV-07976	1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	7,769.37	7,769.37
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						7,769.37 *	7,769.37
011500/00	SCHOOLS INSURANCE AUTHORITY						
FV-171089	06/08/2017	JUNE PREMIUM		01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN		50,659.82
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						50,659.82 *	50,659.82
017106/00	SCHOOLS INSURANCE AUTHORITY						
FV-171088	06/08/2017	JUNE PREMIUM		01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN		8,484.33
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						8,484.33 *	8,484.33
020811/00	SHRED-IT USA LLC						
499 PO-170430	06/07/2017	8122371060	1	01-0000-0-5800-472-0000-2700-014-000	NN P	38.57	38.57
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						38.57 *	38.57
017883/00	SIMPLEXGRINNELL LP						
867 PO-170755	06/08/2017	83733972	1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	174.56	174.56
867 PO-170755	06/08/2017	79438833	1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	170.47	170.47
867 PO-170755	06/08/2017	79438831	1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	170.47	170.47
867 PO-170755	06/08/2017	79438832	1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	213.07	213.07
867 PO-170755	06/08/2017	79438830	1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	170.47	170.47
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						899.04 *	899.04
010263/00	SMUD						
112 PO-170179	06/08/2017	7000000347	1	01-0000-0-5510-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	47,516.85	47,516.85
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						47,516.85 *	47,516.85
015259/00	SUNBELT RENTALS INC						
414 PO-170363	06/07/2017	69477861-002	1	01-0000-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	440.44	440.44
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						440.44 *	440.44

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014079/00	THYSSENKRUPP ELEVATOR CORP							
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2630 PO-172242	06/07/2017	3003237068		1	01-8150-0-5600-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	280.14	280.14
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								1,310.31
011554/00	TRACTOR SUPPLY CO							
1057 PO-170910	06/07/2017	200182661		1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	36.74	36.74
1057 PO-170910	06/07/2017	200189450		1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	10.98	10.98
1057 PO-170910	06/07/2017	200189671		1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	53.97	53.97
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								101.69
018567/00	TRULITE GLASS & ALUMINUM SOL.							
35 PO-170034	06/07/2017	121323983		1	01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	460.38	460.38
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								460.38
016370/00	TWIN RIVERS UNIFIED SCH DIST							
817 PO-170741	06/07/2017	172234		1	01-0000-0-5800-105-0000-8300-005-000	NN P	11,833.37	11,833.37
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								11,833.37
021111/00	ULINE							
2794 PO-172397	06/08/2017	87342242		1	01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8200-007-000	NN F	77.48	77.48
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								77.48
018071/00	VOTAW, ASHLEY							
2764 PO-172365	06/08/2017	MILEAGE		1	01-6520-0-5200-472-5770-1110-003-000	NN F	41.84	41.84
2784 PO-172386	06/08/2017	MILEAGE		1	01-3410-0-5210-472-1110-1000-003-000	NN F	10.81	10.81
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								52.65
010843/00	WILCO SUPPLY							
2281 PO-171900	06/07/2017	9062342-00		1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	168.84	168.84
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								168.84

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014397/00		WORKABILITY REGION 4									
2785	PO-172387	06/08/2017	CENTER PRINTING AT ELK GROVE	1	01-6520-0-5800-472-5770-1110-003-982	NN F				50.00	50.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			50.00 *					50.00
			TOTAL FUND	PAYMENT		224,851.80 **					224,851.80
			TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT			630.06					

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010669/00		ALHAMBRA & SIERRA SPRINGS										
	456 PO-170397	06/08/2017	4779099052617		1 09-0700-0-4300-503-1110-1000-018-000 NN F						60.64	42.67
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							42.67
					TOTAL FUND PAYMENT							42.67

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2694 PO-172304	06/08/2017	HWR3971			1 11-6391-0-4400-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN F		1,491.66	1,463.73	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT									1,463.73 *	
018015/00	TOMPKINS, SHELLEY									
2772 PO-172375	06/06/2017	MILEAGE			1 11-6391-0-5210-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN F		82.28	82.28	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT									82.28 *	
TOTAL FUND PAYMENT									1,546.01 **	1,546.01

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022586/00	D&P Creamery						
194 PO-170167	06/08/2017	0050135	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,499.60	1,499.60
194 PO-170167	06/08/2017	0050105	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,489.35	1,489.35
194 PO-170167	06/08/2017	0050110	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,489.17	1,489.17
194 PO-170167	06/08/2017	0050125	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,393.80	1,393.80
194 PO-170167	06/08/2017	0050120	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,240.27	1,240.27
194 PO-170167	06/08/2017	0050130	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,003.34	1,003.34
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						8,115.53 *	8,115.53
011613/00	DITTO PRINT & COPY						
552 PO-170472	06/07/2017	5471	1	13-5310-0-5800-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	152.25	152.25
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						152.25 *	152.25
021080/00	GOLD STAR FOODS INC						
2616 PO-172220	06/07/2017	1961421	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	6,534.50	6,534.50
2616 PO-172220	06/07/2017	1146375	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN M	0.00	1,228.14-
2616 PO-172220	06/07/2017	1146410	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN M	0.00	101.85-
2616 PO-172220	06/07/2017	2068102	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,473.85	1,473.85
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						6,678.36 *	6,678.36
017267/00	LASER AGE						
2790 PO-172393	06/08/2017	84226	1	13-5310-0-4300-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	117.45	117.45
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						117.45 *	117.45
019993/00	PROPACIFIC FRESH						
94 PO-170106	06/07/2017	62230	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	2,101.33	2,101.33
94 PO-170106	06/07/2017	61883	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,011.52	1,011.52
94 PO-170106	06/07/2017	61188	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,709.92	1,709.92
94 PO-170106	06/07/2017	61169	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,727.52	1,727.52
94 PO-170106	06/07/2017	60507	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,424.31	1,424.31
94 PO-170106	06/07/2017	60270	1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	3,383.32	3,383.32
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010005/00	ACHIEVE3000 INC	223772922					
2685 PO-172303	06/15/2017	32403	1	01-3010-0-5800-475-3200-1000-015-000	YN F	3,210.95	2,980.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						2,980.00 *	2,980.00
TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT						230.95	
010002/00	ALDAR ACADEMY						
836 PO-170730	06/14/2017	MAY 2017	1	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN P	2,911.60	2,911.60
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						2,911.60 *	2,911.60
010669/00	ALHAMBRA & SIERRA SPRINGS						
474 PO-170417	06/14/2017	47080794060117	1	01-0000-0-4300-110-0000-7200-004-000	NN F	36.69	43.65
608 PO-170529	06/14/2017	4780818060617	1	01-0000-0-4300-105-0000-7200-005-000	NN P	36.17	36.17
2564 PO-172167	06/14/2017	4781839060117	1	01-0000-0-4300-475-3200-1000-015-000	NN P	51.14	51.14
2699 PO-172307	06/14/2017	4781257060117	1	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	61.62	61.62
2700 PO-172308	06/14/2017	4782453060117	1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	96.10	96.10
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						288.68 *	288.68
017075/00	AMERICAN RIVER SPEECH INC.						
840 PO-170731	06/14/2017	MAY 2017	1	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN F	25,248.30	2,349.40
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						2,349.40 *	2,349.40
010564/00	APPLE COMPUTER						
2688 PO-172288	06/16/2017	4440588779	1	01-0000-0-4400-110-0000-7200-004-000	NN P	952.12	952.12
2688 PO-172288	06/15/2017	4438981924	1	01-0000-0-4400-110-0000-7200-004-000	NN F	106.68	106.67
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						1,058.79 *	1,058.79
021604/00	ATLAS DISPOSAL INDUSTRIES						
91 PO-170174	06/15/2017	149404	1	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	206.45	206.45
91 PO-170174	06/15/2017	149403	1	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	500.77	500.77
91 PO-170174	06/15/2017	149402	1	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	378.85	378.85
91 PO-170174	06/15/2017	149401	1	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	230.30	230.30
91 PO-170174	06/15/2017	149400	1	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	241.07	241.07
91 PO-170174	06/12/2017	149399	1	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	595.45	595.45
91 PO-170174	06/15/2017	149398	1	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	1,139.46	1,139.46
91 PO-170174	06/15/2017	149397	1	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	423.61	423.61
91 PO-170174	06/15/2017	1031	1	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	168.05	168.05

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010442/00	BAR HEIN							
46	PO-170045	06/15/2017 525198		1	01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 N P		599.51	599.51
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					599.51 *			599.51
013988/00	BUTTES/CENTER STATE PIPE &							
11	PO-170010	06/15/2017 S009619365.001		1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P		91.87	91.87
11	PO-170010	06/15/2017 S009622952.001		1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P		248.09	248.09
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					339.96 *			339.96
021678/00	CAPITOL ACADEMY							
995	PO-170864	06/15/2017 CA0236, CA0223		1	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN F		1,627.20	1,627.20
2808	PO-172410	06/15/2017 CA0236,CA0223- BAL		1	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN F		2,198.40	2,198.40
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					3,825.60 *			3,825.60
016261/00	CEBULA RN, GAIL							
2517	PO-172111	06/14/2017 MAY MILEAGE		1	01-0000-0-5210-102-0000-3140-003-000 NN F		179.88	36.49
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					36.49 *			36.49
018180/00	CITRUS HEIGHTS SAW & MOWER							
47	PO-170046	06/15/2017 394416		1	01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P		305.72	305.72
47	PO-170046	06/15/2017 395094		1	01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P		270.41	270.41
2800	PO-172402	06/15/2017 394417		1	01-0000-0-4400-106-0000-8200-007-000 NN F		3,528.81	3,528.81
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					4,104.94 *			4,104.94
010236/00	CREATIVE BUS SALES							
68	PO-170066	06/12/2017 statement balance		1	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN P		443.19	443.19
2799	PO-172401	06/15/2017 8020569		2	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F		849.04	849.04
2799	PO-172401	06/15/2017 8020569		1	01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F		1,071.40	1,071.40
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					2,363.63 *			2,363.63

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010336/00	ECOTECH PEST MANAGEMENT INC						
1938 PO-171634	06/14/2017	15324					
			2 01-0000-0-5500-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			1,102.00	787.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	787.00 *			787.00
010408/00	FERRELLGAS						
72 PO-170070	06/15/2017	RNT6914970					
			1 01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN P			12.00	12.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	12.00 *			12.00
018992/00	GREEN ACRES NURSERY & SUPPLY						
56 PO-170054	06/15/2017	01-001-32396					
			1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			985.64	985.64
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	985.64 *			985.64
017718/00	GUIDING HANDS INC.						
2484 PO-172084	06/14/2017	4414					
2484 PO-172084	06/14/2017	4392					
2484 PO-172084	06/14/2017	4426					
			1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN P			180.00	180.00
			1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN P			6,469.71	6,469.71
			1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN P			100.00	100.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	6,749.71 *			6,749.71
014431/00	HEAR SAY SPEECH AND LANGUAGE						
2604 PO-172213	06/14/2017	1354					
			1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN F			1,140.00	380.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	380.00 *			380.00
014507/00	HORIZON DISTRIBUTORS						
54 PO-170052	06/15/2017	2A132235					
			1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			1,468.81	1,482.66
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,482.66 *			1,482.66
017603/00	HUNT, CAROL						
389 PO-170348	06/12/2017	mileage Feb-Jun					
			1 01-0000-0-5200-101-0000-7150-002-000 NN F			34.45	28.25
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	28.25 *			28.25

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014645/00	JOHNSON, KATIE						
2786 PO-172407	06/15/2017	PARKING	1 01-3410-0-5200-472-1110-1000-003-000 NN F			14.00	14.00
2786 PO-172407	06/14/2017	MILEAGE	2 01-3410-0-5210-472-1110-1000-003-000 NN F			26.64	26.64
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		40.64 *			40.64
017899/00	LAWSON, BECKY						
2801 PO-172403	06/15/2017	reimb lunch items	1 01-0000-0-4300-103-0000-7200-003-000 N F			355.52	355.52
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		355.52 *			355.52
021954/00	MATERIAL HANDLING SYSTEMS INC						
2425 PO-172039	06/12/2017	34439	1 01-6387-0-4400-472-1110-1000-014-000 NN F			4,047.90	4,047.90
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		4,047.90 *			4,047.90
022406/00	MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC						
2607 PO-172217	06/14/2017	4989430262	1 01-0000-0-5800-102-0000-3140-003-000 NN P			820.00	820.00
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		820.00 *			820.00
016087/00	MICHAEL'S TRANSPORTATION SERV.						
2538 PO-172141	06/13/2017	97598	1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F			1,562.50	1,562.50
2802 PO-172404	06/15/2017	97598	1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN P			2,487.50	2,487.50
2802 PO-172404	06/15/2017	97687	1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN P			4,050.00	4,050.00
2802 PO-172404	06/13/2017	97889	1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F			3,645.00	3,645.00
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		11,745.00 *			11,745.00
017315/00	NAPA AUTO PARTS - GENUINE AUTO						
2773 PO-172373	06/15/2017	ACCOUNT 1850	1 01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN P			1,098.58	1,098.58
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		1,098.58 *			1,098.58
021511/00	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY FOR						
2602 PO-172212	06/14/2017	MAY 2017	1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN F			280.00	160.00
		TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		160.00 *			160.00

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011345/00	PLACER LEARNING CENTER							
2807 PO-172409	06/14/2017	MAY 2017			1 01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN F		30,617.02	30,617.02
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	30,617.02 *		30,617.02
021194/00	PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY INC							
82 PO-170079	06/14/2017	180279798			1 01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F		1,668.39	67.73
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	67.73 *		67.73
010627/00	RIVERVIEW INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS							
2592 PO-172202	06/15/2017	932984			1 01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN P		78.73	78.73
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	78.73 *		78.73
010266/00	SACRAMENTO COUNTY UTILITIES							
122 PO-170093	06/15/2017	50000185866			1 01-0000-0-5520-106-0000-8110-007-000 N P		844.26	844.26
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	844.26 *		844.26
018297/00	SCHOOL SERVICES OF CALIFORNIA							
1985 PO-171673	06/15/2017	W095495-IN			1 01-0000-0-5200-105-0000-7200-005-000 NN F		330.00	330.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	330.00 *		330.00
014786/00	SCHOOL SPECIALTY							
2438 PO-172045	06/15/2017	308102727532			1 01-6300-0-4300-475-3200-1000-015-000 NN F		683.65	421.38
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	421.38 *		421.38
022255/00	SECURE TRANSPORTATION							
2231 PO-171849	06/14/2017	42869410001			1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F		3,708.00	1,154.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,154.00 *		1,154.00
017883/00	SIMPLEXGRINNELL LP							
867 PO-170755	06/14/2017	79467200			1 01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F		203.31	405.12
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	405.12 *		405.12

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018967/00	SPRINT CUSTOMER SERVICE								
	374 PO-170336	06/15/2017	811116315-187	1	01-0000-0-5930-101-0000-7150-002-000	NN P	94.21	94.21	
	493 PO-170653	06/15/2017	811116315-187	1	01-0000-0-5930-102-0000-3140-003-000	NN P	10.83	10.83	
	1514 PO-171297	06/15/2017	811116315-187	1	01-0000-0-5930-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	167.31	167.31	
	1681 PO-171442	06/13/2017	811116315-187	1	01-0000-0-5930-102-0000-3140-003-000	NN P	84.21	84.21	
	1941 PO-171636	06/13/2017	811116315-187	1	01-0000-0-5930-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN P	139.35	139.35	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							495.91 *	495.91
017943/00	STAR ENERGY MANAGEMENT INC								
	2640 PO-172252	06/14/2017	17-01B	1	01-6230-0-6243-106-0000-8100-007-165	NN P	28,296.79	28,296.79	
	2640 PO-172252	06/14/2017	17-01A	1	01-6230-0-6243-106-0000-8100-007-165	NN P	171,110.07	171,110.07	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							199,406.86 *	199,406.86
020465/00	SUPPORTED LIFE INSTITUTE								
	2008 PO-171696	06/14/2017	MAY 2017	1	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN F	1,741.50	903.00	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							903.00 *	903.00
010139/00	Troxell Communications Inc								
	2511 PO-172137	06/15/2017	955364	1	01-6300-0-4400-234-1110-1000-008-000	NN P	15,720.84	15,720.84	
	2511 PO-172137	06/12/2017	964018	1	01-6300-0-4400-234-1110-1000-008-000	NN F	1,728.00	1,872.00	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							17,592.84 *	17,592.84
015190/00	Troxell Communications, Inc.								
	2726 PO-172329	06/15/2017	962217, 962418	2	01-0370-0-4300-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN F	341.03	341.04	
	2726 PO-172329	06/15/2017	962080	1	01-0370-0-4400-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN F	708.99	709.00	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							1,050.04 *	1,050.04
018567/00	Trulite Glass & Aluminum Sol.								
	35 PO-170034	06/15/2017	121347089	1	01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	23.10	23.10	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							23.10 *	23.10

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016370/00	TWIN RIVERS UNIFIED SCH DIST								
2798 PO-172400	06/15/2017	172148		1 01-0000-0-5800-106-0000-8300-007-000 NN F			110.00	110.00	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								110.00 *	110.00
015191/00	WACHOB, CYNTHIA								
165 PO-170144	06/14/2017	MAY MILEAGE		1 01-6500-0-5200-102-5060-2110-002-000 N P			147.24	147.24	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								147.24 *	147.24
016889/00	WATER RITE PRODUCTS INC.								
58 PO-170056	06/15/2017	629086		1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			500.00	499.18	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								499.18 *	499.18
TOTAL FUND PAYMENT								307,581.92 **	307,581.92
TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT								230.95	

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018951/00	DELL								
2695	PO-172301	06/15/2017	10167260274		1 11-6391-0-4400-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN F	20,726.66	20,516.63	
2698	PO-172302	06/15/2017	10168041957		1 11-6391-0-4400-601-4130-1000-017-000	NN F	3,034.97	2,999.59	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT								23,516.22 *	23,516.22
TOTAL FUND PAYMENT								23,516.22 **	23,516.22

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FUND : 13 CAFETERIA FUND

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021080/00	GOLD STAR FOODS INC							
2616 PO-172220	06/15/2017	2072463		1	13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	4,188.37	4,188.37
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					4,188.37 *			4,188.37
022364/00	HEARTLAND SCHOOL SOLUTIONS							
192 PO-170165	06/15/2017	HSS0000030177		1	13-5310-0-5300-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	558.90	558.90
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					558.90 *			558.90
021194/00	PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY INC							
101 PO-170111	06/14/2017	180279797		1	13-5310-0-5800-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	77.75	77.75
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					77.75 *			77.75
018967/00	SPRINT CUSTOMER SERVICE							
123 PO-170114	06/15/2017	811113615-187		1	13-5310-0-5930-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	4.89	4.89
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					4.89 *			4.89
TOTAL FUND PAYMENT					4,829.91 **			4,829.91
TOTAL BATCH PAYMENT					335,928.05 ***	0.00		335,928.05
TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT					230.95			
TOTAL DISTRICT PAYMENT					335,928.05 ****	0.00		335,928.05
TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT					230.95			
TOTAL FOR ALL DISTRICTS:					335,928.05 ****	0.00		335,928.05
TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT					230.95			

Number of warrants to be printed: 48, not counting voids due to stub overflows.

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P	OBJE SIT	GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MP		
016783/00	AMERICAN EAGLE ENTERPRISES						
2758 PO-172385	06/19/2017	3140	1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	1,250.00	1,250.00
2758 PO-172385	06/22/2017	3141	1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	3,150.00	3,150.00
2758 PO-172385	06/19/2017	3142	1	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	1,650.00	1,650.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						6,050.00 *	6,050.00
022066/00	ARROW PLUMBING INC						
2830 PO-172431	06/22/2017	21796	2	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	633.48	633.48
2830 PO-172431	06/22/2017	21796	1	01-8150-0-5600-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	1,568.00	1,568.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						2,201.48 *	2,201.48
015121/00	B.J. FLOORING INC						
2820 PO-172422	06/22/2017	2009529	1	01-8150-0-5600-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	20,328.00	20,328.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						20,328.00 *	20,328.00
015718/00	BASIC PACIFIC						
PV-171090	06/22/2017	6-30-17 premium		01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN		1,076.66
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						1,076.66 *	1,076.66
021235/00	BECKER, LEE ANN						
2682 PO-172291	06/22/2017	May mileage	1	01-0000-0-5210-102-0000-3140-003-000	NN F	400.00	59.28
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						59.28 *	59.28
010575/00	CAPITOL CLUTCH & BRAKE INC.						
66 PO-170064	06/22/2017	1464649	1	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	3,288.07	71.01
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						71.01 *	71.01
016082/00	CARMAZZI GLOBAL SOLUTIONS						
1835 PO-171552	06/22/2017	17-23127	1	01-0000-0-5800-103-4760-1000-003-740	NN F	405.00	68.15
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						68.15 *	68.15

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013928/00	CINTAS LOCATION 622						
516 PO-170441	06/22/2017	622774531	1 01-0000-0-5800-111-0000-8200-007-000	NN F		183.69	183.69
516 PO-170441	06/22/2017	622779589	1 01-0000-0-5800-111-0000-8200-007-000	NN F		28.88	28.88
2415 PO-172021	06/22/2017	622779589	1 01-0000-0-5800-111-0000-8200-007-000	NN P		148.08	148.08
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						360.65 *	360.65
014557/00	COLLEGE OAK TOW & TRANSPORT						
67 PO-170065	06/22/2017	499642	1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P		260.00	260.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						260.00 *	260.00
016320/00	COLLIER, ALYSON						
2815 PO-172420	06/22/2017	REIMB-SUPPLIES-TREATS	1 01-9315-0-4300-601-1110-1000-017-000	NN F		338.94	338.94
2816 PO-172421	06/22/2017	REIMB ITEMS FOR CLOTHES CLOSET	1 01-5630-0-4300-601-1421-1000-017-000	NN F		3,525.16	3,525.16
2825 PO-172426	06/22/2017	reimb-supplies	1 01-5630-0-4300-601-1421-1000-017-000	NN F		411.40	411.40
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						4,275.50 *	4,275.50
015415/00	COMPLIANCE SIGNS.COM						
2792 PO-172395	06/22/2017	64466	1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	YN F		32.21	30.50
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						30.50 *	30.50
TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT						2.36	
016761/00	CPM EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM						
2679 PO-172295	06/22/2017	1701450-IN	1 01-0037-0-4100-103-1110-1000-003-000	NN F		762.58	760.05
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						760.05 *	760.05
014138/00	DIESEL EMISSIONS SERVICE						
70 PO-170068	06/22/2017	W 3-37033	1 01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F		937.41	250.34
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						250.34 *	250.34
021610/00	EATON INTERPRETING SERVICES						
1690 PO-171448	06/21/2017	302019	1 01-0000-0-5800-103-4760-1000-003-740	NN F		557.50	223.13
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						223.13 *	223.13

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010592/00	EWING IRRIGATION PRODUCTS						
2330 PO-171942	06/22/2017	3529857					
			1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	F	1,526.83	1,572.31
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				1,572.31
015636/00	HASTIE'S SAND AND GRAVEL						
559 PO-170485	06/19/2017	150845					
			1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	N	P	171.60	171.60
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				171.60
021775/00	HD SUPPLY FACILITIES MAINT.						
19 PO-170018	06/22/2017	9153933515					
			1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	P	817.88	817.88
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				817.88
017002/00	HOME DEPOT CREDIT SERVICES						
52 PO-170050	06/22/2017	9024858					
1559 PO-171337	06/22/2017	8022253					
1559 PO-171337	06/22/2017	8012198					
1559 PO-171337	06/22/2017	8012213					
1559 PO-171337	06/22/2017	70233670					
1559 PO-171337	06/22/2017	6012474					
1559 PO-171337	06/22/2017	9073703					
1559 PO-171337	06/21/2017	3584001					
1559 PO-171337	06/22/2017	2240666					
1559 PO-171337	06/22/2017	1014702					
1559 PO-171337	06/22/2017	1020849					
2795 PO-172398	06/22/2017	1014702					
			1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	F	55.61	179.27
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			1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	P	47.80	47.80
			1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	P	23.61	23.61
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			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				1,093.63
010355/00	KAISER FOUNDATION HEALTH PLAN						
PV-171091	06/22/2017	insurance premium					
			01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN			191,994.86
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				191,994.86
010609/00	KELLY MOORE PAINT COMPANY INC						
24 PO-170023	06/22/2017	202-0000369457					
			1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	P	297.93	297.93
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				297.93

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Req Reference	Date				FD RESO P	OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MP		
014909/00	LANE, DOROTHY							
2657 PO-172264	06/22/2017	trip 1385			1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	11.33	11.33
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							11.33 *	11.33
022230/00	MANAGED HEALTH NETWORK							
246 PO-170215	06/22/2017	prm-009198			1 01-0000-0-3401-100-1110-1000-000-000	NN F	2,311.82	983.06
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							983.06 *	983.06
022406/00	MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC							
2607 PO-172217	06/22/2017	5010770262			1 01-0000-0-5800-102-0000-3140-003-000	NN F	667.00	667.00
2822 PO-172424	06/22/2017	5021250262			1 01-0000-0-5800-102-0000-3140-003-000	NN P	2,359.00	2,359.00
2822 PO-172424	06/22/2017	5010770262			1 01-0000-0-5800-102-0000-3140-003-000	NN P	891.00	891.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							3,917.00 *	3,917.00
021417/00	MRB ENTERPRISES							
2829 PO-172430	06/22/2017	217015			1 01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NY F	5,550.00	5,550.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							5,550.00 *	5,550.00
015085/00	NOR-CAL ASPHALT							
2707 PO-172315	06/22/2017	2989			1 01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	26,276.40	26,276.40
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							26,276.40 *	26,276.40
017576/00	OFFICE DEPOT							
2556 PO-172185	06/20/2017	923664293001			1 01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	536.45	536.45
2556 PO-172185	06/22/2017	923664297001			1 01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	5.56	5.56
2556 PO-172185	06/22/2017	923664293002			1 01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN F	6.28	7.69
2563 PO-172186	06/22/2017	923665488001			1 01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	18.02	18.02
2563 PO-172186	06/22/2017	923665486004			1 01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	2.25	2.25
2563 PO-172186	06/22/2017	925542876001			1 01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	46.31	46.31
2563 PO-172186	06/22/2017	923665486002			1 01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	81.89	81.89
2563 PO-172186	06/22/2017	923665486003			1 01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN P	266.68	266.68
2563 PO-172186	06/22/2017	923665486001			1 01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN F	3,478.65	3,715.17
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT							4,680.02 *	4,680.02

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P	OBJE SIT	GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MP		
015456/00	PRECISION CONCRETE CUTTING						
2623 PO-172232	06/22/2017	48528	1	01-0000-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	1,000.00	1,000.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						1,000.00 *	1,000.00
021194/00	PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY INC						
82 PO-170079	06/21/2017	180280369	2	01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	67.73	67.73
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						67.73 *	67.73
010552/00	SAC VAL JANITORIAL						
2782 PO-172384	06/22/2017	10246628	1	01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	920.32	920.32
2782 PO-172384	06/22/2017	10246184	1	01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	441.78	441.78
2782 PO-172384	06/22/2017	10246185	1	01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	423.53	423.53
2782 PO-172384	06/22/2017	10246544	1	01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	550.64	550.64
2782 PO-172384	06/22/2017	10246002	1	01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	184.36	184.36
2782 PO-172384	06/22/2017	10246540	1	01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	709.21	709.21
2782 PO-172384	06/22/2017	10247646	1	01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN F	168.24	93.79
2826 PO-172427	06/22/2017	10247272	1	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	232.50	232.50
2828 PO-172429	06/22/2017	10246502	1	01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	276.62	276.62
2828 PO-172429	06/22/2017	10245991	1	01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN F	323.38	410.78
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						4,243.53 *	4,243.53
018912/00	SAFETY-KLEEN CORPORATION						
2819 PO-172413	06/22/2017	73709656	1	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	764.95	764.95
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						764.95 *	764.95
010373/00	SCHOOLS INSURANCE AUTHORITY						
568 PO-170489	06/22/2017	2017UST-KAM.26	1	01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	150.00	150.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						150.00 *	150.00
015240/00	SF CABLE						
2824 PO-172414	06/22/2017	362900	1	01-0370-0-4300-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN F	341.40	341.81
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						341.81 *	341.81

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FUND : 01 GENERAL FUND

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020983/00	SIERRA PACIFIC TURF SUPPLY							
	57 PO-170055	06/22/2017 0505101-in		1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			2,178.79	1,932.93
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				1,932.93
017883/00	SIMPLEXGRINNELL LP							
	2821 PO-172423	06/22/2017 83767342		1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			739.17	739.17
	2821 PO-172423	06/22/2017 83767342		2 01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			364.25	364.25
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				1,103.42
014558/00	SPURR							
	2535 PO-172123	06/20/2017 83453		1 01-0000-0-5515-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			1,776.54	1,776.54
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				1,776.54
016801/00	SUNRISE ENVIRONMENTAL							
	2823 PO-172425	06/22/2017 75577		1 01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F			597.55	597.55
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				597.55
017713/00	THERMO KING							
	2817 PO-172411	06/22/2017 W03042-60		2 01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F			4,629.80	4,629.80
	2817 PO-172411	06/22/2017 W03042-60		1 01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F			85.00	85.00
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				4,714.80
018015/00	TOMPKINS, SHELLEY							
	2813 PO-172419	06/20/2017 CALCULATORS		1 01-5630-0-4300-601-1421-1000-017-000 NN F			343.87	343.87
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				343.87
018567/00	TRULITE GLASS & ALUMINUM SOL.							
	35 PO-170034	06/22/2017 12136325		1 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			51.72	51.72
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				51.72

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Req Reference	Date				FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MP			

011190/00	UNIVERSAL SPECIALTIES INC							
36	PO-170035	06/22/2017	78129		1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P		171.28	171.28
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	171.28 *		171.28
016252/00	WALTON ENGINEERING INC							
2818	PO-172412	06/22/2017	36144		1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F		1,864.00	1,864.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,864.00 *		1,864.00
018500/00	WARREN CONSULTING ENGINEERS							
2454	PO-172057	06/22/2017	37173		1 01-0000-0-5800-106-0000-7200-007-000 NN P		66.95	66.95
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	66.95 *		66.95
022221/00	WESTERN HEALTH ADVANTAGE							
	PV-171092	06/22/2017	JULY 2017		01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000 NN			131,891.78
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	131,891.78 *		131,891.78
017313/00	XEROX							
726	PO-170624	06/22/2017	7149057-001		1 01-0000-0-5800-115-0000-8200-007-992 NN P		35,234.31	35,234.31
727	PO-170625	06/22/2017	300436313a,300438801		1 01-0000-0-4300-115-0000-8200-007-992 NN F		65,702.76	8,704.46
2691	PO-172299	06/22/2017	230051138		1 01-0000-0-5800-115-1920-8200-007-000 NN P		2,105.98	2,105.98
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	46,044.75 *		46,044.75
					TOTAL FUND PAYMENT	470,508.38 **		470,508.38
					TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT	2.36		

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FUND : 11 ADULT EDUCATION FUND

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016320/00	COLLIER, ALYSON							
2810	PO-172416	06/22/2017 REIMB TRAVEL EXPENSES		1 11-6392-0-5200-601-4130-1000-017-000 NN F			3,036.33	3,036.33
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	3,036.33 *			3,036.33
015172/00	FRENCH, DAVID L.							
2811	PO-172417	06/22/2017 travel expense		1 11-6392-0-5200-601-4130-1000-017-000 NN F			91.11	91.11
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	91.11 *			91.11
022497/00	PETRASHISHIN, IRINA							
2812	PO-172418	06/22/2017 TRAVEL EXPENSE		1 11-6392-0-5200-601-4130-1000-017-000 NN F			364.63	364.63
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	364.63 *			364.63
018015/00	TOMPKINS, SHELLEY							
2809	PO-172415	06/22/2017 TRAVEL EXPENSES		1 11-6392-0-5200-601-4130-1000-017-000 NN F			455.77	455.77
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	455.77 *			455.77
				TOTAL FUND	PAYMENT			3,947.84
								3,947.84 **

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BATCH: 0069 6-22-17
FUND : 21 BUILDING FUND

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO	P OBJE	SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MP		

019627/00	NACHT & LEWIS ARCHITECTS						
2626 PO-172235	06/22/2017	0002					
			1	21-0000-0-5800-106-0000-8100-007-000	NN P	2,250.00	2,250.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				2,250.00
							2,250.00
021105/00	SIGNATURE REPROGRAPHICS INC						
2827 PO-172428	06/22/2017	250640					
			1	21-0000-0-5800-106-9175-8100-007-000	NN F	163.46	163.46
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				163.46
							163.46
			TOTAL FUND	PAYMENT		2,413.46	**
							2,413.46
			TOTAL BATCH PAYMENT		481,381.00	***	0.00
			TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT		2.36		481,381.00
			TOTAL DISTRICT PAYMENT		481,381.00	****	0.00
			TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT		2.36		481,381.00
			TOTAL FOR ALL DISTRICTS:		481,381.00	****	0.00
			TOTAL USE TAX AMOUNT		2.36		481,381.00

Number of warrants to be printed: 54, not counting voids due to stub overflows.

Center Joint Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Business Department

Date: July, 2017

To: Board of Trustees

From: Lisa Coronado

Action Item

Information Item

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SUBJECT: Supplemental Agenda – Commercial Warrant Registers

July 13 2017, \$327,817.39, July 20, 2017, \$601,967.81

The commercial warrant payments to vendors total

\$ 929,785.20

RECOMMENDATION: That the CJUSD Board of Trustees approve the Supplemental Agenda – Vendor Warrants as presented

CONSENT AGENDA

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Batch status: A All

From batch: 0001

To batch: 0001

Include Revolving Cash: Y

Include Address: N

Include Object Desc: N

Include Vendor TIN: Y

Include Audit Date and Time in Sort: N

Vendor/Addr	Remit name	Description	Tax ID num	Deposit type	ABA num	Account num	Liq Amt	Net Amount
Req Reference	Date				FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS			
020482/00	A 1	JANITORIAL SUPPLY						
98	PO-180055	07/13/2017	137934					
				1	01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	169.00	169.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			169.00
								169.00
010669/00	ALHAMBRA & SIERRA SPRINGS							
	CL-178005	07/13/2017	14871405061617					
	CL-178007	07/13/2017	4781839062917		01-0000-0-4300-103-0000-7200-003-000	NN F	275.79	63.20
	CL-178008	07/13/2017	4781257062917		01-0000-0-4300-475-3200-1000-015-000	NN F	78.29	25.68
	CL-178009	07/13/2017	4782453062917		01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	63.38	49.64
	CL-178115	07/13/2017	14871405061617		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	78.90	88.61
					01-0000-0-4300-110-0000-7200-004-000	NN F	42.15	42.15
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			269.28
								269.28
019769/00	AMERICAN EXPRESS							
	CL-178010	07/13/2017	0-03000					
					01-0000-0-4300-101-0000-7150-002-000	NN F	279.00	279.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			279.00
								279.00
010400/00	AT&T							
	CL-178011	07/13/2017	81008413					
					01-0000-0-5930-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	17.21	9.31
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			9.31
								9.31
018533/00	ATKINSON ANDELSON LOYA RUDD							
	CL-178012	07/13/2017	523306					
					01-0000-0-5880-105-0000-7200-005-000	NE P	41,015.63	41,015.63
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			41,015.63
								41,015.63
010150/00	BURKETT'S OFFICE SUPPLIES							
	CL-178016	07/13/2017	1329197-0					
					01-0000-0-5800-105-0000-7200-005-000	NN F	21.50	21.50
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			21.50
								21.50
020540/00	CALIFORNIA AMERICAN WATER CO							
	CL-178020	07/13/2017	1015-210038466358					
					01-0000-0-5520-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	80,000.00	78,486.40
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			78,486.40
								78,486.40

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS				
010155/00	CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY						
66 PO-180072	07/13/2017	#101612087,101510341	1 01-0000-0-5200-472-0000-2700-014-000 NN F			170.00	170.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						170.00 *	170.00
019750/00	CAPITAL PROGRAM MGMT INC						
PO-170542	07/11/2017	#29	1 01-6230-0-5800-106-9623-8500-007-000 NN P			6,750.00	6,750.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						6,750.00 *	6,750.00
020305/00	CDW GOVERNMENT INC.						
CL-178025	07/13/2017	HWB1262	01-0000-0-4400-472-0000-2700-014-000 NN P			1,161.39	1,161.39
CL-178025	07/13/2017	HXV2835	01-0000-0-4400-472-0000-2700-014-000 NN P			82.96	82.96
CL-178025	07/13/2017	HZX2222	01-0000-0-4400-472-0000-2700-014-000 NN P			82.96	82.96
7 PO-180007	07/12/2017	JKM7458	1 01-0000-0-4300-114-0000-8200-007-000 NN F			11.87	11.87
7 PO-180007	07/12/2017	JKM7458	2 01-0000-0-4400-114-0000-8200-007-000 NN F			645.44	645.44
7 PO-180007	07/12/2017	JKM7458	3 01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8200-007-000 NN F			31.98	31.98
7 PO-180007	07/12/2017	JKM7458	4 01-0000-0-4400-106-0000-8200-007-000 NN F			1,263.65	1,258.14
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						3,274.74 *	3,274.74
013928/00	CINTAS LOCATION 622						
108 PO-180057	07/13/2017	622784719	1 01-0000-0-5800-111-0000-8200-007-000 NN P			175.61	175.61
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						175.61 *	175.61
021813/00	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS						
CL-178096	07/07/2017	916-773-4131/0	01-0000-0-5930-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			1,500.00	711.37
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						711.37 *	711.37
015735/00	COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO						
CL-178113	07/13/2017	INV 19089	01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			25.00	25.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						25.00 *	25.00
018507/00	DILES, JACQUELYN						
CL-178037	07/13/2017	MAY -JUNE MILEAGE	01-0000-0-5210-105-0000-7200-005-000 NN F			71.38	51.48
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						51.48 *	51.48

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC	RES DEP T9MPS			
018986/00	EREFLECT PTY LTD						
CL-178125	07/13/2017	INV-17121	01-0000-0-5800-472-0000-2700-014-000	NN F	800.00	800.00	800.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	800.00 *			
017423/00	FRANKLIN COVEY CO						
CL-178111	07/13/2017	32287452	01-6300-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN F	476.96	476.99	476.99
CL-178112	07/13/2017	32288212	01-3010-0-4300-236-1110-1000-009-000	NN F	879.24	879.24	879.24
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,356.23 *			1,356.23
017718/00	GUIDING HANDS INC.						
CL-178046	07/13/2017	4463	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN F	2,215.31	2,156.57	2,156.57
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	2,156.57 *			
010609/00	KELLY MOORE PAINT COMPANY INC						
CL-178054	07/13/2017	203-0000266305	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	118.15	118.15	118.15
CL-178118	07/13/2017	203-0000266305	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	143.15	143.65	143.65
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	261.80 *			261.80
021914/00	LOY MATTISON ENTERPRISES						
CL-178055	07/13/2017	050117063017	01-0000-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NY F	2,000.00	862.50	862.50
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	862.50 *			
016378/00	LUPPINO, ROXANNE						
CL-178122	07/13/2017	ITEMS -COLLEGE FAIR	01-0000-0-4300-472-0000-2700-014-000	NN F	131.25	131.25	131.25
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	131.25 *			
019421/00	MEDIC AMBULANCE						
CL-178121	07/13/2017	17-24032	01-0000-0-5800-472-1405-1000-014-000	NN F	190.00	190.00	190.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	190.00 *			

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS				
019059/00	MILLENNIUM TERMITE & PEST						
CL-178059	07/13/2017	TR-71099	01-0000-0-5500-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	P	91.00	91.00
CL-178059	07/13/2017	TR-72628	01-0000-0-5500-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	P	57.00	57.00
CL-178059	07/13/2017	TR-72628	01-0000-0-5500-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	F	59.00	59.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						207.00 *	207.00
018205/00	MOST DEPENDABLE FOUNTAINS						
CL-178120	07/13/2017	INV 46659	01-8150-0-6500-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN	F	2,970.00	2,970.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						2,970.00 *	2,970.00
015787/00	O'REILLY AUTO PARTS						
CL-178061	07/13/2017	1333147	01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN	F	1,586.83	31.26
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						31.26 *	31.26
020169/00	PITZNER, JOSEPH						
CL-178114	07/13/2017	SECURITY MILEAGE	01-0000-0-5210-106-0000-8300-007-000	NN	F	16.05	16.05
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						16.05 *	16.05
014974/00	PLUMMER, RENEE'						
CL-178127	07/13/2017	INV-706	01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN	F	675.00	675.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						675.00 *	675.00
021194/00	PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY INC						
CL-178072	07/13/2017	180280941-ACCT1182301	01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN	P	67.73	67.73
CL-178072	07/13/2017	1800281517-ACCT1182301	01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN	F	364.54	67.73
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						135.46 *	135.46
017657/00	RENAISSANCE LEARNING INC.						
2 PO-180002	07/13/2017	RPRNQ1728676	1 01-6300-0-5800-240-1110-1000-011-000	NN	F	4,416.25	4,416.25
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						4,416.25 *	4,416.25

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Req Reference	Date				FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS			
018529/00	RISO PRODUCTS OF SACRAMENTO							
3	PO-180003	07/13/2017	CONT004610-11		1 01-0000-0-5600-240-1110-1000-011-000	NN F	250.00	250.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	250.00 *		250.00
010627/00	RIVERVIEW INTERNATIONAL TRUCKS							
	CL-178126	07/12/2017	INV 252604		01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	1,881.50	1,881.50
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,881.50 *		1,881.50
010315/00	SAC CO OFFICE OF ED FIN SVCS							
	CL-178076	07/13/2017	171852		01-3010-0-5800-371-1110-1000-012-000	NN F	6,295.00	4,693.65
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	4,693.65 *		4,693.65
010266/00	SACRAMENTO COUNTY UTILITIES							
	CL-178077	07/13/2017	500008788546		01-0000-0-5520-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	716.42	716.42
	CL-178077	07/13/2017	500008788608		01-0000-0-5520-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	305.78	305.78
	CL-178077	07/13/2017	50006974207		01-0000-0-5520-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	6,545.68	1,744.14
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	2,766.34 *		2,766.34
017234/00	SCHIRO, BONNIE							
	CL-178123	07/13/2017	SUPPLIES -SOMMER LAB		01-0000-0-4300-472-0000-2700-014-000	NN F	123.46	123.46
	49 PO-180061	07/11/2017	CLOSE		1 01-0000-0-4300-472-0000-2700-014-000	NN C	123.46	0.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	123.46 *		123.46
011500/00	SCHOOLS INSURANCE AUTHORITY							
	FV-180002	07/13/2017	JULY PREMIUM		01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN		60,893.33
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	60,893.33 *		60,893.33
017106/00	SCHOOLS INSURANCE AUTHORITY							
	FV-180001	07/10/2017	JULY PREMIUM		01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN		9,964.15
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	9,964.15 *		9,964.15

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020811/00	SHRED-IT USA LLC						
CL-178081	07/13/2017	8122572551	01-0000-0-5800-472-0000-2700-014-000	NN F	93.74	38.57	
CL-178082	07/13/2017	8122651347	01-0000-0-5800-371-0000-2700-012-000	NN F	65.15	38.57	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			77.14 *			77.14	
010263/00	SMUD						
CL-178119	07/13/2017	7000000347	01-0000-0-5510-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	47,486.90	47,486.90	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			47,486.90 *			47,486.90	
018967/00	SPRINT CUSTOMER SERVICE						
CL-178086	07/12/2017	811116315-188	01-0000-0-5930-101-0000-7150-002-000	NN F	453.78	56.13	
CL-178089	07/12/2017	811116315-188	01-0000-0-5930-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	1,263.32	424.34	
CL-178090	07/12/2017	811116315-188	01-0000-0-5930-102-0000-3140-003-000	NN F	66.77	46.13	
CL-178091	07/12/2017	811116315-188	01-0000-0-5930-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN F	602.62	135.32	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			661.92 *			661.92	
014558/00	SPURR						
CL-178092	07/12/2017	84086 acct 23918	01-0000-0-5515-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	12,977.88	1,051.62	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			1,051.62 *			1,051.62	
010137/00	STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION						
CL-178095	07/13/2017	57-415168	01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	335.63	12.37	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			12.37 *			12.37	
011554/00	TRACTOR SUPPLY CO						
CL-178098	07/13/2017	200191138	01-0000-0-4300-111-0000-8200-007-000	NN P	14.99	14.99	
CL-178098	07/13/2017	200192453	01-0000-0-4300-111-0000-8200-007-000	NN P	27.96	27.96	
CL-178098	07/13/2017	20019343	01-0000-0-4300-111-0000-8200-007-000	NN F	482.26	16.99	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			59.94 *			59.94	
016252/00	WALTON ENGINEERING INC						
CL-178104	07/13/2017	113048	01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	1,671.00	680.00	
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			680.00 *			680.00	

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Req Reference	Date	Description			FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS		Liq Amt	Net Amount	
018500/00	WARREN CONSULTING ENGINEERS								
CL-178105	07/13/2017	37230			01-0000-0-5800-106-0000-7200-007-000 NN F		933.05	1,000.00	
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,000.00 *		1,000.00	
					TOTAL FUND PAYMENT	277,220.01 **		277,220.01	

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010669/00	ALHAMBRA & SIERRA SPRINGS								
	CL-178117	07/07/2017	27036624779099		09-0700-0-4300-503-1110-1000-018-000 NN F		13.70	13.70	
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		13.70 *		13.70	
				TOTAL FUND	PAYMENT	13.70 **		13.70	

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020098/00	BIG TRAY							
	CL-178015	07/12/2017	797566		13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	206.15	206.15
	CL-178015	07/12/2017	798104		13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,163.66	1,163.66
	CL-178015	07/12/2017	798101		13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	1,704.20	1,704.20
	CL-178015	07/12/2017	798108		13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	22.46	22.46
	CL-178015	07/12/2017	798107		13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	25.54	25.54
	CL-178015	07/12/2017	798453		13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	11,439.66	2,424.38
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		5,546.39 *	5,546.39
022586/00	D&P Creamery							
	CL-178032	07/13/2017	0050105		13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	16,872.14	999.22
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		999.22 *	999.22
011602/00	DANIELSEN CO., THE							
	CL-178033	07/13/2017	136222		13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	26,163.46	536.00
	CL-178034	07/10/2017	136222		13-5310-0-4300-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	2,284.16	645.37
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		1,181.37 *	1,181.37
021764/00	FUTURE FORD OF SACRAMENTO							
	CL-178124	07/13/2017	#459285		13-5310-0-5600-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	1,654.46	1,654.46
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		1,654.46 *	1,654.46
015730/00	ISITE SOFTWARE							
	33 PO-180032	07/13/2017	2017615		1 13-5310-0-5800-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	995.00	995.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		995.00 *	995.00
017267/00	LASER AGE							
	112 PO-180096	07/13/2017	84374		1 13-5310-0-4300-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	117.45	117.45
	112 PO-180096	07/13/2017	814123		2 13-5310-0-5600-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	116.44	116.44
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		233.89 *	233.89

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015276/00	PREMIER FOOD SAFETY								
	CL-178116	07/13/2017	1705030262-LAURIE REYNOLDS		13-5310-0-5200-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	139.00	139.00	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						139.00 *		139.00
019993/00	PROPACIFIC FRESH								
	CL-178070	07/13/2017	6462026		13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	533.99	533.99	
	CL-178070	07/13/2017	6464291		13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	529.28	529.28	
	CL-178070	07/13/2017	6457341		13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	372.67	372.67	
	CL-178070	07/13/2017	6459738		13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	1,377.92	527.99	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						1,963.93 *		1,963.93
021194/00	PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY INC								
	CL-178073	07/12/2017	180281516		13-5310-0-5800-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN P	45.50	45.50	
	CL-178073	07/12/2017	180280940		13-5310-0-5800-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	1,906.30	45.50	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						91.00 *		91.00
016043/00	SHELTONS UNLIMITED MECHANICAL								
	CL-178079	07/13/2017	17-07-NUTRI		13-5310-0-5600-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	4,234.38	1,785.00	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						1,785.00 *		1,785.00
018967/00	SPRINT CUSTOMER SERVICE								
	CL-178085	07/12/2017	811116315-188		13-5310-0-5930-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN F	66.17	1.67	
	TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						1.67 *		1.67
	TOTAL FUND PAYMENT						14,590.93 **		14,590.93

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015121/00	B.J. FLOORING INC								
6 PO-180006	07/13/2017	2009533		1 14-0024-0-5800-106-9223-8110-007-000	NN F		18,785.00	18,785.00	
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT					18,785.00	*
			TOTAL FUND	PAYMENT			18,785.00	**	

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019750/00	CAPITAL PROGRAM MGMT INC							
	PO-170807 07/13/2017 #11			1 21-0000-0-5800-106-9175-8100-007-000 NN P			17,207.75	17,207.75
				TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			17,207.75 *	17,207.75
				TOTAL FUND PAYMENT			17,207.75 **	17,207.75
				TOTAL BATCH PAYMENT			327,817.39 ***	0.00
				TOTAL DISTRICT PAYMENT			327,817.39 ****	0.00
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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS				

010002/00	ALDAR ACADEMY						
CL-178004	07/19/2017	JUNE 2017					
			01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN F			2,492.90	3,057.18
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		3,057.18 *		3,057.18
010669/00	ALHAMBRA & SIERRA SPRINGS						
CL-178006	07/17/2017	4780818070617					
			01-0000-0-4300-105-0000-7200-005-000 NN F			398.28	28.68
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		28.68 *		28.68
021763/00	ALL STAR RENTS						
137 PO-180112	07/20/2017	693294-10	1 01-8150-0-5600-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			317.78	317.78
155 PO-180129	07/17/2017	693695	1 01-8150-0-5600-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			119.22	119.22
155 PO-180129	07/20/2017	693695-10	2 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			188.38	188.38
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		625.38 *		625.38
022066/00	ARROW PLUMBING INC						
201 PO-180153	07/20/2017	21852	1 01-8150-0-5600-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			985.97	985.97
201 PO-180153	07/20/2017	21852	2 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			34.66	34.66
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		1,020.63 *		1,020.63
021097/00	ASSOCIATED VALUATION SERVICES						
215 PO-180161	07/20/2017	5554	1 01-0000-0-5800-105-0000-7200-005-000 NN P			1,917.45	1,917.45
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		1,917.45 *		1,917.45
018533/00	ATKINSON ANDELSON LOYA RUDD						
CL-178012	07/19/2017	524196					
			01-0000-0-5880-105-0000-7200-005-000 NE F			12,144.09	25,845.31
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		25,845.31 *		25,845.31
021604/00	ATLAS DISPOSAL INDUSTRIES						
CL-178013	07/17/2017	1032	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			215.56	215.56
CL-178013	07/17/2017	1031	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			179.82	179.82
CL-178013	07/17/2017	149401	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			10.00	10.00
CL-178013	07/17/2017	149402	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			10.00	10.00
CL-178013	07/17/2017	189538	01-0000-0-5525-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			929.12	256.75
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		672.13 *		672.13

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017760/00	BACKFLOW TECHNOLOGIES LLC						
136 PO-180132	07/17/2017	17-12980	1 01-0000-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN F			1,012.00	1,012.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,012.00 *			1,012.00
017561/00	BAIONI, KIM						
133 PO-180108	07/20/2017	MED REIMB	1 01-0000-0-3401-475-3200-1000-000-740 NN F			50.00	50.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	50.00 *			50.00
015718/00	BASIC PACIFIC						
PV-180004	07/20/2017	7-31-17 PREMIUM	01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000 NN				1,714.82
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,714.82 *			1,714.82
020884/00	BRANTON, AMY						
CL-178138	07/20/2017	MILEAGE	01-6500-0-5200-102-5750-1110-000-000 NN F			85.60	82.39
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	82.39 *			82.39
022282/00	BRIGHT START THERAPIES						
CL-178146	07/20/2017	CJEM612.17	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN F			1,795.00	1,795.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,795.00 *			1,795.00
013988/00	BUTTES/CENTER STATE PIPE &						
159 PO-180126	07/20/2017	S009666587.001	1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			40.96	40.96
159 PO-180126	07/19/2017	S009677300.001	1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			51.76	51.76
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	92.72 *			92.72
010340/00	CA DEPT OF JUSTICE						
CL-178019	07/18/2017	236114,241791	01-0000-0-5800-110-0000-7200-004-000 NN F			700.00	1,009.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	1,009.00 *			1,009.00

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS				

022599/00	CALIFORNIA DEPT OF EDUCATION						
	CL-178132	07/18/2017	FED ADVANCE-INTEREST-2016-17	01-0000-0-8660-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN F	1,516.00	1,516.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			1,516.00 *	1,516.00
010066/00	CALIFORNIA SCHOOL BOARD ASSN						
	129 PO-180118	07/20/2017	INV-34691-B8B9Y2	1 01-0000-0-5800-120-0000-7110-000-000	NN F	2,925.00	2,925.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			2,925.00 *	2,925.00
018453/00	CANYON CREEK						
	185 PO-180149	07/20/2017	2017-0045	1 01-0000-0-5800-103-0000-7200-019-000	NN F	1,001.00	1,001.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			1,001.00 *	1,001.00
019750/00	CAPITAL PROGRAM MGMT INC						
	PO-170542	07/20/2017	#30	1 01-6230-0-5800-106-9623-8500-007-000	NN P	5,183.25	5,183.25
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			5,183.25 *	5,183.25
021678/00	CAPITOL ACADEMY						
	CL-178022	07/20/2017	CA0246	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN P	1,198.96	1,198.96
	CL-178022	07/20/2017	CA0259	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN F	1,602.64	200.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			1,398.96 *	1,398.96
011360/00	CAPITOL BUILDERS HARDWARE INC						
	CL-178141	07/19/2017	INV 10078	01-8150-0-5600-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	330.00	330.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			330.00 *	330.00
014487/00	CASBO						
	180 PO-180146	07/20/2017	INV 594923	1 01-0000-0-5300-105-0000-7200-005-000	NN F	2,000.00	2,000.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			2,000.00 *	2,000.00

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021036/00	CCHAT CENTER						
	CL-178135	07/19/2017	CENTERMS517				
				01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN F	523.16	523.16
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				523.16
017639/00	CDT INC.						
	CL-178023	07/18/2017	43908				
				01-0000-0-5800-110-0000-7200-004-000	NN P	338.80	338.80
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				338.80
020305/00	CDW GOVERNMENT INC.						
	110 PO-180059	07/20/2017	JLR9811				
				1 01-0000-0-4300-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN F	302.42	302.42
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				302.42
013928/00	CINTAS LOCATION 622						
	108 PO-180057	07/19/2017	622789829				
				1 01-0000-0-5800-111-0000-8200-007-000	NN P	178.30	178.30
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				178.30
015699/00	CLARK SECURITY PRODUCTS						
	CL-178143	07/19/2017	22K141241				
	20 PO-180020	07/19/2017	22K-70365				
				01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	248.23	248.23
				1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	322.13	322.13
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				570.36
014557/00	COLLEGE OAK TOW & TRANSPORT						
	CL-178030	07/17/2017	CLOSE				
	29 PO-180028	07/17/2017	501848				
				01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN C	125.00	0.00
				1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	315.00	315.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				315.00
018110/00	DAY, LORI						
	CL-178137	07/19/2017	MILEAGE				
				01-6500-0-5200-102-5750-1110-000-000	NN F	115.56	115.56
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				115.56

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010583/00	DEL PASO PIPE & STEEL CO.						
154 PO-180128	07/20/2017	413227	1	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	132.27	122.76
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			122.76 *	122.76
018277/00	EASTER SEAL SOCIETY OF CA. INC						
CL-178133	07/19/2017	MAY 2017		01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN F	3,520.00	3,520.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			3,520.00 *	3,520.00
013977/00	EDWARDS, LEAH						
154 PO-180130	07/20/2017	TRIP 1365	1	01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	12.92	12.92
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			12.92 *	12.92
019262/00	ENTERPRISE RENT A CAR						
CL-178128	07/20/2017	879FQ6		01-3550-0-5600-472-3800-1000-014-000	NN F	226.20	226.20
CL-178129	07/20/2017	80GOGJ		01-0000-0-5600-472-1110-4200-014-915	NN F	148.87	148.87
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			375.07 *	375.07
018425/00	FASTSPRING						
141 PO-180122	07/20/2017	tec170713-3816-64273	1	01-0000-0-5800-115-0000-7700-007-000	NN F	570.00	570.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			570.00 *	570.00
017681/00	GEARY PACIFIC SUPPLY						
167 PO-180136	07/19/2017	3514639	1	01-6230-0-4300-106-0000-8100-007-165	NN F	103.54	103.54
167 PO-180136	07/19/2017	3514639	2	01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	215.74	215.74
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			319.28 *	319.28
014431/00	HEAR SAY SPEECH AND LANGUAGE						
CL-178134	07/19/2017	INV 1372		01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN F	190.00	190.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			190.00 *	190.00

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	CL-178050	07/20/2017	4010581- AACT 6035322503880209		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	149.85	149.85
	CL-178050	07/20/2017	9022328		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	130.49	130.49
	CL-178050	07/20/2017	7011705		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	40.64	40.64
	CL-178050	07/20/2017	7011728		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	122.07	122.07
	CL-178050	07/17/2017	7022585		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	65.83	65.83
	CL-178050	07/17/2017	9023610		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	32.13	32.13
	CL-178050	07/17/2017	9075172		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	14.07	30.84
	CL-178051	07/17/2017	4584922		01-0000-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	500.00	51.62
	CL-178052	07/20/2017	6571132		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	75.52	75.52
	CL-178130	07/20/2017	3013678		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	50.26	50.26
	CL-178130	07/20/2017	1582117		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	13.17	13.17
	CL-178130	07/20/2017	7571040		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	204.39	204.39
	CL-178130	07/17/2017	6022710		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	234.47	234.47
	CL-178130	07/17/2017	3083521		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	31.17	31.17
	CL-178130	07/17/2017	1023313		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	214.67	214.67
	CL-178130	07/17/2017	9567354		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	247.42	247.42
	CL-178130	07/17/2017	6013232		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	88.23	88.23
	CL-178130	07/17/2017	5024105		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	124.55	124.55
	CL-178130	07/17/2017	3013678		01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN F	42.18	42.18
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		1,949.50 *	1,949.50
018990/00	INTERSTATE BATTERIES							
	44 PO-180041	07/20/2017	130003145		1 01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	404.41	404.41
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		404.41 *	404.41
010355/00	KAISER FOUNDATION HEALTH PLAN							
	FV-180003	07/20/2017	AUGUST PREMIUM		01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN		185,910.99
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		185,910.99 *	185,910.99
014909/00	LANE, DOROTHY							
	153 PO-180131	07/20/2017	TRIP 1396		1 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	15.00	15.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		15.00 *	15.00
016076/00	LES SCHWAB TIRE CENTER							
	140 PO-180109	07/20/2017	64300260114		1 01-0000-0-4300-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	242.89	242.89
	140 PO-180109	07/18/2017	64300260114		2 01-0000-0-5800-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	17.24	17.24
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		260.13 *	260.13

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022406/00	MAXIM HEALTHCARE SERVICES INC	[REDACTED]					
CL-178056	07/20/2017	5060220262	01-0000-0-5800-102-0000-3140-003-000 NN F			1,750.00	1,216.50
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						1,216.50 *	1,216.50
016078/00	MCGLAUGHLIN, DONNA	[REDACTED]					
CL-178058	07/18/2017	MAY 2017	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NY F			4,000.00	2,925.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						2,925.00 *	2,925.00
015343/00	NORTH HIGHLANDS RECREATION AND						
162 PO-180123	07/20/2017	7-201718	1 01-0000-0-5600-106-0000-8200-007-000 NN F			4,000.00	4,000.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						4,000.00 *	4,000.00
021511/00	OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY FOR						
CL-178142	07/19/2017	JUNE 2017	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000 NN F			120.00	120.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						120.00 *	120.00
021050/00	PACHECO, SHAWNA						
CL-178144	07/20/2017	MILEAGE	01-6520-0-5210-472-5770-1110-003-000 NN F			101.12	101.12
CL-178148	07/20/2017	MILEAGE	01-3410-0-5210-472-1110-1000-003-000 NN F			19.15	19.15
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						120.27 *	120.27
022555/00	PERSEUS ASSOCIATES LLC						
200 PO-180152	07/20/2017	2569	1 01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000 NN F			5,075.00	5,075.00
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						5,075.00 *	5,075.00
014069/00	PLATT ELECTRIC SUPPLY INC	[REDACTED]					
12 PO-180012	07/20/2017	Z167082	1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			166.46	166.46
12 PO-180012	07/20/2017	N246457	1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000 NN P			0.01	0.01
163 PO-180137	07/19/2017	Y002531	1 01-6230-0-4300-106-0000-8100-007-165 NN F			181.30	181.30
TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT						347.77 *	347.77

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS				
022525/00	POST-IT LLC						
	CL-178069	07/20/2017	MAY LIVSCAN	01-0000-0-5800-110-0000-7200-004-000	NN P	260.00	260.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			260.00 *	260.00
021194/00	PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY INC						
	18 PO-180018	07/19/2017	180282659	1 01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN P	53.77	53.77
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			53.77 *	53.77
014416/00	Pro-ACT INC						
	202 PO-180155	07/20/2017	ICR:2329.114.755	1 01-6500-0-5200-102-5001-2700-002-000	NN P	1,710.00	1,710.00
	202 PO-180155	07/20/2017	ICR:2330.114.756	1 01-6500-0-5200-102-5001-2700-002-000	NN F	1,710.00	1,710.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			3,420.00 *	3,420.00
021808/00	ROSEVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE						
	128 PO-180119	07/17/2017	154863	1 01-0000-0-5300-101-0000-7150-002-000	NN F	175.00	175.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			175.00 *	175.00
010552/00	SAC VAL JANITORIAL						
	127 PO-180106	07/20/2017	10250324	1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	1,066.63	1,066.63
	127 PO-180106	07/19/2017	10250737	1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	77.06	77.06
	127 PO-180106	07/19/2017	10250733	1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	211.76	211.76
	127 PO-180106	07/19/2017	10250732	1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	1,083.22	1,083.22
	127 PO-180106	07/19/2017	10250991	1 01-0000-0-9320-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN P	77.07	77.07
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			2,515.74 *	2,515.74
015592/00	SACRAMENTO CNTY OFFICE OF ED						
	CL-178074	07/20/2017	171686	01-3010-0-5800-475-3200-2140-015-000	NN F	11,000.00	11,000.00
	CL-178147	07/20/2017	171875	01-3010-0-5800-103-0000-2110-003-000	NN F	10,000.00	10,000.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			21,000.00 *	21,000.00
022536/00	SACRAMENTO COUNTY OFFICE OF ED						
	CL-178139	07/19/2017	INV 171837	01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1110-002-000	NN F	102,951.35	102,951.35
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			102,951.35 *	102,951.35

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019172/00	SAN JUAN UNIFIED SCHOOL DIST							
	CL-178140	07/19/2017 171234			01-6500-0-5800-102-5770-1190-002-000	NN F	500.00	500.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	500.00 *		500.00
019370/00	STANLEY CONVERGENT SECURITY							
	46 PO-180043	07/18/2017 14711574			1 01-8150-0-5800-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	3,769.80	3,769.80
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	3,769.80 *		3,769.80
020465/00	SUPPORTED LIFE INSTITUTE							
	CL-178145	07/20/2017 JUNE 2017			01-6500-0-5800-102-5750-1180-002-000	NN F	645.00	645.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	645.00 *		645.00
017713/00	TK SERVICES INC							
	CL-178131	07/20/2017 W03042-60			01-0000-0-5600-112-0000-3600-007-000	NN F	2,000.00	2,000.00
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	2,000.00 *		2,000.00
022221/00	WESTERN HEALTH ADVANTAGE							
	PV-180005	07/20/2017 AUGUST PREMIUM			01-0000-0-9552-000-0000-0000-000-000	NN		130,949.34
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	130,949.34 *		130,949.34
010843/00	WILCO SUPPLY							
	160 PO-180125	07/20/2017 9065275-00			1 01-8150-0-4300-106-0000-8110-007-000	NN P	124.05	124.05
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	124.05 *		124.05
017313/00	XEROX							
	CL-178107	07/20/2017 702098971			01-3010-0-5600-240-1110-1000-011-000	NN F	309.38	37.94
	CL-178110	07/20/2017 230053041			01-0000-0-5800-115-1920-8200-007-000	NN F	2,667.92	607.76
	143 PO-180120	07/20/2017 714905-001			1 01-0000-0-4300-116-0000-8200-007-992	NN P	5,349.08	5,349.08
	142 PO-180121	07/18/2017 7149057-001			1 01-0000-0-5800-116-1920-8200-007-000	NN P	36,238.34	36,238.34
	170 PO-180135	07/19/2017 230053041			1 01-0000-0-5800-116-1920-8200-007-000	NN P	607.76	607.76
					TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT	42,840.88 *		42,840.88

081 CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT J529
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ACCOUNTS PAYABLE PRELIST
 BATCH: 0003 7-20.17
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015041/00	YRIGOLLEN, JENNY							
	CL-178136	07/19/2017 MILEAGE			01-6500-0-5200-102-5750-1110-000-000 NN F		298.53	298.53
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT		298.53 *			298.53
			TOTAL FUND	PAYMENT	574,578.56 **			574,578.56

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS				
010313/00	BAKE CRAFTERS FOOD COMPANY						
CL-178014	07/20/2017	70661					
			13-5310-0-4700-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN	F	8,039.59	8,039.59
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				8,039.59
020305/00	CDW GOVERNMENT INC.						
116 PO-180099	07/20/2017	JLN2436					
			1 13-5310-0-4400-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN	F	356.56	323.97
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				323.97
017051/00	DAVIS, LAURA						
176 PO-180142	07/20/2017	SUPPLIES					
			1 13-5310-0-4300-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN	F	97.48	97.48
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				97.48
022364/00	HEARTLAND SCHOOL SOLUTIONS						
CL-178149	07/20/2017	HSS0000030223					
			13-5310-0-5300-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN	F	12.15	12.15
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				12.15
021194/00	PRUDENTIAL OVERALL SUPPLY INC						
113 PO-180097	07/18/2017	180282084					
			1 13-5310-0-5800-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN	P	77.75	77.75
113 PO-180097	07/18/2017	180282658					
			1 13-5310-0-5800-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN	P	45.50	45.50
113 PO-180097	07/20/2017	181005230					
			1 13-5310-0-5800-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN	M	0.00	-32.25
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				91.00
020252/00	STAPLES BUSINESS ADVANTAGE						
37 PO-180034	07/20/2017	3345491386					
			1 13-5310-0-4300-108-0000-3700-007-000	NN	F	291.24	281.56
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT				281.56
			TOTAL FUND	PAYMENT		8,845.75 **	8,845.75

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Req Reference	Date	Description	FD RESO P OBJE SIT GOAL FUNC RES DEP T9MPS				
019750/00	CAPITAL PROGRAM MGMT INC	[REDACTED]					
PO-170807	07/20/2017	#12	1 21-0000-0-5800-106-9175-8100-007-000 NN P			15,743.50	15,743.50
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			15,743.50 *	15,743.50
018500/00	WARREN CONSULTING ENGINEERS	[REDACTED]					
175 PO-180141	07/20/2017	37193	1 21-0000-0-5800-106-9175-8100-007-000 NN P			2,800.00	2,800.00
			TOTAL PAYMENT AMOUNT			2,800.00 *	2,800.00
			TOTAL FUND PAYMENT			18,543.50 **	18,543.50
			TOTAL BATCH PAYMENT			601,967.81 ***	601,967.81
			TOTAL DISTRICT PAYMENT			601,967.81 ****	601,967.81
			TOTAL FOR ALL DISTRICTS:			601,967.81 ****	601,967.81

Number of checks to be printed: 70, not counting voids due to stub overflows.

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Business Department

Date: August 16, 2017

To: CJUSD Board of Trustees

From: Lisa Coronado
Director of Fiscal Services

Action Item X

Information Item

Attached Pages

SUBJECT:

Resolution #1/2017-18: Education Protection Account *jk*

As approved by voters by Proposition 30 on November 6, 2012 and Proposition 55 on November 8, 2016, the creation of the Education Protection Account (EPA) was established with funds from personal income tax increases for taxpayers in high tax brackets. K-14 local agencies have the sole authority to determine how the funds received from the EPA are spent, but with these provisions:

- ~ The spending plan must be approved by the governing board during a public meeting.
- ~ EPA funds cannot be used for the salaries or benefits of administrators or any other administrative costs.
- ~ Each year, the local agency must publish on its website an accounting of how much money was received from the EPA and how the funds were expended.

Further, the annual financial audit includes verification that the EPA funds were used as specified in Proposition 30.

This resolution provides detailed information regarding the EPA account and includes a spending plan.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: It is recommended that the Board of Trustees adopt Resolution #1/2017-18 approving the attached list of instructional salaries and benefit expenditures for the monies received from the Education Protection Account for the 2017-18 fiscal year.

CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Resolution# 1/2017-18

EDUCATION PROTECTION ACCOUNT

WHEREAS, the voters approved Proposition 30 on November 6, 2012 and Proposition 55 on November 8, 2016;

WHEREAS, Proposition 30 added Article XIII, Section 36 to the California Constitution effective November 7, 2012 (sun setting 12/31/2017), and Proposition 55 Article XIII, Section 36 to the California Constitution effective November 8, 2016 (commencing 01/01/2018);

WHEREAS, the provisions of Article XIII, Section 36(e) create in the state General Fund an Education Protection Account to receive and disburse the revenues derived from the incremental increases in taxes imposed by Article XIII, Section 36(f);

WHEREAS, before June 30th of each year, the Director of Finance shall estimate the total amount of additional revenues, less refunds that will be derived from the incremental increases in tax rates made pursuant to Article XIII, Section 36(f) that will be available for transfer into the Education Protection Account during the next fiscal year;

WHEREAS, if the sum determined by the State Controller is positive, the State Controller shall transfer the amount calculated into the Education Protection Account within ten days preceding the end of the fiscal year;

WHEREAS, all monies in the Education Protection Account are hereby continuously appropriated for the support of school districts, county offices of education, charter schools and community college districts;

WHEREAS, monies deposited in the Education Protection Account shall not be used to pay any costs incurred by the Legislature, the Governor or any agency of state government;

WHEREAS, a community college district, county office of education, school district, or charter school shall have the sole authority to determine how the monies received from the Education Protection Account are spent in the school or schools within its jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, the governing board of the district shall make the spending determinations with respect to monies received from the Education Protection Account in open session of a public meeting of the governing board;

WHEREAS, the monies received from the Education Protection Account shall not be used for salaries or benefits for administrators or any other administrative cost;

WHEREAS, each community college district, county office of education, school district and charter school shall annually publish on its Internet website an accounting of how much money was received from the Education Protection Account and how that money was spent;

WHEREAS, the annual independent financial and compliance audit required of community college districts, county offices of education, school districts and charter schools shall ascertain and verify whether the funds provided from the Education Protection Account have been properly disbursed and expended as required by Article XIII, Section 36 of the California Constitution;

WHEREAS, expenses incurred by community college districts, county offices of education, school districts and charter schools to comply with the additional audit requirements of Article XIII, Section 36 may be paid with funding from the Education Protection Act and shall not be considered administrative costs for purposes of Article XIII, Section 36.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED:

1. The monies received from the Education Protection Account shall be spent as required by Article XIII, Section 36 and the spending determinations on how the money will be spent shall be made in open session of a public meeting of the governing board of the Center Joint Unified School District;

2. In compliance with Article XIII, Section 36(e), with the California Constitution, the governing board of the Center Joint Unified School District has determined to spend the monies received from the Education Protection Act as attached.

PASSED and ADOPTED this ____ day of _____ 2017 by the Center Joint Unified School District Board of Trustees, of the County of Sacramento, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Clerk of the Board of Trustees
Center Joint Unified School District
County of Sacramento
State of California

2017-18 Education Protection Account
Expenditures by Object

Budgeted Expenditures through: June 30, 2018
For Fund 01, Resource 1400 Education Protection Account

Description	Object Codes	Amount
AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR THIS FISCAL YEAR		
EPA Revenue	8010-8099	5,348,562.00
EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES		
(Objects 1000-7999)		
Certificate Personnel Salaries	1000-1999	4,025,271.00
Classified Personnel Salaries	2000-2999	-
Employee Benefits	3000-3999	1,248,720.00
Books and Supplies	4000-4999	-
Services and Other Operating Expenditures	5000-5999	-
Capital Outlay	6000-6999	-
Other Outgo	7000-7999	-
TOTAL EXPENDITURES AND OTHER FINANCING USES		5,273,991.00
BALANCE (Total Available minus Total Expenditures and Other Financing Uses)		74,571.00

*The remaining balance is reserved for changes in benefit elections and/or negotiated salary and health and welfare increases.

Center Unified School District

AGENDA REQUEST FOR:

Dept./Site: Business Department

Date: August 16, 2017

To: CJUSD Board of Trustees

From: Lisa Coronado *LC*
Director of Fiscal Services

Action Item

Information Item X

Attached Pages

SUBJECT:

**Budget Update
For Fiscal Year 2017/18**

Lisa Coronado, Director of Fiscal Services is presenting an update to the Board's adoption of the 2017/18 Budget as a result of the State's final budget adoption.

Center Joint Unified School District
2017-18 Budget 45-Day Revision
As of July 26, 2017
Presented August 16, 2017

At the time the Board adopted the District budget for 2016-17, the State had not yet adopted its budget. Since that time, the budget has been passed and signed by the Governor. As a result, this document will indicate the changes in funding and policies that can be implemented for the 2017-18 fiscal year.

Introduction

The 2017-18 Adopted Budget approaches the calculation of total revenues as follows: general fund revenues as proposed at May Revision (estimates prepared by Department of Finance), with property tax estimates higher than May Revision (estimates prepared by Legislative Analyst's Office). This combination of revenue results in an estimated \$150 million in additional non-Prop. 98 revenue for spending in 2017-18 than was proposed with the Governor's May Revision. While the 2017-18 Adopted Budget increases education funding over the May Revision, the District should continue to be cautious. Projected increases in 2017-18 general fund and Prop. 98 are based on higher revenues from personal income capital gains. The historical volatility of state revenues, the significant economic risks on the horizon, and the known cost pressures from statutorily scheduled employer pension contribution increases all point to the need to maintain reserves and fiscal flexibility.

Significant Changes since May Revision

- Local Control Funding Formula (LCFF) Gap Funding: Funding will be \$1.362 billion, which is \$25 million below the May Revision but \$636 million above the Governor's January budget. Statewide LEA average gap closure is currently 96.87%.
- One-time Funding: \$876.6 million in one-time discretionary funding to LEAs in 2017-18. Note: this is a departure from the Governor's May Revision proposals to delay payment of these funds to LEAs until May 2019. All of these one-time discretionary funds will be apportioned in 2017-18 at a rate of \$147 per ADA.
- Prop. 39: Extends the date for LEAs to encumber funds received under Prop. 39 by one year, until June 30, 2019.
- Legislative Priorities:
 - CTE Pathway program \$15.3 million (ongoing)
 - Classified Employee Credential Program \$25 million (one-time)
 - Bilingual Teacher Professional Development Program \$5 million (one-time)
 - COLA for mandate block grants \$3.5 million (one-time)
 - Equity Diversification – Closing the Gap \$2.5 million (one-time)
 - After-School / ASES Restoration \$50 million (ongoing)

- Extend the District of Choice Program through the 2022-2023 fiscal year:
 - Amends the law to address program equity and accessibility, increase transparency and reporting requirements, and make other minor program changes.

Prop. 98 and the Adopted Budget

The Prop. 98 guaranteed for the final 2017-18 state budget is \$74.5 billion, or slightly lower than the \$74.6 billion proposed by the Governor with the May Revision. This yields an increase of \$2.6 billion over the 2016-17 year guarantee. The final state budget act suspends the statutory requirement to provide a supplemental appropriation on top of the Prop. 98 minimum guarantee from 2016-17 through 2020-21. This provision, known as the Test 3B supplement, applies when Test 3 is operative and state revenue is growing relatively slowly. This suspension is expected to have no impact in the 2016-17 and 2017-18 fiscal years, but will likely lower the Prop. 98 minimum guarantee in 2018-19 through 2020-21. The intention of this suspension is to ensure Prop. 98 is not appropriated above the minimum guarantee, as future state revenues will likely become more volatile. Any funding reduced by this suspension would be added to the maintenance factor obligation, which would restore funding levels beyond the years of Test 3B suspension. The revenue proposal also creates maintenance factor repayment in the 2017-18 year of \$700 million, reducing the outstanding balance to \$900 million and bringing the total funding increase for public education to \$3.3 billion.

One Time Funding

The approved budget includes \$876.6 million in discretionary one-time Prop. 98 funding for 2017-18, to be distributed to LEAs on a per-ADA basis. To the extent that LEAs have unpaid mandate claims, these funds will be scored in satisfaction of those claims. Legislative intent is that these funds be prioritized for deferred maintenance, professional development, beginning teacher induction programs, instructional materials, technology infrastructure, and any other investments necessary to support implementation of state academic standards. As always with one-time funding, the District must exercise caution when expending; one-time money should only be spent on one-time expenditures that support the District's goals.

Mandated Cost Block Grant

The Adopted Budget provides a cost of living adjustment to the block grant funding. The K-12 block grant now includes the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress and the Training for School Employee Mandated Reporters mandates.

Workforce Development Investments

Three specific workforce development investments were highlighted in the Governor's budget summary. A combined \$41.3 million one-time increase was approved to support programs aimed at recruiting and developing additional teachers

and school leaders, with particular emphasis on key shortage areas such as special education, math, science and bilingual education.

- **California Classified School Employee Teacher Credentialing Program:** Provides \$25 million in one-time Prop. 98 funding for the Commission on Teacher Credentialing to fund a second cohort of the California Classified School Employee Teacher Credentialing Program.
- **Bilingual Teacher Professional Development Program:** Provides \$5 million in one-time Prop. 98 funds to create the Bilingual Teacher Professional Development Program to provide grants to LEAs for professional development services for specified teachers and paraprofessional employees who seek to obtain the authorizations necessary to provide bilingual instruction.
- **California Educator Development Program:** Provides an increase of \$11.3 million in one-time federal Title II funds for a one-time competitive grant program that assists local educational agencies in attracting and supporting the preparation and continued learning of teachers, principals, and other school leaders in high-need subjects and schools.

Employee Organization Access to New Employees

The State Government Budget Trailer Bill (AB 119) included provisions to guarantee employee organizations additional access to new employees through orientation sessions in schools, cities, counties, and in state government. As signed by the Governor, AB 119 requires:

- Public employers to provide the exclusive representative with mandatory access to new employee orientations.
- Both parties to negotiate regarding the structure, time and manner of that access, with failure to reach agreement being subject to compulsory interest arbitration.
- Public employers to provide the name, job title, department, work location, home address, phone and cellular number of new employees to employee organizations within 30 days of hire.

Summary

As stated in the introduction, this document contains information as adopted in the 2017-18 budget. The greatest increases in LCFF are behind us. As funding for education flattens, districts are cautioned to have contingency plans. Increases in retirement expense, greater focus on Local Control Accountability Plan spending and minimal funding through Prop. 98 can quickly impact a district's financial status.

Center Joint Unified School District

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Dept./Site: Superintendent's Office	Action Item <u> X </u>
To: Board of Trustees	Information Item <u> </u>
Date: August 16, 2017	# Attached Pages <u> 5 </u>
From: Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent	
Principal/Administrator Initials:	

SUBJECT: CSBA Nominations for Director-at-Large African American and American Indian

Nominations will be accepted until Friday, September 29, 2017. Nominations must be made by a CSBA member board and the nominee must be a board member from a CSBA member district.

RECOMMENDATION:



TIME SENSITIVE, REQUIRES BOARD ACTION
DEADLINE Friday, September 29, 2017

Please deliver to all members of the governing board.

July 31, 2017

MEMORANDUM

TO: All Board Presidents and Superintendents
CSBA Member Districts and County Offices of Education
FROM: Susan M. Henry, President
SUBJECT: Call for Nominations for Directors-at-Large African American, American Indian, and County

Nominations for CSBA Directors-at-Large African American, American Indian, and County are currently being accepted until **Friday, September 29**. The nomination form and all information related to the election process are available online, please visit www.csba.org.

The elections will take place at CSBA's Delegate Assembly meeting held at the Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina on Wednesday, November 29 and Thursday, November 30. Directors-at-Large serve two-year terms and take office immediately upon the close of the Association's Annual Education Conference on Saturday, December 2.

The nominations for Directors-at-Large must be made by a CSBA member board and the nominee must be a board member from a CSBA member district or county office of education. **(Please note: Only a CSBA member County Board of Education may submit a nomination for the Director-at-Large, County seat.)**

A valid nomination includes the following:

- **Nomination form:** A completed, signed and dated nomination form is due to CSBA no later than **Friday, September 29** (U.S. Postal Service postmark or email nominations@csba.org). *Nominating boards must secure permission from the board member prior to nominating him or her.*
- **Two letters of recommendation:** A one page, single-sided, letter addressed to CSBA President Susan Henry is due to CSBA no later than **Friday, October 6** (U.S. Postal Service postmark or email nominations@csba.org). The letter may be from of the following entities:
 - 1) A CSBA member district or county office of education (COE) board - *if signed by the Superintendent, it must state in the letter "on behalf of the board."*
 - 2) An individual board member from a CSBA member district or COE
 - 3) Another board member association
- **Candidate Form:** A signed and dated candidate form completed by the nominee is due to CSBA no later than **Friday, October 6** (U.S. Postal Service postmark or email nominations@csba.org). An optional, one-page résumé may also be submitted and is due by Friday, October 6.

The completed candidate form and two letters of recommendation will be published in the Delegate Assembly meeting agenda packet exactly as submitted.

Please contact CSBA's Executive Office at 800-266-3382 should you have any questions. Thank you.



2017 Directors-at-Large, African American, American Indian, and County Nomination Form

(Please submit a separate nomination form for each Director position and each nominee.)

The nominations for Directors-at-Large must be made by a CSBA member board and the nominee must be a board member from a CSBA member district or county office of education. **(*Only a CSBA member County Board of Education may submit a nomination for the Director-at-Large, County seat.)** The U.S. Postal Service postmark or email deadline for the nomination form is Friday, September 29, 2017.

Two letters of recommendation are required to be submitted by Friday, October 6, 2017.

The governing board of the _____ School District or County Office Board of Education voted to nominate _____

(Nominee name)

as a candidate for the following Director-at-Large position: *(please indicate below)*

- Director-at-Large, African American
- Director-at-Large, American Indian
- Director-at-Large, *County

The nominee is a member of the _____

School District or County Office Board of Education, which is a member of CSBA. The nominee has been contacted and has given permission to be nominated.

Signature of the Board Clerk or Board Secretary

Date

By US Postal Service, please submit your **nomination form to:**

Susan Henry, President

California School Boards Association

3251 Beacon Blvd. | West Sacramento, CA 95691

Or you may Email: nominations@csba.org

3. What is one characteristic that you believe every leader should possess?

4. What do you see as the biggest challenge facing governing board members and how can CSBA help?

5. Please provide any additional information about yourself for the Delegate Assembly to consider regarding your candidacy.

Your signature indicates your consent to have your name placed on the ballot and to serve, if elected.

Signature

Date



Frequently Asked Questions for Director-at-Large Nominations & Elections Process - 2017

- Which Directors-at-Large positions are up for election in 2017? African American, American Indian, and County are elected in 2017.
- Who may run for Directors-at-Large, African American and American Indian? Any board member of a district or a county office of education board that is a member of CSBA.
- Who may run for Directors-at-Large, County? Only board members from a CSBA member county office of education board.
- Who may nominate the Directors-at-Large, African American and American Indian? Any district board or county office of education whose board is a member of CSBA.
- Who may nominate Directors-at-Large, County? Only a county office of education whose board is a member of CSBA.
- When and where are the elections held? The elections will take place on November 29 -30, at CSBA's Delegate Assembly meeting held at the Marriott Marquis San Diego Marina.
- What is the term for Directors-at-Large? Directors-at-Large serve two-year terms and take office immediately upon the close of the Association's Annual Education Conference and Trade Show.
- What meetings are Directors-at-Large required to attend? All CSBA Board of Directors meetings: (approximately five per year) and Delegate Assembly meetings: (two per year). See 2018 Meeting Dates
- What does a valid nomination consist of?
 - **Nomination form:** A completed, signed and dated nomination form is due to CSBA no later than **Friday, September 29** (U.S. Postal Service postmark or email nominations@csba.org). *Nominating boards must secure permission from the board member prior to nominating him or her.*
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- May the same CSBA member board that submits a nomination also submit a recommendation letter in support of the candidate? Yes. The letter is due Friday, October 6.
- Where do I submit completed forms? Please choose one the following two options to submit completed forms: 1) U.S. Postal Service: ATTN: President, California School Boards Association, 3251 Beacon Blvd., West Sacramento, CA 95691; OR 2) Email: nominations@csba.org
- Who are the current Directors-at-Large?

Director-at-Large African American – Bettye Lusk, Monterey Peninsula USD
Director-at-Large, American Indian – Shelly Yarbrough, Val Verde USD
Director-at-Large, County – Heidi Weiland, El Dorado COE

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Date: August 16, 2017	# Attached Pages <u> </u>
From: Scott A. Loehr, Superintendent	
Principal/Administrator Initials: <u> </u>	

- SUBJECT: First Reading: Board Policies/Regulations/Exhibits**
- Replace BP 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities
 - Replace BP 0420.41 - Charter School Oversight
 - Replace BP 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan
 - Replace AR 1340 - Access to District Records
 - Replace BP/AR 3260 - Fees and Charges
 - Replace BP/AR 3311 - Bids
 - Add BP/AR 3311.1 - Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Procedures
 - Add AR 3311.2 - Lease-Leaseback Contracts
 - Add AR 3311.3 - Design-Build Contracts
 - Add AR 3311.4 - Procurement of Technological Equipment
 - Add BP 3470 - Debt Issuance and Management
 - Replace AR 3543 - Transportation Safety and Emergencies
 - Replace BP/AR 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment
 - Replace AR 4112.22 - Staff Teaching English Learners
 - Replace E 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications
 - Replace BP/AR 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment
 - Replace BP 4151/4251/4351 - Employee Compensation
 - Delete BP 4157.1/4257.1/4357.1 - Work-Related Injuries
 - Add AR 4157.1/4257.1/4357.1 - Work-Related Injuries
 - Replace AR 4161.1/4361.1 - Personal Illness/Injury Leave
 - Replace AR 4261.1 - Personal Illness/Injury Leave
 - Replace BP 5030 - Student Wellness
 - Replace BP 5111 - Admission
 - Replace BP 5111.1 - District Residency
 - Replace AR 5111.1 - District Residency
 - Replace BP/AR 5113 - Absences and Excuses
 - Add BP 5116.2 - Involuntary Student Transfers
 - Replace AR 5125.3 - Challenging Student Records
 - Replace BP/AR 5141.21 - Administering Medication and Monitoring Health Conditions
 - Replace BP/AR 5141.52 - Suicide Prevention
 - Replace E 5145.6 - Parental Notifications
 - Replace AR 5148 - Child Care and Development
 - Replace BP/AR 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs
 - Replace AR 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education
 - Replace BP 6111 - School Calendar
 - Replace BP 6117 - Year-Round Schedules
 - Replace BP/AR 6142.2 - World/Foreign Language Instruction
 - Replace BP 6142.4 - Service Learning/Community Service Classes

Replace BP 6142.94 - History-Social Science Instruction
Replace AR 6143 - Courses of Study
Replace BP 6144 - Controversial Issues
Replace BP 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements
Replace BP/AR 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504
Replace BP/AR/E 6173 - Education for Homeless Children
Add AR 6173.3 - Education for Juvenile Court School Students
Replace BP/AR 6174 - Education for English Learners
Delete E 6174 - Education for English Learners
Replace BP 6176 - Weekend/Saturday Classes
Replace BP/AR 6185 - Community Day School
Replace BB 9240 - Board Training
Replace BB 9323 - Meeting Conduct
Replace E 9323.2 - Actions by the Board

RECOMMENDATION: CJUSD Board of Trustees approve the first reading of presented policies/regulations/exhibits.

AGENDA ITEM: XVI-D

CSBA Sample Board Policy

Philosophy, Goals, Objectives, and Comprehensive Plans

BP 0410(a)

NONDISCRIMINATION IN DISTRICT PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES

Note: Government Code 11138 mandates districts to adopt rules and regulations to ensure that district programs and activities are free from unlawful discrimination. In accordance with various provisions of state and federal law, discrimination in education programs and activities is unlawful when it is based on certain actual or perceived characteristics of an individual. Education Code 220 prohibits discrimination based on race or ethnicity, nationality, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, gender expression, religion, or any other characteristic contained in the definition of hate crimes in Penal Code 422.55. Government Code 11135 prohibits discrimination based on all the foregoing characteristics and on age, disability, and an individual's genetic information. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC 2000d-7) prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color, and national origin. Title IX (20 USC 1681-1688) prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex. The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) (42 USC 12101-12213) and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC 794) prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability. For policy language protecting students against discrimination and harassment, see BP/AR 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment and BP/AR 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment.

Education Code 260 and 5 CCR 4900-4965 require the Governing Board to monitor district compliance with these state and federal laws. The federal laws are enforced by the Office for Civil Rights of the U.S. Department of Education, and the California Department of Education may investigate complaints regarding discrimination pursuant to 5 CCR 4600-4687.

Similarly, Government Code 12940 provides protections for employees, job applicants, unpaid interns, and volunteers against unlawful discrimination and harassment. Government Code 12940, as amended by AB 556 (Ch. 691, Statutes of 2013), prohibits employers from discriminating against employees and job applicants based on their military or veteran status. In addition, Government Code 12940 prohibits employers from discriminating against employees and job applicants based on genetic information, gender identity, and gender expression, and requires employers to reasonably accommodate employees' religious dress and grooming practices. For policy language addressing these prohibitions-protections as they relate to volunteers, see BP 1240 - Volunteer Assistance, and in relation to employees, unpaid interns, and job applicants, see BP 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment.

The Governing Board is committed to providing equal opportunity for all individuals in education. District programs, activities, and practices shall be free from unlawful discrimination, including discrimination against an individual or group based on race, color, ancestry, nationality, national origin, ethnic group identification, age, religion, marital, pregnancy, or parental status, physical or mental disability, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity or expression, or genetic information; the a perception of one or more of such characteristics; or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)

(cf. 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment)

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

(cf. 4033 - Lactation Accommodation)

(cf. 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment)

(cf. 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave)

(cf. 5131.2 - Bullying)

NONDISCRIMINATION IN DISTRICT PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES (continued)

(cf. 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment)

(cf. 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment)

(cf. 5146 - Married/Pregnant/Parenting Students)

(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)

(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

(cf. 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education)

(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)

(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)

(cf. 6200 - Adult Education)

Note: Education Code 221.2-221.3 (the California Racial Mascot Act), as added by AB 30 (Ch. 767, Statutes of 2015), declare the use of racially derogatory or discriminatory school or athletic team names, mascots, or nicknames in public schools to be contrary to an equal education and specifically prohibit public schools from using the term "Redskins" as a school or athletic team name, mascot, or nickname beginning January 1, 2017. The following paragraph expands this prohibition to include any racially derogatory or discriminatory athletic team name, mascot, or nickname and may be revised to reflect district practice.

District programs and activities shall also be free of any racially derogatory or discriminatory school or not use the term "Redskins" as an athletic team name, mascot, or nickname.

~~Note: Pursuant to Education Code 221.5, as amended by AB 1266 (Ch. 85, Statutes of 2013), a district is required to permit a student to participate in sex-segregated school programs and activities, including athletic teams and competitions, and to use facilities consistent with the student's gender identity, regardless of his/her gender as listed on his/her educational records. See BP/AR 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment. It should be noted that an attempt is currently in progress to qualify a referendum on AB 1266 for the November 2014 ballot. However, even as the eventual outcome is unknown as of this writing, the district still has an obligation under other existing state and federal laws to accommodate the needs of transgender and gender nonconforming students; see BP/AR 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment. Districts with questions about the rights of transgender and gender nonconforming students should consult legal counsel as appropriate. For further information, see CSBA's policy brief Providing a Safe, Nondiscriminatory School Environment for Transgender and Gender-Nonconforming Students and its Interim Updated Legal Guidance: Regarding Protecting Transgender and Gender Nonconforming Students Against Sex Discrimination, Privacy, and Facilities.~~

Annually, the Superintendent or designee shall review district programs and activities to ensure the removal of any ~~derogatory or discriminatory name, image, practice, or other~~ barrier that may unlawfully prevent an individual or group in any of the protected categories stated above from accessing district programs and activities, ~~including the use of facilities~~. He/she shall take prompt, reasonable actions to remove any identified barrier. The Superintendent or designee shall report his/her findings and recommendations to the Board after each review.

(cf. 1330 - Use of Facilities)

NONDISCRIMINATION IN DISTRICT PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES (continued)

All allegations of unlawful discrimination in district programs and activities shall be investigated and resolved in accordance with the procedures specified in AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures.

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

Note: Many nondiscrimination laws and regulations contain a notification requirement. For example, pursuant to 34 CFR 104.8 and 106.9, a district that receives federal aid is required to take "continuing steps" to notify students, parents/guardians, employees, employee organizations, and applicants for admission and employment that it does not discriminate on the bases of disability and sex in its educational programs or activities. In addition, Education Code 221.61, as added by SB 1375 (Ch. 655, Statutes of 2016), requires that, on or before July 1, 2017, districts must post specified information relating to Title IX on their web sites. To ensure consistent implementation of the laws, the same notification requirement should be adopted for all the protected categories as provided in the following paragraph.

Pursuant to 34 CFR 104.8 and 34 CFR 106.9, the Superintendent or designee shall notify students, parents/guardians, employees, employee organizations, applicants for admission and employment, and sources of referral for applicants about the district's policy on nondiscrimination and related complaint procedures. Such notification shall be included in each announcement, bulletin, catalog, handbook, application form, or other materials distributed to these groups and, as applicable, to the public. As appropriate, such notification shall be posted in district schools and offices, including staff lounges, student government meeting rooms, and other prominent locations and shall be posted on the district's web site and, when available, district-supported social media.

(cf. 1113 - District and School Web Sites)

(cf. 1114 - District-Sponsored Social Media)

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48985, when 15 percent or more of students enrolled in a school speak a single primary language other than English, all notices and reports sent to the parents/guardians of these students must also be written in the primary language and may be answered by the parent/guardian in English or the primary language. In addition, 20 USC 6311 and 6312 require that districts receiving Title I funds provide parent/guardian notices in an understandable and uniform format and, to the extent practicable, in a language that parents/guardians understand.

The district's nondiscrimination policy and related informational materials shall be published in a format that parents/guardians can understand. In addition, when 15 percent or more of a school's students speak a single primary language other than English, those materials shall be translated into that other language.

Access for Individuals with Disabilities

Note: Pursuant to the ADA and its implementing regulations, 28 CFR 35.150 and 35.151, district facilities must be accessible to and usable by individuals with disabilities. Compliance methods may include equipment redesign, reassignment of services to accessible buildings, assignment of aides to beneficiaries, home visits, delivery of services at alternate accessible sites, and alteration of existing facilities and

NONDISCRIMINATION IN DISTRICT PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES (continued)

construction of new facilities. In achieving compliance, a district need not make structural changes to existing facilities if other methods are effective and the district can demonstrate that the structural change would result in a fundamental alteration in the nature of the activity or an undue financial or administrative burden. However, pursuant to 28 CFR 35.151, all newly constructed facilities must comply with the 2010 ADA Standards for Accessible Designs issued by the U.S. Department of Justice.

In addition, pursuant to 28 CFR 35.136, a district must permit an individual with a disability to be accompanied by a service animal on district premises when, without the animal's assistance, the individual with a disability will not be able to access or participate in a district program or activity. For language addressing this mandate, see AR 6163.2 - Animals at School. Districts with questions about compliance with the ADA should consult with legal counsel as appropriate.

District programs and facilities, viewed in their entirety, shall be in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) and any implementing standards and/or regulations. **When structural changes to existing district facilities are needed to provide individuals with disabilities access to programs, services, activities, or facilities, the Superintendent or designee shall develop a transition plan that sets forth the steps for completing the changes.**

(cf. 6163.2 - Animals at School)

(cf. 7110 - Facilities Master Plan)

(cf. 7111 - Evaluating Existing Buildings)

Note: Pursuant to 28 CFR 35.130 and 35.160, the ADA requires districts to provide services and aids to ensure that a disabled individual is not excluded from participation or denied a benefit, service, or program on the basis of a disability. However, if the district can show that providing such aids and services would fundamentally alter the nature of the function, program, or meeting or would be an undue burden, then the district need not provide them.

In addition, Government Code 54953.2 requires that all Board meetings meet the protections of the ADA and implementing regulations (28 CFR 35.160 and 36.303). In effect, the district must ensure that such meetings are accessible to persons with disabilities and that, upon the request of any person with a disability, disability-related accommodations, such as auxiliary aids and services, are made available.

A U.S. Department of Justice technical assistance publication, Accessibility of State and Local Government Websites to People with Disabilities, affirms that the ADA applies to district-sponsored web sites. Examples of technical standards for web site accessibility are available from the World Wide Web Consortium, California Department of Education's standards for state web sites, and other sources; see BP 1113 - District and School Web Sites.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the district provides appropriate auxiliary aids and services when necessary to afford individuals with disabilities equal opportunity to participate in or enjoy the benefits of a service, program, or activity. These aids and services may include, but are not limited to, qualified interpreters or readers, assistive listening devices, **assistive technologies or other modifications to increase accessibility to district and school web sites**, notetakers, written materials, taped text, and Braille or large print materials. Individuals with disabilities shall notify the Superintendent or principal if they

NONDISCRIMINATION IN DISTRICT PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITIES (continued)

have a disability that requires special assistance or services. Reasonable notification should be given prior to ~~the~~ a school-sponsored function, program, or meeting.

(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

(cf. 9322 - Agenda/Meeting Materials)

Note: Pursuant to 28 CFR 35.107, a district that has 50 or more employees is required to designate at least one employee to coordinate the district's efforts to comply with the ADA. The designated employee could be the same individual or position responsible for the district's compliance with state and federal laws and regulations governing educational programs as identified in the district's uniform complaint procedures. The following paragraph, which identifies the person or position identified in the AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures as the responsible employee, may be modified if the district chooses to designate another person or position.

The individual identified in AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures as the employee responsible for coordinating the district's response to complaints and for complying with state and federal civil rights laws is hereby designated as the district's ADA coordinator. He/she shall receive and address requests for accommodation submitted by individuals with disabilities, and shall investigate and resolve complaints regarding their access to district programs, services, activities, or facilities.

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Legal Reference: (see next page)

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Board Policy

Nondiscrimination In District Programs And Activities

BP 0410

Philosophy, Goals, Objectives and Comprehensive Plans

The Governing Board is committed to equal opportunity for all individuals in education. District programs, activities, and practices shall be free from discrimination based on race, color, ancestry, national origin, ethnic group identification, age, religion, marital or parental status, physical or mental disability, sex, sexual orientation, gender, or genetic information; the perception of one or more of such characteristics; or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

(cf. 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment)

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

(cf. 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment)

(cf. 5131.2 - Bullying)

(cf. 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment)

(cf. 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment)

(cf. 5146 - Married/Pregnant/Parenting Students)

(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

(cf. 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education)

(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)

(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)

(cf. 6200 - Adult Education)

Pursuant to 34 CFR 104.8 and 34 CFR 106.9, the Superintendent or designee shall notify students, parents/guardians, employees, employee organizations, applicants for admission and employment, and sources of referral for applicants about the district's policy on nondiscrimination and related complaint procedures. Such notification shall be included in each announcement, bulletin, catalog, application form, or other recruitment materials distributed to these groups.

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

(cf. 4031 - Complaints Concerning Discrimination in Employment)

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

The district's nondiscrimination policy and related informational materials shall be published in a format that parents/guardians can understand and, when required by law, in a language other than English.

Access for Individuals with Disabilities

District programs and facilities, viewed in their entirety, shall be in compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act and any implementing standards and/or regulations.

(cf. 6163.2 - *Animals At School*)
(cf. 7110 - *Facilities Master Plan*)
(cf. 7111 - *Evaluating Existing Buildings*)

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the district provides auxiliary aids and services when necessary to afford individuals with disabilities equal opportunity to participate in or enjoy the benefits of a service, program, or activity. These aids and services may include, but are not limited to, qualified interpreters or readers, assistive listening devices, notetakers, written materials, taped text, and Braille or large print materials.

(cf. 6020 - *Parent Involvement*)

Individuals with disabilities shall notify the Superintendent or principal if they have a disability that requires special assistance or services. Reasonable notification should be given prior to the school-sponsored function, program, or meeting.

(cf. 9320 - *Meetings and Notices*)
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CSBA Sample Board Policy

Philosophy, Goals, Objectives, and Comprehensive Plans

BP 0420.41(a)

CHARTER SCHOOL OVERSIGHT

Note: The following optional policy may be revised to reflect district practice. The Governing Board is obligated to monitor the performance of any charter school it authorizes in order to ensure the school's compliance with legal requirements and progress toward meeting measurable outcomes specified in the charter. Information about the school's performance ~~will be needed~~ ~~is necessary~~ when determining whether ~~to~~ to grant a renewal of the charter or whether a revocation of the charter is warranted; see BP 0420.42 - Charter School Renewal and BP 0420.43 - Charter School Revocation. In addition, pursuant to Education Code 47604, if the district complies with all oversight responsibilities required by law, it will not be liable for the debts or obligations of any charter school that operates as or is operated by a nonprofit public benefit corporation pursuant to Corporations Code 5110-6910.

Pursuant to Education Code 47605, if the State Board of Education (SBE) approves a petition upon appeal after the Board and County Board of Education have denied the petition, the SBE may, by mutual agreement, designate its supervisory and oversight responsibilities to the Board or to any local educational agency in the county in which the charter school is located.

The Governing Board recognizes its ongoing responsibility to ~~ensure~~ ~~oversee~~ that any charter school ~~the Board has~~ authorized ~~by the Board~~ is successfully fulfilling the terms of its charter and is providing a high-quality educational program for students enrolled in the charter school.

(cf. 0420.4 - Charter School Authorization)
(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

The Superintendent or designee shall identify at least one staff member to serve as a contact ~~person~~ for each charter school ~~authorized by the Board~~. (Education Code 47604.32)

Note: Education Code 47604.32 requires the district to visit each charter school at least once every year. CSBA's publication Charter Schools: A Manual Guide for Governance Teams recommends more frequent visits, perhaps two or three times during the school year, in order to monitor school operations more closely and develop relationships with the staff at the charter school.

The Board and Superintendent or designee may inspect or observe any part of the charter school at any time. The Superintendent or designee shall visit each charter school at least annually. (Education Code 47604.32, 47607)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Pursuant to Education Code 47604, if a charter school operates as or is operated by a nonprofit public benefit corporation, the Board is entitled to a single representative on the board of directors of the nonprofit public benefit corporation. CSBA's publication Charter Schools: A Manual Guide for Governance Teams recommends that the district consult with legal counsel and consider any potential conflict of interest that may arise from having an individual Board member vote as a member of the charter board of directors on issues on which the Board will need to provide oversight. CSBA's manual guide suggests that an alternative approach may be for the district to designate its charter school contact, appointed pursuant to Education Code 47604.32, to ~~sit on the charter board attend meetings of the charter school board~~

CHARTER SCHOOL OVERSIGHT (continued)

~~Whenever a charter school operates as or is operated by a nonprofit public benefit corporation as authorized by Education Code 47604, the Superintendent shall recommend and the Board shall appoint a district representative, who may be the district's charter school contact, on the corporation's board of directors. The Superintendent or designee shall attend meetings of the charter school board whenever possible and shall periodically meet with a representative of the charter school.~~

Waivers

Note: A charter school is not authorized to submit general waiver requests to the SBE on its own behalf. Rather, the district must submit the waiver request for the charter school. A general waiver request form is available on the California Department of Education's (CDE) web site. Exceptions for which the charter school may directly apply for a waiver include a federal waiver of the Carl Perkins Career and Technical Education Act and a specific waiver of instructional time penalties.

If the charter school wishes to request a general waiver of any state law or regulation ~~applicable to it~~, it shall request that the district submit a general waiver request to the State Board of Education (SBE) on its behalf. Upon approval of the Board, the Superintendent or designee shall ~~apply for the submit such a~~ waiver ~~request to the SBE on behalf of the~~ ~~charter school~~.

(cf. 1431 - Waivers)

Provision of District Services

Note: The following optional section may be revised to reflect district practice. A charter school may elect to receive its funding directly from the County Superintendent of Schools pursuant to Education Code 47651 and be directly responsible for the provision of payroll, human resources, maintenance and operations, legal services, and other administrative operations. Alternatively, a charter school may receive its funding through the district that granted its charter, as is the case with most "dependent" charter schools. CSBA's publication Charter Schools: A Manual Guide for Governance Teams recommends one or more memoranda of understanding to clarify the financial and operational agreements between the district and the charter school, including any services that will be provided by the district; see BP 0420.4 - Charter School Authorization.

The charter school may purchase administrative or other services from the district or any other source. (Education Code 47613)

Whenever the district agrees to provide administrative or support services, the district and charter school shall develop a memorandum of understanding which clarifies the financial and operational agreements between the district and charter school.

At the request of a charter school, the Superintendent or designee shall create and submit any reports required by the State Teachers' Retirement System or Public Employees' Retirement System on behalf of the charter school. The ~~district may charge the~~ charter school ~~may be~~

CHARTER SCHOOL OVERSIGHT (continued)

~~charged~~ for the actual costs of the reporting services, but shall not ~~be~~ required ~~the charter school~~ to purchase payroll processing services from the district as a condition for creating and submitting these reports. (Education Code 47611.3)

Material Revisions to Charter

Material revisions to a charter may ~~only~~ be made ~~only~~ with Board approval. Material revisions shall be governed by the same standards and criteria that apply to new charter petitions as set forth in Education Code 47605 and shall include, but not be limited to, a reasonably comprehensive description of any new requirement for charter schools enacted into law after the charter was originally granted or last renewed. (Education Code 47607)

If an approved charter school proposes to ~~expand, establish, or move~~ operations to one or more additional sites ~~within the district's boundaries~~, the charter school shall request a material revision to its charter and shall notify the Board of those additional locations. The Board shall consider approval of the additional locations at an open meeting. (Education Code 47605)

The Board shall have the authority to determine whether a proposed change in charter school operations constitutes a material revision ~~of the approved charter~~.

Monitoring Charter School Performance

Note: The district has a responsibility to ~~ensure oversees~~ that the charter school complies with all applicable legal requirements. Violation of any law may subject the charter school to revocation pursuant to Education Code 47607. See the accompanying Exhibit for a list of legal requirements pertaining to the operation of charter schools.

The Superintendent or designee shall monitor the charter school to determine whether it complies with all legal requirements applicable to charter schools, including making all reports required of charter schools in accordance with Education Code 47604.32. Any violations of law shall be reported to the Board.

Note: Education Code 47605 requires that measurable student outcomes for "all groups of students served by the charter school" be included in the school's charter petition and ~~that these outcomes be aligned with the state priorities for the local control and accountability plan (LCAP) as stated in Education Code 52060; see AR 0420.4 - Charter School Authorization. Pursuant to Education Code 47607, "all groups of students served by the charter school" means all numerically significant subgroups of students served by the charter school, as defined in Education Code 52052. Education Code 52052, as amended by AB 104 (Ch. 13, Statutes of 2015), defines a numerically significant subgroup as a subgroup with at least 30 students (or at least 15 foster youth or homeless students) in the school, including ethnic subgroups, socioeconomically disadvantaged students, English learners, students with disabilities, foster youth, and homeless students, when there are at least 30 students in the subgroup (or at least 15 foster youth or homeless students) in the school. For schools with 11-99 students, numerically significant student subgroups are defined by the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) with approval by the SBE.~~

CHARTER SCHOOL OVERSIGHT (continued)

~~In addition~~ Education Code 47605 requires that the charter petition include methods for measuring the charter school's progress toward achieving student outcomes. Although ~~these methods, the measures of the school's progress~~ may vary, Education Code 47605 requires that charter schools conduct any statewide assessments applicable to other public schools. ~~In addition~~, Education Code 47604.32 and 47604.33, ~~as amended by SB 828 (Ch. 29, Statutes of 2016)~~, requires the district to ensure that the charter school submits an annual update of school goals and actions to achieve those goals, its LCAP as required by Education Code 47606.5. Education Code 47606.5 requires that the charter school's LCAP include a review of progress toward its goals, an assessment of the effectiveness of the specific actions described in the charter toward achieving the goals, and a description of changes in the specific actions that the charter school will make as a result of the review and assessment.

~~At a minimum, the charter school must demonstrate that it is meeting its Academic Performance Index growth targets pursuant to Education Code 52051.5-52052 and, if the school receives federal Title I funding, that it is making "adequate yearly progress" (AYP) as defined by the SBE in accordance with 20 USC 6311.~~

The Board shall monitor each charter school to determine whether it is achieving, both schoolwide and for all groups of students served by the school, the measurable student outcomes set forth in the charter. This determination shall be based on the measures specified in the approved charter and on the charter school's annual review and assessment of its progress toward the goals and actions identified in its local control and accountability plan (LCAP) and shall include, at a minimum, a consideration of whether the school is meeting its Academic Performance Index growth targets established pursuant to Education Code 52052 and is making "adequate yearly progress" pursuant to 20 USC 6311, as applicable.

The Board shall monitor the fiscal condition of the charter school based on any financial information obtained from the charter school, including, but not limited to, the charter school's preliminary budget, an annual update aligned to the template adopted by the SBE of school goals, actions, and related expenditures of the school's LCAP, first and second interim financial reports, and final unaudited report for the full prior year. (Education Code 47604.32, 47604.33, 47606.5)

Note: Education Code 47613 authorizes the district to charge the charter school, within specified limits, for the costs of supervisory oversight of the school. Education Code 47613 provides that the costs of supervisory oversight include, but are not limited to, costs incurred for technical assistance or intervention pursuant to Education Code 47607.3; see the section "Technical Assistance/Intervention" below. CSBA's publication *Charter Schools: A Manual Guide for Governance Teams* suggests that supervisory oversight activities also might include site visits, reviews of performance data and financial reports, and legal auditing. The actual provision of administrative or support services would not likely be considered supervisory oversight for purposes of charging supervisory oversight costs to the charter school. ~~Those services may be purchased separately by the charter school.~~

The district may charge up to one percent of a charter school's revenue for the actual costs of supervisory oversight of the school. However, if the district is able to provide substantially rent-free facilities to the charter school, the district may charge up to three percent of the charter school's revenue for actual costs of supervisory oversight up to three percent of the charter school's revenue or, if the facility is provided under Education Code 47614,

CHARTER SCHOOL OVERSIGHT (continued)

the pro-rata share facilities costs calculated pursuant to 5 CCR 11969.7. If the district charges the pro-rata share, it may also charge one percent of the charter school's revenue in oversight fees. (Education Code 47613)

(cf. 7160 - Charter School Facilities)

Technical Assistance/Intervention

Note: Education Code 47607.3, as added by AB 97 (Ch. 47, Statutes of 2012), requires the provision of technical assistance to a charter school under the circumstances described below.

If, in three out of four consecutive school years, a charter school fails to improve outcomes for three or more student subgroups identified in Education Code 52052, or for all of the student subgroups if the school has fewer than three, in regard to one or more state or school priorities identified in the charter, the district: (Education Code 47607.3)

1. Shall provide technical assistance to the charter school using an evaluation rubric adopted by the SBE pursuant to Education Code 52064.5
2. May request that the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI), with SBE approval, assign the California Collaborative for Educational Excellence to provide advice and assistance to the charter school pursuant to Education Code 52074

Note: Pursuant to 20 USC 6311, if a charter school receiving Title I funds fails to make AYP for two or more consecutive years, the school will be identified for program improvement pursuant to 20 USC 6316. See BP/AR 0520.2 "Title I Program Improvement Schools." U.S. Department of Education, nonregulatory guidance: *The Impact of the New Title I Requirements on Charter Schools*, clarifies that the entity which authorizes the charter is responsible for ensuring that the school complies with accountability provisions. As amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (P.L. 114-95), 20 USC 6311 provides for a new system of school support and improvement for Title I schools beginning in the 2017-18 school year. Until then, charter schools that have been identified for program improvement (PI) for failures to make "adequate yearly progress" for two or more consecutive years must continue to implement their improvement plans. However, because of the repeal of 20 USC 6316 by P.L. 114-95, schools in the second year of PI or beyond are no longer required to arrange for supplemental educational services from an approved service provider. Instead, the CDE has elected to require the provision of alternative supports, defined and administered by the school, to eligible students beginning with the 2016-17 school year; see the CDE's *Every Student Succeeds Act 2016-17 School Year Transition Plan* (April 2016).

If a charter school receiving federal Title I funding fails to make AYP, as defined pursuant to 20 USC 6311, for two or more consecutive years, the school shall be identified for program improvement, it and shall implement improvement strategies in accordance with 20 USC 6316 its existing school improvement plan.

(cf. 0520.2 - Title I Program Improvement Schools)

CHARTER SCHOOL OVERSIGHT (continued)

Note: Education Code 47607 requires the Board to consider specified criteria of academic performance when determining whether to deny a petition for charter renewal or to revoke a charter, with achievement of all student subgroups served by the charter school being the most important factor; see BP 0420.42 - Charter School Renewal and BP 0420.43 - Charter School Revocation. In addition, Education Code 47607.3 ~~as added by AB 97 (Ch. 17, Statutes of 2013)~~ requires the Board to consider revocation of a charter whenever it finds that the charter school ~~has failed or is unable~~ to implement the recommendations of the California Collaborative for Educational Excellence or continues to demonstrate persistent or acute inadequate performance.

In accordance with law, the Board may deny a charter ~~school's~~ renewal petition or may revoke a charter based on the charter school's poor performance, especially with regard to the academic achievement of all numerically significant subgroups of students served by the charter school.

(cf. 0420.42 - Charter School Renewal)

(cf. 0420.43 - Charter School Revocation)

Complaints

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 52075, ~~as added by AB 97 (Ch. 17, Statutes of 2013)~~, charter schools are required to establish policies and procedures ~~on or before June 30, 2014~~ addressing complaints of noncompliance with Education Code 47606.5 (annual update of school goals, actions, and related expenditures) or 47607.3 (technical assistance or intervention based on the school's failure to improve student outcomes). See AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures for applicable procedures.

Each charter school shall ~~establish and~~ maintain ~~processes, policies, and procedures~~ to enable any person to file a complaint, in accordance with the uniform complaint procedures as specified in 5 CCR 4600-4687, alleging the school's noncompliance with Education Code 47606.5 or 47607.3. (Education Code 52075)

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 52075, ~~as added by AB 97 (Ch. 17, Statutes of 2013)~~, a complainant may ~~appeal the charter school's decision to the SPI and will receive a written appeal decision within 60 days of the SPI's receipt of the appeal~~

A complainant who is not satisfied with the decision may appeal the decision to the SPI. (Education Code 52075)

If the charter school finds merit in the complaint or the SPI finds merit in an appeal, a remedy shall be provided to all affected students and parents/guardians. (Education Code 52075)

CHARTER SCHOOL OVERSIGHT (continued)**School Closure**

Note: The following optional section may be revised to reflect district practice. Pursuant to Education Code 47605, procedures to be followed in the event a charter school ceases operation for any reason must be specified in the charter; see AR 0420.4 - Charter School Authorization. 5 CCR 11962 lists components that must be included in these procedures, including (1) designation of a responsible entity to conduct closure-related activities; (2) notifications to specified persons and entities; (3) provision of information about students' grade level, course completion, and district of residence; (4) transfer and maintenance of student and personnel records; (5) completion of an independent final audit; and (6) disposal of any net assets remaining after all liabilities of the charter school have been paid or otherwise addressed.

Depending on the terms of the charter, these duties may be performed by the charter school, the district, or another specified entity. However, Education Code 47604.32 specifies that it is the responsibility of the district to notify the CDE when a charter school ceases operation for any reason. The CDE's web site also recommends that, in addition to the notifications required by 5 CCR 11962, either the district or the charter school should announce the closure to any school districts that may be responsible for providing education services to the former students of the charter school.

The CDE's web site recommends that charter school closures occur at the end of a school year if it is feasible to maintain a legally compliant program until then.

In the event that the Board revokes or denies renewal of a charter or the school ~~ceases~~ **operation** for any ~~other~~ reason, the Superintendent or designee shall, when applicable in accordance with the charter and/or a memorandum of understanding, provide assistance to facilitate the transfer of the charter school's former students and to finalize financial reporting and close-out.

The Superintendent or designee shall provide notification to the California Department of Education, within 10 calendar days ~~of the Board's action~~, if ~~renewal of the charter is denied; the charter is revoked; or~~ the charter school will cease operation for any reason.

Such notification shall include, but not be limited to, a description of the circumstances of the closure, the effective date of the closure, and the location of student and personnel records. (Education Code 47604.32; 5 CCR 11962.1)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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~~215.5 Suicide prevention policy~~

220 Nondiscrimination

221.9 Sex equity in competitive athletics

222 Lactation accommodations for students

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42100 Annual statement of receipts and expenditures

44030.5 Reporting change in employment status due to alleged misconduct

44237 Criminal record summary

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48000 Minimum age of admission for kindergarten; transitional kindergarten

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48850-48859 Educational placement of foster youth and homeless students

48907 Students' exercise of free expression; rules and regulations

48950 Student speech and other communication

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60600-60649 Assessment of academic achievement

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1090-1099 Prohibitions applicable to specified officers

3540-3549.3 Educational Employment Relations Act

81000-91014 Political Reform Act of 1974

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~~104420 Tobacco Use Prevention Education grant program~~

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1198.5 Personnel records related to performance and grievance

PENAL CODE

667.5 Definition of violent felony

1192.7 Definition of serious felony

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Article 9, Section 5 Common school system

Article 16, Section 8.5 Public finance; school accountability report card

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

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Board Policy

Charter School Oversight

BP 0420.41

Philosophy, Goals, Objectives and Comprehensive Plans

The Governing Board recognizes its ongoing responsibility to ensure that any charter school authorized by the Board is successfully fulfilling the terms of its charter and is providing a high-quality educational program for students enrolled in the charter school.

(cf. 0420.4 - Charter School Authorization)

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

The Superintendent or designee shall identify at least one staff member to serve as a contact for each charter school. (Education Code 47604.32)

The Board and Superintendent or designee may inspect or observe any part of the charter school at any time. The Superintendent or designee shall visit each charter school at least annually. (Education Code 47604.32, 47607)

Whenever a charter school operates as or is operated by a nonprofit public benefit corporation as authorized by Education Code 47604, the Superintendent shall recommend and the Board shall appoint a district representative, who may be the district's charter school contact, to serve as a voting or nonvoting member of the corporation's board of directors.

Provision of District Services

The district may charge for the actual costs of supervisory oversight of a charter school not to exceed one percent of the charter school's revenue. If the district is able to provide substantially rent-free facilities to the charter school, the district may charge actual costs up to three percent of the charter school's revenue for supervisory oversight. (Education Code 47613)

(cf. 7160 - Charter School Facilities)

The charter school may separately purchase administrative or other services from the district or any other source. (Education Code 47613)

At the request of a charter school, the Superintendent or designee shall create and submit any reports required by the State Teachers' Retirement System or Public Employees' Retirement System on behalf of the charter school. The charter school may be charged for the actual costs of the reporting services, but shall not be required to purchase payroll processing

services from the district as a condition for creating and submitting these reports. (Education Code 47611.3)

Waivers

If the charter school wishes to request a general waiver of any state law or regulation, it shall request that the Superintendent or designee submit a general waiver request to the State Board of Education (SBE) on its behalf.

Material Revisions to Charter

Material revisions to a charter may be made only with Board approval. Material revisions shall be governed by the same standards and criteria that apply to new charter petitions as set forth in Education Code 47605 and shall include, but not be limited to, a reasonably comprehensive description of any new requirement of charter schools enacted into law after the charter was originally granted or last renewed. (Education Code 47607)

If an approved charter school proposes to expand operations to one or more additional sites within the district's boundaries, the charter school shall request a material revision to its charter and shall notify the Board of those additional locations. The Board shall consider approval of the additional locations at an open meeting. (Education Code 47605)

The Board shall have the authority to determine whether a proposed change in charter school operations constitutes a material revision.

Monitoring Charter School Performance

The Superintendent or designee shall regularly report to the Board on the charter school's performance, based on the academic and fiscal accountability measures specified in the approved charter.

In providing general oversight of a charter school, the Board and the Superintendent or designee shall determine whether the school complies with all legal requirements applicable to charter schools, including making all reports required of charter schools in accordance with Education Code 47604.32.

The Board shall monitor the fiscal condition of the charter school based on any financial information obtained from the charter school, including, but not limited to, the charter school's preliminary budget, first and second interim financial reports, and final unaudited report for the full prior year. (Education Code 47604.32, 47604.33)

The Board shall monitor each charter school to determine whether it is achieving the outcomes for student learning set forth in the charter agreement. In addition, the Board shall determine whether the charter school makes "adequate yearly progress" as defined by the SBE and federal Title I accountability requirements. If a charter school fails to make

adequate yearly progress for two or more consecutive years, the Board shall take action for program improvement in accordance with law, Board policy, and administrative regulations.

(cf. 0520.2 - Title I Program Improvement Schools)

Evaluation data for the charter school shall be considered in the Board's determination of the renewal or revocation of a charter.

(cf. 0420.42 - Charter School Renewal)

(cf. 0420.43 - Charter School Revocation)

School Closure

In the event that the Board revokes or denies renewal of a charter or the school closes for any other reason, the Superintendent or designee shall provide assistance, when applicable in accordance with the charter and/or a memorandum of understanding, to facilitate the transfer of the charter school's former students and to finalize financial reporting and close-out.

The Superintendent or designee shall provide notification to the California Department of Education, within 10 calendar days, if the charter school will cease operation for any reason. Such notification shall include, but not be limited to, a description of the circumstances of the closure, the effective date of the closure, and the location of student and personnel records. (Education Code 47604.32; 5 CCR 11962.1)

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LOCAL CONTROL AND ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN

Note: The following policy is optional. Education Code 52060-52077 require the Governing Board to adopt and annually update, on or before July 1, a local control and accountability plan (LCAP). A template for the plan and related requirements for LCAP development are contained in 5 CCR 15494.15497.5, as amended by Register 2015, No. 2. Pursuant to Education Code 52060, the LCAP must include goals and actions aligned with eight state priorities related to (1) the degree to which teachers are appropriately assigned and fully credentialed, students have sufficient access to standards-based instructional materials, and facilities are maintained in good repair; (2) implementation of and student access to state academic content and performance standards; (3) parent/guardian involvement; (4) student achievement; (5) student engagement; (6) school climate; (7) student access to and enrollment in a broad course of study, including programs and services provided to benefit low-income students, English learners, and/or foster youth (i.e., "unduplicated students" for purposes of the local control funding formula); and (8) student outcomes in the specified course of study. Education Code 52060 provides that, in addition to addressing the state priorities in the LCAP, the districts may establish and address local priorities. Examples include priorities for student wellness and other conditions of children, professional development, community involvement, and effective governance and leadership. See the accompanying administrative regulation for further information about the required content of the LCAP.

The LCAP is a key component of the state accountability system. Pursuant to Education Code 52064.5, the State Board of Education (SBE) has adopted evaluation rubrics (called the "California School Dashboard") which will assist districts in evaluating their progress toward the goals in their LCAP. Under the flexibility provided by the federal Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) (P.L. 114-95), California has begun to streamline local, state, and federal requirements into a single, coherent system for planning, accountability, and school improvement and support.

The Governing Board desires to ensure the most effective use of available funding to improve outcomes for all students. A community-based, comprehensive, data-driven planning process shall be used to identify annual goals and specific actions and to facilitate continuous improvement of district practices.

(cf. 0000 - Vision)

(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)

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LOCAL CONTROL AND ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN (continued)

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A template for the LCAP and related requirements are contained in 5 CCR 15494.15497.5. According to California Department of Education (CDE) correspondence dated January 18, 2017, for the 2017-18 school year, districts scheduled for Federal Program Monitoring and/or applying for Title III funds must also complete an LCAP Addendum that was developed by the CDE to ensure alignment of local, state, and federal planning efforts. Districts may use an electronic template accessible on the CDE's web site to create their LCAP.

The Board shall adopt a districtwide local control and accountability plan (LCAP), following the template provided in 5 CCR 15497.5, that addresses the state priorities in Education Code 52060 and any local priorities adopted by the Board. The LCAP shall be updated on or before July 1 of each year and, like the district budget, shall cover the next fiscal year and subsequent two fiscal years. (Education Code 52060; 5 CCR 15497.5)

(cf. 3100 - Budget)

The LCAP shall focus on improving outcomes for all students, particularly those who are "unduplicated students" and other underperforming students.

Unduplicated students include students who are eligible for free or reduced-price meals, English learners, and foster youth and are counted only once for purposes of the local control funding formula. (Education Code 42238.02)

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)

Note: Education Code 52062 requires the district to ensure that the specific actions included in the LCAP are consistent with strategies in the single plan for student achievement (SPSA) submitted by each school pursuant to Education Code 64001; see BP/AR 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils for SPSA requirements. In addition, the LCAP template in 5 CCR 15497.5 allows for the LCAP to be supplemented with information contained in other plans, including the Title I local educational agency plan required by 20 USC 6312 (see BP/AR 6171 - Title I Programs).

The Superintendent or designee shall review the single plan for student achievement (SPSA) submitted by each district school pursuant to Education Code 64001 to ensure that the specific actions included in the LCAP are consistent with strategies included in the SPSA. (Education Code 52062)

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)

LOCAL CONTROL AND ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN (continued)

The LCAP shall also be aligned with other district and school plans to the extent possible in order to minimize duplication of effort and provide clear direction for program implementation.

(cf. 0400 - Comprehensive Plans)

(cf. 0440 - District Technology Plan)

(cf. 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan)

(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)

(cf. 6171 - Title I Programs)

(cf. 7110 - Facilities Master Plan)

Any complaint that the district has not complied with legal requirements pertaining to the LCAP may be filed pursuant to AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures. (Education Code 52075)

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

Plan Development

The Superintendent or designee shall gather data and information needed for effective and meaningful plan development and present it to the Board and community. Such data and information shall include, but not be limited to, data regarding the number of students in student subgroups, disaggregated data on student achievement levels, and information about current programs and expenditures.

Note: Education Code 52060 requires consultation on plan development with all of the groups listed below. The Board may delegate responsibility for arranging meetings and other input opportunities to the Superintendent or designee.

5 CCR 15495 defines what it means to consult with students, including unduplicated students and other numerically significant student subgroups, and gives examples of methods that may be used for this consultation. Pursuant to Education Code 52052, ~~as amended by AB 104 (Ch. 13, Statutes of 2015)~~, a numerically significant subgroup includes ethnic subgroups, students with disabilities, socioeconomically disadvantaged students, English learners, foster youth, and homeless students, when there are at least 30 students in the subgroup (or 15 foster youth or homeless students) in the school or district. For schools or districts with 11-99 students, numerically significant student subgroups are defined by the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) with approval of the State Board of Education (SBE).

State regulations do not provide examples of consultation with groups other than students, but consultations might include the establishment of an advisory committee consisting of representatives of all the specified groups, solicitation of feedback from the groups after a draft plan is available, discussion of the LCAP at staff meetings, and communication with parent organizations, student councils, school site councils, or other established committees or organizations.

The district may expand the following paragraph to reflect district practice.

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The Board shall consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, employee bargaining units, parents/guardians, and students in developing the LCAP. Consultation with students shall enable unduplicated students and other numerically significant student subgroups to review and comment on LCAP development and may include surveys of students, student forums, student advisory committees, and/or meetings with student government bodies or other groups representing students. (Education Code 52060; 5 CCR 15495)

(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)
(cf. 4140/4240/4340 - Bargaining Units)
(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

Public Review and Input

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 52063 and 5 CCR 15495, ~~as amended by Register 2015 No. 2~~ the Board is required to establish a parent advisory committee that is composed of a majority of parents/guardians and includes at least one parent/guardian of an unduplicated student. In addition, if district enrollment includes at least 15 percent English learners, with at least 50 students who are English learners, the Board is required to establish an English learner parent advisory committee which, pursuant to 5 CCR 15495 as amended, must include a majority of parents/guardians of English learners. The district may use existing parent advisory committees for these purposes if the committee composition complies with Education Code 52063 and 5 CCR 15945. However, the district should consider whether such opportunities need to be expanded to achieve significant levels of stakeholder involvement in the planning process as intended by the law.

The Board shall establish a parent advisory committee to review and comment on the LCAP. The committee shall be composed of a majority of parents/guardians and shall include at least one parent/guardian of an unduplicated student as defined above. (Education Code 52063; 5 CCR 15495)

Whenever district enrollment includes at least 15 percent English learners, with at least 50 students who are English learners, the Board shall establish an English learner parent advisory committee composed of a majority of parents/guardians of English learners. (Education Code 52063; 5 CCR 15495)

The Superintendent or designee shall present the LCAP to the committee(s) before it is submitted to the Board for adoption, and shall respond in writing to comments received from the committee(s). (Education Code 52062)

Note: Education Code 52062 requires notification to the public of the opportunity to submit written comments on the proposed LCAP, including notification in the primary language of parents/guardians when required by Education Code 48985. Pursuant to Education Code 48985, whenever 15 percent or more of the students in a school speak a single primary language other than English, notifications sent to parents/guardians of such students must be written in the primary language as well as in English; see BP 5145.6 - Parental Notifications.

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The Superintendent or designee shall notify members of the public of the opportunity to submit written comments regarding the specific actions and expenditures proposed to be included in the LCAP. The notification shall be provided using the most efficient method of notification possible, which may not necessarily include producing printed notices or sending notices by mail. All written notifications related to the LCAP shall be provided in the primary language of parents/guardians when required by Education Code 48985. (Education Code 52062)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 305, as amended by Proposition 58 (November 2016) and effective July 1, 2017, the LCAP parent and community engagement process must include solicitation of input as described in the following paragraph. Also see BP/AR 6174 - Education for English Language Learners for further information regarding the types of language acquisition programs that may be offered to students.

As part of the parent and community engagement process, the district shall solicit input on effective and appropriate instructional methods, including, but not limited to, establishing language acquisition programs to enable all students, including English learners and native English speakers, to have access to the core academic content standards and to become proficient in English. (Education Code 305-306)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 42127, the Board cannot adopt a district budget until the LCAP is in place for the budget year; see BP 3100 - Budget. The budget must include the expenditures necessary to implement the plan that will be effective during the subsequent fiscal year. If it does not, the County Superintendent of Schools will disapprove the district's budget.

The Board shall hold at least one public hearing to solicit the recommendations and comments of members of the public regarding the specific actions and expenditures proposed to be included in the LCAP. The public hearing shall be held at the same meeting as the budget hearing required pursuant to Education Code 42127 and AR 3100 - Budget. (Education Code 42127, 52062)

(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

Adoption of the Plan

The Board shall adopt the LCAP prior to adopting the district budget, but at the same public meeting. This meeting shall be held after the public hearing described above, but not on the same day as the hearing.

The Board may adopt revisions to the LCAP at any time during the period in which the plan is in effect, provided the Board follows the process to adopt the LCAP pursuant to Education Code 52062 and the revisions are adopted in a public meeting. (Education Code 52062)

LOCAL CONTROL AND ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN (continued)**Submission of Plan to County Superintendent of Schools**

Note: Education Code 52070 requires the district to submit the LCAP to the County Superintendent. The County Superintendent may seek written clarification of the contents of the plan and may submit recommendations for amendments as provided below. He/she is required to approve the LCAP on or before October 8 if he/she determines that (1) the LCAP adheres to the template in 5 CCR 15497.5 ~~as added by Register 2015, No. 2~~; (2) the district budget includes expenditures sufficient to implement the specific actions in the LCAP; and (3) the LCAP adheres to supplemental and concentration grant expenditure requirements specified in Education Code 42238.07 for unduplicated students. In determining whether the district has fully demonstrated that it will use supplemental and concentration funds to increase or improve services for unduplicated students, 5 CCR 15497 ~~as added by Register 2015, No. 2~~ requires the County Superintendent to review any descriptions of districtwide or schoolwide services provided.

Not later than five days after adoption of the LCAP, the Board shall file the LCAP with the County Superintendent of Schools. (Education Code 52070)

If the County Superintendent sends, by August 15, a written request for clarification of the contents of the LCAP, the Board shall respond in writing within 15 days of the request. If the County Superintendent then submits recommendations for amendments to the LCAP within 15 days of receiving the Board's response, the Board shall consider those recommendations in a public meeting within 15 days of receiving the recommendations. (Education Code 52070)

Monitoring Progress

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect the district's timeline for reviewing evaluations of the progress and effectiveness of strategies included in the LCAP. Such reports should be provided to the Board in sufficient time to allow for any necessary changes in the annual update to the LCAP by July 1 of each year, as required by Education Code 52060-52061. ~~The California School Dashboard provides a tool to assist in evaluation of district and school performance and includes all of the state priorities for the LCAP described in Education Code 52060.~~

~~In September 2016, the SBE adopted evaluation rubrics to assist districts in evaluating their strengths, weaknesses, and areas that require improvement. The rubrics include all of the state priorities described in Education Code 52060, SBE standards for district and school performance, and SBE expectations for improvement in regard to those state priorities.~~

The Superintendent or designee shall report to the Board, at least annually in accordance with the timeline and indicators established by him/her and the Board, regarding the district's progress toward attaining each goal identified in the LCAP. ~~Evaluation shall include, but not be limited to, an assessment of district and school performance based on evaluation rubrics adopted by the State Board of Education pursuant to Education Code 52064.5.~~ Evaluation data shall be used to recommend any necessary revisions to the LCAP.

LOCAL CONTROL AND ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN (continued)

Technical Assistance/Intervention

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 52071, the Board may, at its discretion and at the district's expense, request technical assistance as described in items #1-3 below. In addition, the County Superintendent is required to provide such technical assistance whenever he/she does not approve the district's LCAP and/or the district fails to improve student achievement across more than one state priority described in Education Code 52060, as determined using the SBE evaluation rubric.

When it is in the best interest of the district, the Board may submit a request to the County Superintendent for technical assistance, including, but not limited to: (Education Code 52071)

1. Assistance in the identification of district strengths and weaknesses in regard to state priorities and review of effective, evidence-based programs that apply to the district's goals
2. Assistance from an academic expert, team of academic experts, or another district in the county in identifying and implementing effective programs to improve the outcomes for student subgroups
3. Advice and assistance from the California Collaborative for Educational Excellence established pursuant to Education Code 52074

In the event that the County Superintendent requires the district to receive technical assistance pursuant to Education Code 52071, the Board shall review all recommendations received from the County Superintendent or other advisor and shall consider revisions to the LCAP as appropriate in accordance with the process specified in Education Code 52062.

Note: Education Code 52072 provides that the SPI, with approval of the SBE, may intervene when a district meets both of the following criteria: (1) the district did not improve the outcomes for three or more student subgroups identified pursuant to Education Code 52052, or all of the student subgroups if the district has fewer than three subgroups, in regard to more than one state or local priority in three out of four consecutive school years; and (2) the California Collaborative for Educational Excellence (CCEE) has provided advice and assistance to the district and submits a finding that the district failed or is unable to implement the CCEE's recommendations or that the district's inadequate performance is so persistent or acute as to require intervention. For any district identified as needing intervention, the SPI or an academic trustee appointed by the SPI may, with approval of the SBE, take one or more of the actions listed in items #1-3 below.

If the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) identifies the district as needing intervention pursuant to Education Code 52072, the district shall cooperate with any action taken by the SPI or any academic advisor appointed by the SPI, which may include one or more of the following:

1. Revision of the district's LCAP

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2. Revision of the district's budget in accordance with changes in the LCAP
3. A determination to stay or rescind any district action that would prevent the district from improving outcomes for all student subgroups, provided that action is not required by a collective bargaining agreement

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(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)

The Superintendent or designee shall review the single plan for student achievement (SPSA) submitted by each district school pursuant to Education Code 64001 to ensure that the specific actions included in the LCAP are consistent with strategies included in the SPSA. (Education Code 52062)

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)

The LCAP shall also be aligned with other district and school plans to the extent possible in order to minimize duplication of effort and provide clear direction for program implementation.

(cf. 0400 - Comprehensive Plans)

(cf. 0440 - District Technology Plan)

(cf. 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan)

(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)

(cf. 6171 - Title I Programs)

(cf. 7110 - Facilities Master Plan)

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Any complaint that the district has not complied with legal requirements pertaining to the LCAP may be filed pursuant to AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures. (Education Code 52075)

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

Plan Development

The Superintendent or designee shall gather data and information needed for effective and meaningful plan development and present it to the Board and community. Such data and information shall include, but not be limited to, data regarding the numbers of students in various student subgroups, disaggregated data on student achievement levels, and information about current programs and expenditures.

The Board shall consult with teachers, principals, administrators, other school personnel, employee bargaining units, parents/guardians, and students in developing the LCAP. Consultation with students shall enable unduplicated students and other numerically significant student subgroups to review and comment on LCAP development and may include surveys of students, student forums, student advisory committees, and/or meetings with student government bodies or other groups representing students. (Education Code 52060; 5 CCR 15495)

(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)

(cf. 4140/4240/4340 - Bargaining Units)

(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

Public Review and Input

The Board shall establish a parent advisory committee to review and comment on the LCAP. The committee shall be composed of a majority of parents/guardians and shall include at least one parent/guardian of an unduplicated student as defined above. (Education Code 52063; 5 CCR 15495)

Whenever district enrollment includes at least 15 percent English learners, with at least 50 students who are English learners, the Board shall establish an English learner parent advisory committee composed of a majority of parents/guardians of English learners. (Education Code 52063; 5 CCR 15495)

The Superintendent or designee shall present the LCAP to the committee(s) before it is submitted to the Board for adoption, and shall respond in writing to comments received from the committee(s). (Education Code 52062)

LOCAL CONTROL AND ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN (continued)

The Superintendent or designee shall notify members of the public of the opportunity to submit written comments regarding the specific actions and expenditures proposed to be included in the LCAP. The notification shall be provided using the most efficient method of notification possible, which may not necessarily include producing printed notices or sending notices by mail. All written notifications related to the LCAP shall be provided in the primary language of parents/guardians when required by Education Code 48985. (Education Code 52062)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

The Board shall hold at least one public hearing to solicit the recommendations and comments of members of the public regarding the specific actions and expenditures proposed to be included in the LCAP. The public hearing shall be held at the same meeting as the budget hearing required pursuant to Education Code 42127 and AR 3100 - Budget. (Education Code 42127, 52062)

(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

Adoption of the Plan

The Board shall adopt the LCAP prior to adopting the district budget, but at the same public meeting. This meeting shall be held after the public hearing described above, but not on the same day as the hearing.

The Board may adopt revisions to the LCAP at any time during the period in which the plan is in effect, provided the Board follows the process to adopt the LCAP pursuant to Education Code 52062 and the revisions are adopted in a public meeting. (Education Code 52062)

Submission of Plan to County Superintendent of Schools

Not later than five days after adoption of the LCAP, the Board shall file the LCAP with the County Superintendent of Schools. (Education Code 52070)

If the County Superintendent sends, by August 15, a written request for clarification of the contents of the LCAP, the Board shall respond in writing within 15 days of the request. If the County Superintendent then submits recommendations for amendments to the LCAP within 15 days of receiving the Board's response, the Board shall consider those recommendations in a public meeting within 15 days of receiving the recommendations. (Education Code 52070)

LOCAL CONTROL AND ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN (continued)**Monitoring Progress**

The Superintendent or designee shall report to the Board, at least annually in accordance with the timeline and indicators established by him/her and the Board, regarding the district's progress toward attaining each goal identified in the LCAP. Evaluation data shall be used to recommend any necessary revisions to the LCAP.

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

Technical Assistance/Intervention

When it is in the best interest of the district, the Board may submit a request to the County Superintendent for technical assistance, including, but not limited to: (Education Code 52071)

1. Assistance in the identification of district strengths and weaknesses in regard to state priorities and review of effective, evidence-based programs that apply to the district's goals
2. Assistance from an academic expert, team of academic experts, or another district in the county in identifying and implementing effective programs to improve the outcomes for student subgroups
3. Advice and assistance from the California Collaborative for Educational Excellence established pursuant to Education Code 52074

In the event that the County Superintendent requires the district to receive technical assistance pursuant to Education Code 52071, the Board shall review all recommendations received from the County Superintendent or other advisor and shall consider revisions to the LCAP as appropriate in accordance with the process specified in Education Code 52062.

If the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) identifies the district as needing intervention pursuant to Education Code 52072, the district shall cooperate with any action taken by the SPI or any academic advisor appointed by the SPI, which may include one or more of the following:

1. Revision of the district's LCAP
2. Revision of the district's budget in accordance with changes in the LCAP

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3. A determination to stay or rescind any district action that would prevent the district from improving outcomes for all student subgroups, provided that action is not required by a collective bargaining agreement

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 305-306 *English language education*
17002 *State School Building Lease-Purchase Law, including definition of good repair*
41020 *Audits*
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42238.01-42238.07 *Local control funding formula*
44258.9 *County superintendent review of teacher assignment*
48985 *Parental notices in languages other than English*
51210 *Course of study for grades 1-6*
51220 *Course of study for grades 7-12*
52052 *Academic Performance Index; numerically significant student subgroups*
52060-52077 *Local control and accountability plan*
52302 *Regional occupational centers and programs*
52372.5 *Linked learning pilot program*
54692 *Partnership academies*
60119 *Sufficiency of textbooks and instructional materials; hearing and resolution*
60605.8 *California Assessment of Academic Achievement; Academic Content Standards Commission*
60811.3 *Assessment of language development*
64001 *Single plan for student achievement*
99300-99301 *Early Assessment Program*
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ACCESS TO DISTRICT RECORDS

Note: Article I, Section 3 of the California Constitution grants any person the right to access information concerning meetings and writings of state and local government bodies, officials, and agencies as long as the constitutional rights of privacy and due process are protected. Courts broadly interpret rules or laws granting access and narrowly interpret those denying access; thus, the burden is on the district to demonstrate the need for restricting access to public records.

The following optional administrative regulation lists those records defined as public and ~~in contrast those defined as confidential to which there is no public access~~ and it is not intended to provide an all-inclusive list of ~~all of the~~ records that may be defined as either public and/or confidential.

Definitions

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 6252, a "public record" includes any writing that relates to district business as defined below.

Emails discussing district business are considered public records. However, the law is unclear as to whether emails discussing district business sent from an employee's or Governing Board member's home computer or personal digital assistant would be considered a public record that is "retained in the normal course of business" and thus subject to disclosure. ~~Although an appellate court ruled that the California Public Records Act does not require public access to communications by public officials using exclusively private cell phones or email accounts, the case has been appealed to the California Supreme Court.~~ If a district receives a request for such records, legal counsel should be consulted, as appropriate. See BB 9012 - Board Member Electronic Communications.

Public records include any writing containing information relating to the conduct of the district's business prepared, owned, used, or retained by the district regardless of physical form or characteristics. (Government Code 6252)

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

(cf. 9012 - Board Member Electronic Communications)

Writing means any handwriting, typewriting, printing, photostating, photographing, ~~photocopying~~ transmitting by electronic mail or facsimile, and every other means of recording upon any tangible thing any form of communication or representation, including letters, words, pictures, sounds, or symbols or combinations thereof, and any record thereby created, regardless of the manner in which the record has been stored. (Government Code 6252)

Member of the public means any person, except a member, agent, officer, or employee of the district or a federal, state, or other local agency acting within the scope of his/her membership, agency, office, or employment. (Government Code 6252)

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Public Records

Note: While not specifically enumerated in Government Code 6252, items #1-~~1415~~ below are items which fall within the definition of "public records."

Public records to which members of the public shall have access include, but are not limited to:

1. Proposed and approved district budgets and annual audits (Education Code 41020, 42103)

(cf. 3100 - Budget)
(cf. 3460 - Financial Reports and Accountability)

2. Statistical compilations
3. Reports and memoranda
4. Notices and bulletins
5. Minutes of public meetings (Education Code 35145)

(cf. 9324 - Minutes and Recordings)

6. Meeting agendas (Government Code 54957.5)

(cf. 9322 - Agenda/Meeting Materials)

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8. School-based program plans (Education Code 52850)

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)

9. Information and data relevant to the evaluation and modification of district plans

(cf. 0440 - District Technology Plan)
(cf. ~~0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan~~)
(cf. 0520.2 - Title I Program Improvement Schools)
(cf. 0520.3 - Title I Program Improvement Districts)

10. Initial proposals of exclusive employee representatives and of the district (Government Code 3547)

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Note: Although Government Code 6254 exempts from disclosure those records pertaining to pending litigation, the Attorney General opined in 71 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 235 (1988) that records predating the filing of the lawsuit are subject to the documents initiating the lawsuit are not exempt from disclosure. In *Fairley v. Superior Court*, a California Court of Appeal concurred and further held that documents were exempted only if they were prepared for use in litigation. (See Item #2 in the section "Confidential Records" below.) The following item reflects the opinion of the court and the Attorney General. The Board should consult legal counsel if it believes that any text claim or other document related to litigation should not be disclosed.

11. Records pertaining to claims and litigation against the district which have been adjudicated or settled. Claims filed against the district and records pertaining to pending litigation (Government Code 6254, 6254.25; *Fairley v. Superior Court*, 71 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 235 (1988))

(cf. 3320 - Claims and Actions Against the District)

12. Statements of economic interests required by the Conflict of Interest Code (Government Code 81008)

(cf. 9270 - Conflict of Interest)

Note: Generally, the names and salaries of public employees are subject to disclosure under the Public Records Act. However, in *International Federation of Professional and Technical Engineers v. The Superior Court of Alameda County*, the California Supreme Court held that the salaries of public employees linked to individual employee names (including peace officers) must be disclosed. The California Supreme Court. The court recognized that, in some circumstances, instances, the salaries of certain employees might be exempt from disclosure depending on the facts and circumstances of the particular individual (e.g., anonymity of an undercover police officer); however, the presumption is that salary records are open and the burden is on the district maintaining the record to demonstrate why the particular record would be exempt from disclosure. Additionally, in *Sacramento County Employees Retirement System v. Superior Court*, a California Court of Appeal held that the names and corresponding pension benefits of members of a county retirement system are subject to disclosure and are not considered "individual records of members" protected by Government Code 31532.

13. Documents containing names, salaries, and pension benefits of district employees

- 1314 Employment contracts and settlement agreements (Government Code 53262)

(cf. 2121 - Superintendent's Contract)

(cf. 4117.5/4217.5/4317.5 - Termination Agreements)

(cf. 4141/4241 - Collective Bargaining Agreement)

Note: The following item reflects an Attorney General Opinion (64 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 186 (1981)) which opined that a person must, upon request, be provided a copy of a textbook or other written instructional material unless the provision would result in a copyright infringement or unreasonable burden to the district. In addition, pursuant to Education Code 49091.10, parents/guardians must be allowed to inspect all instructional materials. See BP/AR 5020 - Parent Rights and Responsibilities.

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415. Instructional materials including, but not limited to, textbooks (**Education Code 49091.10** (~~64 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 186 (1981)~~))

(cf. 5020 - Parent Rights and Responsibilities)

(cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)

Note: In accordance with Government Code 6252.5, Board members have the same access to public records of the district as do members of the public. When Board members are authorized to access public records, Government Code 6252.7 prohibits the district from discriminating between Board members as to which record, or portion of the record, will be made available. See BB 9327, Agenda/Meeting Materials.

Governing Board members shall have the ability to access public records permitted by law in the administration of their duties or open to inspection by members of the public. Access to public records of the district shall be granted to Governing Board members on the same basis as any other member of the public. When Board members are authorized to access public records in the administration of their duties, the Superintendent or designee shall not discriminate among any of the Board members as to which record, or portion of the record, will be made available, or when it will be made available. (Government Code 6252.5 ~~6252.7~~)

Note: Government Code 6254.29 specifies that the Public Records Act does not require a district to disclose an employee's social security number and states the Legislature's intent that districts redact social security numbers from any records being disclosed to the public. In addition, Government Code 6254.3, as amended by AB 2843 (Ch. 830, Statutes of 2016), prohibits disclosure of an employee's personal cell phone number and birth date.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that any public record containing personal information is redacted to ensure that such information is not disclosed to a member of the public. When disclosing to a member of the public any record that contains personal information, including, but not limited to, an employee's home address, home telephone number, or social security number, personal cell phone number, or birth date, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that such personal information is redacted from that record is not disclosed to the public. (Government Code 6254.29, 6254.3)

Confidential Public Records

Records to which the members of the public shall not have access include, but are not limited to:

1. Preliminary drafts, notes, interagency or intradistrict memoranda that are not retained by the district in the ordinary course of business, provided that the public interest in withholding these records clearly outweighs the public interest in disclosure (Government Code 6254)

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2. Records specifically generated in connection with or prepared for use in litigation to which the district is a party or to respond to claims made against the district pursuant to the Tort Claims Act, until the litigation or claim has been finally adjudicated or otherwise settled, or beyond, if the records are protected by some other provision of law (Government Code 6254, 6254.25 ~~Parley v. Superior Court, 71 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 235 (1988)~~)
3. Personnel records, medical records, ~~student records~~ or similar materials, the disclosure of which would constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy (Government Code 6254)

*(cf. 4112.5/4212.5/4312.5) - Criminal Record Check)**(cf. 4112.6/4212.6/4312.6 - Personnel Files)*~~*(cf. 5125 - Student Records)*~~~~*(cf. 5125.1 - Release of Director Information)*~~

The home addresses, home telephone numbers, personal cell phone numbers, or birthdate of employees may only be disclosed as follows: (Government Code 6254.3)

- a. To an agent or a family member of the employee
- b. To an officer or employee of a state agency or another school district or county office of education when necessary for the performance of official duties
- c. To an employee organization pursuant to regulations and decisions of the Public Employment Relations Board, ~~except that the home address and any telephone number for an~~ unless the employee who performs law enforcement-related functions, ~~or the birth date of any employee, or requests in writing that the information shall~~ not be disclosed

~~Upon written request of any employee, the district shall not disclose the employee's home address, home telephone number, personal cell phone number, or birth date, and the district shall remove this information from any mailing list of the district except a list used exclusively to contact the employee.~~

(cf. 4140/4240/4340 - Bargaining Units)

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- d. To an agent or employee of a health benefit plan providing health services or administering claims for health services to district employees and their enrolled dependents, for the purpose of providing the health services or administering claims for employees and their enrolled dependents

(cf. 4154/4254/4354 - Health and Welfare Benefits)

4 Student records, except directory information and other records to the extent permitted under the law, when disclosure is authorized by law

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

(cf. 5125.1 - Release of Directory Information)

(cf. 5125.3 - Challenging Student Records)

4.5 Test questions, scoring keys, and other examination data except as provided by law (Government Code 6254)

(cf. 6162.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests)

(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

5.6 Without affecting the law of eminent domain, the contents of real estate appraisals or engineering or feasibility estimates and evaluations made for or by the district relative to the acquisition of property, or to prospective public supply and construction contracts, until all of the property has been acquired or all of the contract agreement obtained (Government Code 6254)

6-7 Information required from any taxpayer in connection with the collection of local taxes that is received in confidence and the disclosure of the information to other persons would result in unfair competitive disadvantage to the person supplying the information (Government Code 6254)

Note: SB 445 (Ch. 80, Statutes of 2011) added Government Code 6267 to make the written and electronic records of library patrons confidential, except with regard to any person who is acting within the scope of his/her duties in the administration of the library, authorized in writing by the patron, or responding to an order of a court

7.8 Library circulation and patron use records of a borrower or patron including, but not limited to, his/her name, address, telephone number, email address, borrowing information, or use of library information resources, except when disclosure is to a person acting within the scope of his/her duties in the administration of the library, to a person authorized in writing by the individual to whom the records pertain, or by court order (Government Code 6254, 6267)

(cf. 6163.1 - Library Media Centers)

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Note: The following exemption protects attorney-client privileged communications and attorney work product, as well as other work product prepared for use in pending litigation or claims. Pursuant to the Rules of Professional Conduct of the State Bar of California, when an attorney has been hired to represent the district as a whole, this privilege may only be waived by the Board.

8-9 Records for which the disclosure is exempted or prohibited pursuant to state or federal law, including, but not limited to, provisions of the Evidence Code relating to privilege (Government Code 6254)

(cf. 9124 - Attorney)

9-10 Documents prepared by or for the district to assess its vulnerability to terrorist attack or other criminal acts intended to disrupt district operations and that are for distribution or consideration in closed session (Government Code 6254)

(cf. 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan)

10-11 Recall petitions, petitions for special elections to fill Board vacancies, or petitions for the reorganization of the school district (Government Code 6253.5)

(cf. 9223 - Filling Vacancies)

11-12 Minutes of Board meetings held in closed session (Government Code 54957.2)

(cf. 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas)

12-13 Computer software developed by the district (Government Code 6254.9)

13-14 Information security records, the disclosure of which would reveal vulnerabilities to, or otherwise increase potential for an attack on, the district's information technology system (Government Code 6254.19)

14-15 Records that contain individually identifiable health information, including records that may be exempt pursuant to physician-patient privilege, the Confidentiality of Medical Information Act, and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (Government Code 6254, 6255)

(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)

15-16 Any other records listed as exempt from public disclosure in the California Public Records Act or other statutes

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Note: Item #16 below reflects an exemption often referred to as the "catch-all" or "public interest" exemption pursuant to Government Code 6255. This exemption allows a district to withhold a record based on analysis of the specific facts of the situation and in light of the competing public interests. This exemption also includes the "deliberative process privilege" which is designed to protect a district's decision-making process in order to encourage candid discussions within the district. Legal counsel should be consulted to determine whether a request for a record falls under this exemption.

16. ~~Any other records~~ Records for which the district can demonstrate that, based on the particular facts of the case, the public interest served by not disclosing the record clearly outweighs the public interest served by disclosure of the record (Government Code 6255)

Inspection of Records and Requests for Copies

Note: Court decisions have held that a public record request may be made orally, by phone, or in writing, including by email, fax, or hand delivery. The district may ask, but not require, that the person put an oral request in writing.

Any person may request a copy or inspection of any district record that is open to the public and not exempt from disclosure. (Government Code 6253)

Within 10 days of receiving any request to inspect or copy a district record, the Superintendent or designee shall determine whether the request seeks release of a disclosable public record in the district's possession. The Superintendent or designee shall promptly inform the person making the request of his/her determination and the reasons for the decision. (Government Code 6253)

In unusual circumstances, the Superintendent or designee may extend the 10-day limit for up to 14 days by providing written notice to the requester and setting forth the reasons for the extension and the date on which a determination is expected to be made. Unusual circumstances include the following, but only to the extent reasonably necessary to properly process the request: (Government Code 6253)

1. The need to search for and collect the requested records from field facilities or other establishments that are separate from the office processing the request
2. The need to search for, collect, and appropriately examine a voluminous amount of separate and distinct records which are demanded in a single request
3. The need for consultation, which shall be conducted with all practicable speed, with another agency (e.g., a state agency or city) having a substantial interest in the determination of the request or among two or more components of the district (e.g., two different school sites) with substantial interest in the request

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4. In the case of electronic records, the need to compile data, write programming language or a computer program, or construct a computer report to extract data

If the Superintendent or designee determines that the request seeks disclosable public records, the determination shall state the estimated date and time when the records will be made available. (Government Code 6253)

Public records shall be open to inspection at all times during district office hours. Any reasonably segregable portion of a record shall be made available for inspection by any person requesting the record after deletion of the portions that are exempted by law. (Government Code 6253)

Note: Government Code 6253 states that copies of records must be provided "promptly." The term "promptly" is not defined in law, but Government Code 6253 also states that a district may not delay or obstruct the copying of records. Thus, if the records are held in a manner that allows for prompt disclosure, the records generally should not be withheld because of the 10-day response period or the 14-day extension detailed above.

Upon request for a copy that reasonably describes an identifiable record, an exact copy shall be promptly provided unless it is impracticable to do so. (Government Code 6253)

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that charge for copies. See the accompanying Board policy.

The Superintendent or designee shall charge an amount for copies that reflects the direct costs of duplication. Written requests to waive the fee shall be submitted to the Superintendent or designee.

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 6253, as amended by AB 2853 (Ch. 275, Statutes of 2016), in addition to having public records available for inspection during office hours, the district may, in response to a public records request, post public records on its web site and refer the requesting member of the public to the location on the web site where the public record is posted, as provided below.

In addition to maintaining public records for public inspection during district office hours, the district may comply with public records requests by posting any public record on the district's web site and, in response to a public records request, directing the member of the public to the location on the web site where the record can be found. However, if the member of the public is unable to access or reproduce the record from the web site, the district shall promptly provide an exact copy of the public record upon payment of duplication fees, if applicable, unless it is impracticable to provide an exact copy. (Government Code 6253)

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If any person requests that a public record be provided in an electronic format, the district shall make that record available in any electronic format in which it holds the information. The district shall provide a copy of the electronic record in the format requested as long as the requested format is one that has been used by the district to create copies for its own use or for use by other agencies. (Government Code 6253.9)

The cost of duplicating an electronic record shall be limited to the direct cost of producing a copy of the record in electronic format. However, the requester shall bear the cost of producing the copy of the electronic record, including the cost to construct the record and the cost of programming and computer services necessary to produce the copy, under the following circumstances: (Government Code 6253.9)

1. The electronic record is one that is produced only at otherwise regularly scheduled intervals.
2. The request would require data compilation, extraction, or programming to produce the record.

Assistance in Identifying Requested Records

Note: Government Code 6253.1 requires the district to assist a person requesting to inspect or obtain a copy of a public record as specified below. This assistance is not required if the district grants the request and the records are made available or if the request is denied on the grounds that the records are confidential.

If the Superintendent or designee denies a request for disclosable records, he/she shall assist the requester in making a focused and effective request that reasonably describes an identifiable record. To the extent reasonable under the circumstances, the Superintendent or designee shall do all of the following: (Government Code 6253.1)

1. Assist in identifying records and information responsive to the request or the purpose of the request, if specified

If, after making a reasonable effort to elicit additional clarifying information from the requester to help identify the record, the Superintendent or designee is still unable to identify the information, this requirement shall be deemed satisfied.

2. Describe the information technology and physical location in which the records exist
3. Provide suggestions for overcoming any practical basis for denying access to the records or information sought

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Provisions of the Public Records Act shall not be construed so as to delay or obstruct the inspection or copying of public records. Any notification denying a request for public records shall state the name and title of each person responsible for the denial. (Government Code 6253)

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Records to which the members of the public shall not have access include, but are not limited to:

1. Preliminary drafts, notes, interagency or intradistrict memoranda which are not retained by the district in the ordinary course of business, provided that the public interest in withholding these records clearly outweighs the public interest in disclosure (Government Code 6254)

(cf. 4119.23/4219.23/4319.23 - Unauthorized Release of Confidential/Privileged Information)
(cf. 9011 - Disclosure of Confidential/Privileged Information)

2. Records specifically prepared for litigation to which the district is a party or to respond to claims made against the district pursuant to the Tort Claims Act, until the litigation or claim has been finally adjudicated or otherwise settled, or beyond, if the records are protected by some other provision of law (Government Code 6254, 6254.25; Fairley v. Superior Court; 71 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 235 (1988))

3. Personnel records, medical records, student records, or similar materials, the disclosure of which would constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy (Government Code 6254)

(cf. 4112.6/4212.6/4312.6 - Personnel Files)
(cf. 4112.62/4212.62/4312.62 - Maintenance of Criminal Offender Records)
(cf. 5125 - Student Records)
(cf. 5125.1 - Release of Directory Information)

The home addresses and home telephone numbers of employees may only be disclosed as follows: (Government Code 6254.3)

- a. To an agent or a family member of the employee
- b. To an officer or employee of a state agency or another school district or county office of education when necessary for the performance of official duties
- c. To an employee organization pursuant to regulations and decisions of the Public Employment Relations Board, unless the employee performs law enforcement-related functions or requests in writing that the information not be disclosed

(cf. 4140/4240/4340 - Bargaining Units)

- d. To an agent or employee of a health benefit plan providing health services or administering claims for health services to district employees and their

enrolled dependents, for the purpose of providing the health services or administering claims for employees and their enrolled dependents.

(cf. 4154/4254/4354 - Health and Welfare Benefits)

4. Test questions, scoring keys, and other examination data except as provided by law (Government Code 6254)

(cf. 6162.51 - Standardized Testing and Reporting Program)

(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

5. Without affecting the law of eminent domain, the contents of real estate appraisals or engineering or feasibility estimates and evaluations made for or by the district relative to the acquisition of property, or to prospective public supply and construction contracts, until all of the property has been acquired or all of the contract agreement obtained (Government Code 6254)

6. Information required from any taxpayer in connection with the collection of local taxes that is received in confidence and the disclosure of the information to other persons would result in unfair competitive disadvantage to the person supplying the information (Government Code 6254)

7. Library circulation and patron use records of a borrower or patron including, but not limited to, his/her name, address, telephone number, email address, borrowing information, or use of library information resources (Government Code 6254, 6267)

(cf. 6163.1 - Library Media Centers)

8. Records for which the disclosure is exempted or prohibited pursuant to state or federal law, including, but not limited to, provisions of the Evidence Code relating to privilege (Government Code 6254)

(cf. 9124 - Attorney)

9. Documents prepared by or for the district to assess its vulnerability to terrorist attack or other criminal acts intended to disrupt district operations and that are for distribution or consideration in closed session (Government Code 6254)

(cf. 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan)

10. Recall petitions, petitions for special elections to fill Board vacancies, or petitions for the reorganization of the school district (Government Code 6253.5)

(cf. 9223 - Filling Vacancies)

11. Minutes of Board meetings held in closed session (Government Code 54957.2)

(cf. 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas)

12. Computer software developed by the district (Government Code 6254.9)

13. Information security records, the disclosure of which would reveal vulnerabilities to, or increase potential for an attack on, the district's information technology system (Government Code 6254.19)
14. Records that contain individually identifiable health information, including records that may be exempt pursuant to physician-patient privilege, the Confidentiality of Medical Information Act, and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (Government Code 6254, 6255)

(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)

15. Any other records listed as exempt from public disclosure in the California Public Records Act or other statutes
16. Records for which the district can demonstrate that, based on the particular facts of the case, the public interest served by not disclosing the record clearly outweighs the public interest served by disclosure of the record (Government Code 6255)

Inspection of Records and Requests for Copies

Any person may request a copy or inspection of any district record that is open to the public and not exempt from disclosure. (Government Code 6253)

Within 10 days of receiving any request to inspect or copy a district record, the Superintendent or designee shall determine whether the request seeks release of a disclosable public record in the district's possession. The Superintendent or designee shall promptly inform the person making the request of his/her determination and the reasons for the decision. (Government Code 6253)

In unusual circumstances, the Superintendent or designee may extend the 10-day limit for up to 14 days by providing written notice to the requester and setting forth the reasons for the extension and the date on which a determination is expected to be made. Unusual circumstances include the following, but only to the extent reasonably necessary to properly process the request: (Government Code 6253)

1. The need to search for and collect the requested records from field facilities or other establishments that are separate from the office processing the request
2. The need to search for, collect, and appropriately examine a voluminous amount of separate and distinct records which are demanded in a single request
3. The need for consultation, which shall be conducted with all practicable speed, with another agency (e.g., a state agency or city) having a substantial interest in the determination of the request or among two or more components of the district (e.g., two different school sites) with substantial interest in the request
4. In the case of electronic records, the need to compile data, write programming language or a computer program, or construct a computer report to extract data

If the Superintendent or designee determines that the request seeks disclosable public records, the determination shall state the estimated date and time when the records will be made available. (Government Code 6253)

Public records shall be open to inspection at all times during district office hours. Any reasonably segregable portion of a record shall be made available for inspection by any person requesting the record after deletion of the portions that are exempted by law. (Government Code 6253)

Upon request for a copy that reasonably describes an identifiable record, an exact copy shall be promptly provided unless it is impracticable to do so. (Government Code 6253)

The Superintendent or designee shall charge an amount for copies that reflects the direct costs of duplication. Written requests to waive the fee shall be submitted to the Superintendent or designee.

If any person requests that a public record be provided in an electronic format, the district shall make that record available in any electronic format in which it holds the information. The district shall provide a copy of the electronic record in the format requested as long as the requested format is one that has been used by the district to create copies for its own use or for use by other agencies. (Government Code 6253.9)

The cost of duplicating an electronic record shall be limited to the direct cost of producing a copy of the record in electronic format. However, the requester shall bear the cost of producing the copy of the electronic record, including the cost to construct the record and the cost of programming and computer services necessary to produce the copy, under the following circumstances: (Government Code 6253.9)

1. The electronic record is one that is produced only at otherwise regularly scheduled intervals.
2. The request would require data compilation, extraction, or programming to produce the record.

Assistance in Identifying Requested Records

If the Superintendent or designee denies a request for disclosable records, he/she shall assist the requester in making a focused and effective request that reasonably describes an identifiable record. To the extent reasonable under the circumstances, the Superintendent or designee shall do all of the following: (Government Code 6253.1)

1. Assist in identifying records and information responsive to the request or the purpose of the request, if specified

If, after making a reasonable effort to elicit additional clarifying information from the requester to help identify the record, the Superintendent or designee is still unable to identify the information, this requirement shall be deemed satisfied.

2. Describe the information technology and physical location in which the records exist
3. Provide suggestions for overcoming any practical basis for denying access to the records or information sought

Provisions of the Public Records Act shall not be construed so as to delay access for purposes of inspecting records open to the public. Any notification denying a request for public records shall state the name and title of each person responsible for the denial. (Government Code 6253)

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FEES AND CHARGES

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 49011, a district is prohibited from requiring students to pay a fee, deposit, or other charge in order to participate in an educational activity as defined in Education Code 49010. A district is also required to provide the supplies, materials, and equipment needed by students to participate in educational activities. ~~Additionally,~~ Education Code 49011 clarifies that an otherwise impermissible fee would not be made permissible by the provision of a waiver for some students. However, pursuant to 5 CCR 350, a district is permitted, in certain circumstances, to impose fees that are specifically authorized by law. See the accompanying administrative regulation for a list of permissible fees.

The Governing Board recognizes its responsibility to ensure that books, materials, equipment, supplies, and other resources necessary for students' participation in the district's educational program are made available to them at no cost.

No student shall be required to pay a fee, deposit, or other charge for his/her participation in an educational activity which constitutes an integral fundamental part of the district's educational program, including curricular and extracurricular activities. (Education Code 49010, 49011; 5 CCR 350)

(cf. 3100 - Budget)

(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)

As necessary, the Board may approve fees, deposits, and other charges which are specifically authorized by law. When approving such fees, deposits, or charges, establishing fee schedules, or determining whether waivers or exceptions should be granted, the Board shall consider relevant data, including the socioeconomic conditions of district students' families and their ability to pay.

(cf. 3250 - Transportation Fees)

(cf. 3515.4 - Recovery for Property Loss or Damage)

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)

(cf. 5143 - Insurance)

(cf. 9323.2 - Actions by the Board)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. The prohibition against student fees pursuant to Education Code 49011 does not restrict districts from soliciting for voluntary donations, participating in fundraising activities, and ~~on~~ providing prizes or other recognition for participants in such fundraising activities. However, according to California Department of Education's (CDE) Fiscal Management Advisory 15-01, Pupil Fees: Parent Service Hours, the prohibition against student fees does bar a district from requiring volunteer hours or payment in lieu of performing volunteer hours as a condition of admission, enrollment, continued enrollment, sibling preference, attendance, participation in educational activities, or receipt of credit or privileges related to educational activities.

FEES AND CHARGES (continued)

The prohibition against student fees shall not restrict the district from soliciting for ~~voluntary~~ donations, participating in fundraising activities, ~~and or~~ providing prizes or other recognition for participants in such activities and events. ~~The Superintendent or designee shall emphasize that participation of students, parents/guardians, district employees, volunteers, or educational or civic organizations in such activities and events is voluntary. However, the~~ district shall not offer or award to a student any course credit or privileges related to educational activities in exchange for voluntary donations or participation in fundraising activities by or on behalf of the student. ~~It also and~~ shall not remove or threaten to remove from a student any course credit or privileges related to educational activities, or otherwise discriminate against the student, due to a lack of voluntary donations or participation in fundraising activities by or on behalf of the student.

(cf. 1321 - Solicitation of Funds from and by Students)

(cf. 3290 - Gifts, Grants and Bequests)

Note: ~~The following paragraph is optional and may be revised to reflect district practice~~

~~The Superintendent or designee may provide additional information or professional development opportunities to administrators, teachers, and other personnel regarding permissible fees~~

~~*(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)*~~

~~*(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)*~~

~~*(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)*~~

Complaints

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 49013, a district is mandated to adopt policy and procedures which allow complaints to be filed using the uniform complaint procedures when the district is alleged to have violated the prohibition against requiring unauthorized student fees. See BP/AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures for language implementing this mandate.

A complaint alleging district noncompliance with the prohibition against requiring student fees, deposits, or other charges shall be filed in accordance with the district's procedures in BP/AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures. (Education Code 49013)

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

Note: Education Code 49013 ~~provides for requires~~ districts found in violation of the prohibition against ~~requiring~~ student fees to design a remedy which may include reasonable efforts to fully identify and reimburse all affected individuals as specified in 5 CCR 4600, ~~as amended by Register 2013 No. 38. See~~ AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures for additional language reflecting these requirements

If, upon investigation, the district finds merit in the complaint, the Superintendent or designee shall recommend and the Board shall adopt an appropriate remedy to be provided to

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Note: Education Code 49013 requires the district to include information about the prohibition against requiring unauthorized student fees in the annual notification required pursuant to 5 CCR 4622.

Information related to the prohibition against requiring students to pay fees for participation in an educational activity shall be included in the district's annual notification **of uniform complaint procedures required** to be provided to all students, parents/guardians, employees, and other interested parties pursuant to 5 CCR 4622. (Education Code 49013)

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)
(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

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- 8239 Preschool and wraparound child care services
- 8250 Child care and development services for children with disabilities
- 8263 Child care eligibility
- ~~8422-21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens programs~~
- 8482.6 After School Education and Safety programs
- 8760-8774 Outdoor science and conservation programs
- 17453.1 District sale or lease of Internet appliances or personal computers to students or parents
- 17551 Property fabricated by students
- 19910-19911 Offenses against libraries
- 32033 Eye protective devices
- 32221 Insurance for athletic team member
- 32390 Fingerprinting program
- 35330-35332 Excursions and field trips
- 35335 School camp programs
- 38080-38086.1 Cafeteria establishment and use
- 38120 Use of school band equipment on excursions to foreign countries
- 39801.5 Transportation for adults
- 39807.5 Payment of transportation costs
- 39837 Transportation of students to places of summer employment
- 48050 Residents of adjoining states
- 48052 Tuition for foreign residents
- 48904 Liability of parent or guardian
- 49010-49013 Student fees
- 49065 Charge for copies
- 49066 Grades, effect of physical education class apparel
- 49091.14 Prospectus of school curriculum
- 51810-51815 Community service classes
- 52612 Tuition for adult classes
- 52613 Nonimmigrant foreign nationals attend
- 56504 School records; students with disabilities
- 60410 Students in classes for adults

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6253 Request for copy; fee

CALIFORNIA CONSTITUTION

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4600-4687 Uniform complaint procedures

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The Governing Board recognizes its responsibility to ensure that books, materials, equipment, supplies, and other resources necessary for students' participation in the district's educational program are made available to them at no cost.

No student shall be required to pay a fee, deposit, or other charge for his/her participation in an educational activity which constitutes an integral fundamental part of the district's educational program, including curricular and extracurricular activities. (Education Code 49010, 49011; 5 COR 350)

(cf. 3100 - Budget)

(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)

As necessary, the Board may approve fees, deposits, and other charges which are specifically authorized by law. When approving such fees, deposits, or charges, establishing fee schedules, or determining whether waivers or exceptions should be granted, the Board shall consider relevant data, including the socio-economic conditions of district students' families and their ability to pay.

(cf. 3250 - Transportation Fees)

(cf. 3515.4 - Recovery for Property Loss or Damage)

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)

(cf. 5143 - Insurance)

(cf. 9323.2 - Actions by the Board)

The prohibition against student fees shall not restrict the district from soliciting for voluntary donations, participating in fundraising activities, and providing prizes or other recognition for participants in such activities and events. However, the district shall not offer or award to a student any course credit or privileges related to educational activities in exchange for voluntary donations or participation in fundraising activities by or on behalf of the student and shall not remove, or threaten to remove, from a student any course credit or privileges related to educational activities, or otherwise discriminate against the student, due to a lack of voluntary donations or participation in fundraising activities by or on behalf of the student.

(cf. 1321 - Solicitation of Funds from and by Students)

(cf. 3290 - Gifts, Grants and Bequests)

Whenever district employees, volunteers, students, parents/guardians, or educational or civic organizations participate in such events or activities, the Superintendent or designee shall emphasize that participation in the event or activity is voluntary.

FEES AND CHARGES (continued)

A complaint alleging district noncompliance with the prohibition against requiring student fees, deposits, or other charges shall be filed in accordance with the district's procedures in BP/AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures. (Education Code 49013)

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

If, upon investigation, the district finds merit in the complaint, the Superintendent or designee shall recommend and the Board shall adopt an appropriate remedy to be provided to all affected students and parents/guardians in accordance with 5 CCR 4600.

Information related to the prohibition against requiring students to pay fees for participation in an educational activity shall be included in the district's annual notification required to be provided to all students, parents/guardians, employees, and other interested parties pursuant to 5 CCR 4622. (Education Code 49013)

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)
(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

The Superintendent or designee may provide additional information or professional development opportunities to administrators, teachers, and other personnel regarding permissible fees.

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- 17453.1 *District sale or lease of Internet appliances or personal computers to students or parents*
- 17551 *Property fabricated by students*
- 19910-19911 *Offenses against libraries*
- 32033 *Eye protective devices*
- 32221 *Insurance for athletic team member*
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- 48052 *Tuition for foreign residents*
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- 49010-49013 *Student fees*
- 49065 *Charge for copies*
- 49066 *Grades, effect of physical education class apparel*
- 49091.14 *Prospectus of school curriculum*
- 51810-51815 *Community service classes*
- 52612 *Tuition for adult classes*
- 52613 *Nonimmigrant aliens*
- 56504 *School records; students with disabilities*
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GOVERNMENT CODE

- 6253 *Request for copy; fee*

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- Article 9, Section 5 *Common school system*

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AR 3260(a)

FEES AND CHARGES

Note: Pursuant to 5 CCR 350, districts may charge fees only when specifically authorized by law. The following list specifies fees currently authorized by law and should be revised to reflect the types of fees that have been approved by the Governing Board; see the accompanying Board policy. Other permissible fees may exist and be identified in the future. For further information about fees and charges, see the California Department of Education's (CDE) Fiscal Management Advisory 12-02: Fees, Deposits and Other Charges.

Pursuant to Education Code 49011, a district is prohibited from requiring a student to pay fees or charges in order to participate in an educational activity. A complaint alleging the unauthorized charging of student fees may be filed in accordance with the uniform complaint procedures; see the accompanying Board policy and BP/AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures. Districts with questions as to whether a particular fee may be charged should consult with legal counsel.

When approved by the Governing Board, the Superintendent or designee may impose a fee for the following: (5 CCR 350)

1. Insurance for athletic team members, with an exemption providing for the district to pay the cost of the insurance for any team member who is financially unable to pay (Education Code 32221)

(cf. 5143 - Insurance)

2. Insurance for medical or hospital service for students participating in field trips and excursions (Education Code 35331)

Note: In its Fiscal Management Advisory 12-02, the CDE interprets Education Code 35330 as permitting the district, at its discretion, to charge fees for any field trip, provided that no student is prevented from participating in a field trip due to a lack of funds. However, Education Code 35330 prohibits the use of district funds or district transportation allowances for an out-of-state field trip and thus the district must charge participating students a fee for such trips and/or use non-district funds such as donations from a parent-teacher or community organization, education foundation, or school fundraiser specifically designated for this purpose.

3. Expenses of students' participation in a field trip or excursion within the state or to another state, the District of Columbia, or a foreign country, as long as no student is prohibited from making the field trip due to lack of funds (Education Code 35330)

(cf. 6153 - School-Sponsored Trips)

4. Student fingerprinting program, as long as the fee does not exceed the actual costs associated with the program (Education Code 32390)

(cf. 5142.1 - Identification and Reporting of Missing Children)

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5. School camp programs in outdoor science education, conservation education, or forestry operated pursuant to Education Code 8760-8774, provided that the fee is not mandatory and no student is denied the opportunity to participate for nonpayment of the fee (Education Code 35335)

(cf. 6142.5 - Environmental Education)

Note: Education Code 17551 permits the district to sell to a student any nonperishable property of the district which has been fabricated by the student, as provided in item #6 below. ~~California Department of Education~~ (CDE) Fiscal Management Advisory 12-02 clarifies that this cost applies to materials the student will take home for his/her own possession and use, such as wood shop, art, or sewing projects.

6. Reimbursement for the direct cost of materials provided by the district to a student for the fabrication of nonperishable personal property the student will take home for his/her own possession and use, such as wood shop, art, or sewing projects kept by the student (Education Code 17551)
7. Home-to-school transportation and transportation between regular, full-time day schools and regional occupational centers, programs, or classes, as long as the fee does not exceed the statewide average nonsubsidized cost per student and exemptions are made for indigent and disabled students (Education Code 39807.5)

(cf. 3250 - Transportation Fees)

8. Transportation for students to and from their places of employment in connection with any summer employment program for youth (Education Code 39837)
9. Deposit for school band instruments, music, uniforms, and other regalia which school band members take on excursions to foreign countries (Education Code 38120)

Note: Education Code 17453.1 permits the district to sell or lease Internet appliances or personal computers to students as provided in item #10 below. CDE Fiscal Management Advisory 12-02 defines "Internet appliance" as a technological product that allows connection or access to an online educational network and clarifies that Internet appliances and personal computers are deemed supplemental and not an essential part of a district's educational program.

10. Sale or lease of ~~Internet appliances or~~ personal computers or of Internet appliances that allow a person to connect to or access the district's educational network, for the purpose of providing access to the district's educational computer network, provided that the items are sold or leased to parents/guardians at no more than cost, as long as and the district provides network access for families who cannot afford it (Education Code 17453.1)

(cf. 0440 - District Technology Plan)

FEEES AND CHARGES (continued)

11. ~~Fees for any~~ **An adult education or secondary school** community service class in civic, vocational, ~~illiteracy~~, health, homemaking, and technical and general education] not to exceed the cost of maintaining the class (Education Code 51810~~2~~51815)

(cf. 6142.4 - Service Learning/Community Service Classes)

12. Eye safety devices worn in courses or activities involving the use of hazardous substances likely to cause injury to the eyes, when being sold to students and/or teachers or instructors to keep and at a price not to exceed the district's actual costs (Education Code 32033)

(cf. 3514.1 - Hazardous Substances)

(cf. 5142 - Safety)

13. Actual cost of furnishing copies of any student's records, except that no charge shall be made for furnishing up to two transcripts or two verifications of a former student's records or for reproducing records of a student with a disability when the cost would effectively prevent the parent/guardian from exercising the right to receive the copies (Education Code 49065, 56504)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

14. Actual cost² of duplication for reproduction of the prospectus of school curriculum or for copies of public records (Education Code 49091.14; Government Code 6253)

(cf. 1340 - Access to District Records)

(cf. 5020 - Parent Rights and Responsibilities)

15. Food sold at school, subject to free and reduced-price meal program eligibility and other restrictions specified in law (Education Code 38084)

(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)

(cf. 3551 - Food Service Operations/Cafeteria Funds)

(cf. 3552 - Summer Meal Program)

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)

(cf. 3554 - Other Food Sales)

16. As allowed in law, replacement cost or reimbursement for lost or **willfully** damaged district books, supplies, or property, or for district property loaned to a student that he/she fails to return (Education Code 19910-19911, 48904)

(cf. 3515.4 - Recovery for Property Loss or Damage)

17. Tuition for district school attendance by an out-of-state or out-of-country resident (Education Code 48050, 48052, 52613; 8 USC 1184)

FEES AND CHARGES (continued)*(cf. 5111.2 - Nonresident Foreign Students)*

18. Adult education books, materials, transportation, and classes, except that no fee may be charged for classes in elementary subjects ~~or classes~~ for which high school credit is granted when taken by a person who does not hold a high school diploma or ~~effective July 1, 2015~~ classes in English and citizenship (Education Code 39801.5, 52612, 60410)

(cf. 6200 - Adult Education)

19. Preschool and child care and development services, in accordance with the fee schedule established by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, unless the family qualifies for subsidized services or the program is for severely disabled children and the student is eligible to enroll in it (Education Code 8239, 8250, 8263)

*(cf. 5148 - Child Care and Development)**(cf. 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education)*

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 8422 and 8482.6, as amended by AB 2615 (Ch. 470, Statutes of 2016), districts are permitted to charge family fees for participation in After School Education and Safety (ASES) programs, 21st Century Community Learning Centers (21st CCLC), and 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens programs, as long as fees are waived or reduced for families with students who are eligible for free or reduced-price meals. In regard to ASES and 21st CCLC commencing July 1, 2017, no fees may be charged if the district knows the student is a homeless youth or in foster care.

20. ~~After School Education and Safety Programs as long as no eligible student is denied the ability to participate because of inability to pay the fee. Participation in a before-school or after-school program that is funded as an After School Education and Safety (ASES) program, 21st Century Community Learning Center (21st CCLC) or 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens program, provided that fees are waived or reduced for families with students who are eligible for free or reduced-price meals and, in regard to ASES and 21st CCLC programs, fees are not charged if the district knows the student is a homeless or foster youth.~~ (Education Code 8422, 8482.6)

*(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)**(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)**(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)*

Note: In Fiscal Management Advisory 12-02, the CDE lists Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate examination fees item #21 below, as permissible. Districts with questions concerning this item should consult legal counsel. Some districts choose to reduce the cost of the fees for low-income students through the use of district funds or other funding sources; see BE 6141.4 - International Baccalaureate Program and BE 6141.5 - Advanced Placement.

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21. Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate Diploma examinations for college credits, as long as the examination is not a course requirement and the results have no impact on student grades or credits in the course

~~(cf. 6141.4 - International Baccalaureate Program)~~

(cf. 6141.5 - Advanced Placement)

Note: In its Addendum to Fiscal Management Advisory 12-02 issued in October 2013, the CDE clarifies that a district that requires its students to wear a cap and gown as a condition for their participation in the high school graduation ceremony may not require such students to purchase the cap and gown. CDE recommends that such districts provide the graduates with a cap and gown for their use at the graduation ceremony and inform them that those interested may purchase a cap and gown from a vendor.

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When approved by the Governing Board, the Superintendent or designee may impose a fee for the following: (5 CCR 350)

1. Insurance for athletic team members, with an exemption providing for the district to pay the cost of the insurance for any team member who is financially unable to pay (Education Code 32221)

(cf. 5143 - Insurance)

2. Insurance for medical or hospital service for students participating in field trips and excursions (Education Code 35331)
3. Expenses of students' participation in a field trip or excursion to another state, the District of Columbia, or a foreign country, as long as no student is prohibited from making the field trip due to lack of funds (Education Code 35330)

(cf. 6153 - School-Sponsored Trips)

4. Student fingerprinting program, as long as the fee does not exceed the actual costs associated with the program (Education Code 32390)

(cf. 5142.1 - Identification and Reporting of Missing Children)

5. School camp programs in outdoor science education, conservation education, or forestry operated pursuant to Education Code 8760-8774, provided that the fee is not mandatory and no student is denied the opportunity to participate for nonpayment of the fee (Education Code 35335)

(cf. 6142.5 - Environmental Education)

6. Reimbursement for the direct cost of materials provided by the district to a student for the fabrication of nonperishable personal property the student will take home for his/her own possession and use, such as wood shop, art, or sewing projects kept by the student (Education Code 17551)
7. Home-to-school transportation and transportation between regular, full-time day schools and regional occupational centers, programs, or classes, as long as the fee does not exceed the statewide average nonsubsidized cost per student and

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exemptions are made for indigent and disabled students (Education Code 39807.5)

(cf. 3250 - *Transportation Fees*)

8. Transportation for students to and from their places of employment in connection with any summer employment program for youth (Education Code 39837)
9. Deposit for school band instruments, music, uniforms, and other regalia which school band members take on excursions to foreign countries (Education Code 38120)
10. Sale or lease of Internet appliances or personal computers for the purpose of providing access to the district's educational computer network, at no more than cost, as long as the district provides network access for families who cannot afford it (Education Code 17453.1)

(cf. 0440 - *District Technology Plan*)

(cf. 6163.4 - *Student Use of Technology*)

11. Fees for any community service class in civic, vocational, illiteracy, health, homemaking, and technical and general education, not to exceed the cost of maintaining the class (Education Code 51810, 51815)

(cf. 6142.4 - *Service Learning/Community Service Classes*)

12. Eye safety devices worn in courses or activities involving the use of hazardous substances likely to cause injury to the eyes, when being sold to students and/or teachers or instructors to keep and at a price not to exceed the district's actual costs (Education Code 32033)

(cf. 3514.1 - *Hazardous Substances*)

(cf. 5142 - *Safety*)

13. Actual cost of furnishing copies of any student's records, except that no charge shall be made for furnishing up to two transcripts or two verifications of a former student's records or for reproducing records of a student with a disability when the cost would effectively prevent the parent/guardian from exercising the right to receive the copies (Education Code 49065, 56504)

(cf. 5125 - *Student Records*)

14. Actual costs of duplication for reproduction of the prospectus of school curriculum or for copies of public records (Education Code 49091.14; Government Code 6253)

(cf. 1340 - *Access to District Records*)

(cf. 5020 - *Parent Rights and Responsibilities*)

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15. Food sold at school, subject to free and reduced-price meal program eligibility and other restrictions specified in law (Education Code 38084)

(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)
(cf. 3551 - Food Service Operations/Cafeteria Funds)
(cf. 3552 - Summer Meal Program)
(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)
(cf. 3554 - Other Food Sales)

16. As allowed in law, replacement cost or reimbursement for lost or damaged district books, supplies, or property, or for district property loaned to a student that he/she fails to return (Education Code 19910-19911, 48904)

(cf. 3515.4 - Recovery for Property Loss or Damage)

17. Tuition for district school attendance by an out-of-state or out-of-country resident (Education Code 48050, 48052, 52613; 8 USC 1184)

(cf. 5111.2 - Nonresident Foreign Students)

18. Adult education books, materials, transportation, and classes, except that no fee may be charged for classes in elementary subjects or for which high school credit is granted when taken by a person who does not hold a high school diploma or, effective July 1, 2015, classes in English and citizenship (Education Code 39801.5, 52612, 60410)

(cf. 6200 - Adult Education)

19. Preschool and child care and development services, in accordance with the fee schedule established by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, unless the family qualifies for subsidized services or the program is for severely disabled children and the student is eligible to enroll in it (Education Code 8239, 8250, 8263)

(cf. 5148 - Child Care and Development)
(cf. 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education)

20. After School Education and Safety Programs, as long as no eligible student is denied the ability to participate because of inability to pay the fee (Education Code 8482.6)

21. Advanced Placement and International Baccalaureate Diploma examinations for college credits, as long as the examination is not a course requirement and the results have no impact on student grades or credits in the course

(cf. 6141.5 - Advanced Placement)

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Note: Pursuant to Public Contract Code 20111 and ~~22003~~, public contracts for the lease or purchase of equipment, materials, supplies, or services or for "public projects," as defined, are required to be competitively bid when they involve expenditure of specified amounts.

An alternative procedure for public works projects is provided pursuant to the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act (~~UPCCA~~) (Public Contract Code ~~2203022000-22045~~) as described below: see ~~BP/AR 3311.1 - Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Procedures. Also see AR 3311.2 - Lease-Leaseback Contracts, AR 3311.3 - Design-Build Contracts, and AR 3311.4 - Procurement of Technological Equipment for procedures applicable to those contracts.~~

The Governing Board is committed to promoting public accountability and ensuring prudent use of public funds. When leasing, purchasing, or contracting for equipment, materials, supplies, or services for the district, including when contracting for public projects involving district facilities, the Board shall explore lawful opportunities to obtain the greatest possible value for its expenditure of public funds. When required by law, or if the Board determines that it is in the best interest of the district, such contracts shall be made using competitive bidding.

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

(cf. 3000 - Concepts and Roles)

(cf. ~~3230 - Federal Grant Funds~~)

(cf. 3300 - Expenditures and Purchases)

(cf. ~~3311.1 - Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Procedures~~)

(cf. ~~3311.2 - Lease-Leaseback Contracts~~)

(cf. ~~3311.3 - Design-Build Contracts~~)

(cf. ~~3311.4 - Procurement of Technological Equipment~~)

No work, project, service, or purchase shall be split or separated into smaller work orders or projects for the purpose of evading legal requirements ~~regarding contracting after~~ for competitive bidding. (Public Contract Code 20116-~~22033~~)

Note: Requirements for competitive bidding, including notice and advertising, are specified in Public Contract Code 20110-20118.4. See the accompanying administrative regulation.

The Superintendent or designee shall establish comprehensive bidding procedures for the district in accordance with law. The procedures shall include a process for advertising bids, instructions and timelines for submitting and opening bids, and other relevant requirements.

Note: Pursuant to Public Contract Code 20111.5, the district is permitted, but not required, to establish prequalification procedures for any contract for which bids are legally required; see the accompanying administrative regulation. However, pursuant to Public Contract Code 20111.6, a district with average daily attendance of 2,500 or greater is required to prequalify all general contractors and electrical, mechanical, and

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plumbing subcontractors for public projects of \$1 million or more awarded on or after January 1, 2014, if School Facilities Program funds (Education Code 17070.10-17079.30) or other future state school bonds are used. In addition, the Governing Board is required to adopt a uniform system of rating bidders based on completed questionnaires and financial statements which must address, at a minimum, the issues covered by the standardized questionnaire and model guidelines developed by the Department of Industrial Relations for such purpose.

For award of contracts which, by law or Board policy, require prequalification, the procedures shall identify a uniform system for rating bidders and shall address the issues covered by the standardized questionnaire and model guidelines developed by the Department of Industrial Relations pursuant to Public Contract Code 20101 on the basis of a completed questionnaire and financial statements.

(cf. 9270 - Conflict of Interest)

Note: Districts should be careful in crafting bid specifications, as a misleading specification that results in a lower bid than might have been made may make the district liable for the extra work done or expenses incurred by the contractor. In *Los Angeles Unified School District v. Great American Insurance Co.*, the California Supreme Court held in favor of a contractor who was misled by the district's nondisclosure of material information that would have affected the contractor's bid.

When calling for bids, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the bid specifications clearly describes in appropriate detail the quality, delivery, and service required, and includes all information which the district knows, or has in its possession, that is relevant to the work to be performed or that may impact the cost of performing the work.

Note: Pursuant to Public Contract Code 20111, a contract required to be put out to bid must be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. As defined in Public Contract Code 1103, a "responsible bidder" is one who possesses the quality, fitness, and capacity, and experience to satisfactorily perform the proposed work. (*City of Inglewood, Los Angeles County Civic Center Authority v. Superior Court*)

However, a bid may be awarded to other than the lowest responsible bidder when conditions specified in law exist. For example, a district is permitted to give preference to minorities, women, veterans, and small businesses in accordance with Public Contract Code 2000-2002. In addition, Education Code 17250-10-17250-55, as added by AB 1358 (Ch. 752, Statutes of 2015), authorize the district to award a design-build contract for a public works project in excess of \$1 million on the basis of either low bid or "best value" as defined. See "Award of Contract" section in the accompanying administrative regulation.

Except as authorized by law and specified in the administrative regulation, contracts shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder who shall give such security as the Board requires, or else all bids shall be rejected. (Public Contract Code 20111)

Note: Pursuant to Public Contract Code 20118, districts may be exempt from the bidding requirements and may "piggyback" onto the bid of any public corporation or agency for specific items when the Board determines it is in the best interest of the district. See the accompanying administrative regulation for a list of those items that may be leased or purchased using this procedure.

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When the Board has determined that it is in the best interest of the district, the district may piggyback onto the contract of another public agency or corporation to lease or purchase ~~equipment or supplies, any personal property~~ to the extent authorized by law. (Public Contract Code 20118)

~~Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that have elected to use the alternative contracting procedure for public works pursuant to the UPCCAA (Public Contract Code 22030-22045) and should be deleted by districts that have not elected to use such alternative procedure. Pursuant to Public Contract Code 22030, the district may participate in the UPCCAA only if the Board adopts a resolution requiring the use of the UPCCAA in district contracting and notifies the State Controller of that action. In the event of a conflict with any other provision of law relative to bidding procedures, the UPCCAA shall apply to any district that has adopted a resolution and so notified the Controller. According to the California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission's "Frequently Asked Questions," available on its web site, withdrawal from the UPCCAA requires the Board to file a resolution of the election to withdraw with the State Controller.~~

~~In electing to be subject to the UPCCAA, a district thereby agrees to follow the cost accounting procedures set forth in the Cost Accounting Policies and Procedures Manual of the California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission. According to the "Frequently Asked Questions" on the Commission's web site, school districts may use the statewide Standardized Account Code Structure to comply with tracking requirements.~~

~~Pursuant to Public Contract Code 22032, projects of \$45,000 or less may be performed by the district's own work force, projects of \$175,000 or less may use a more informal bidding procedure as specified, and projects over \$175,000 require formal bidding procedures. See the accompanying administrative regulation for related requirements.~~

~~In circumstances where the informal bidding procedure is authorized, Public Contract Code 22034 allows the Board to delegate the authority to award contracts to an appropriate district administrator. Public Contract Code 22039 allows the Board to delegate the adoption of plans, specifications, and working details for projects subject to formal bidding procedures. The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.~~

~~For use in contracting for public works projects, the Board has, by resolution, adopted the procedures set forth in the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act pursuant to Public Contract Code 22030-22045, including the required cost accounting procedures and the informal bidding procedures when allowed by law. The Board delegates to the Superintendent or designee the responsibilities to award any contract eligible for informal bidding procedures and to develop plans, specifications, and working details for all public projects requiring formal bidding procedures. [MOVED TO BE 311F.1 - UNIFORM PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION COST ACCOUNTING PROCEDURES]~~

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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17070.10-17079.30 *Leroy F. Greene School Facilities Act*
 17250.10-17250.55 *Design-build contracts*
 17406 *Lease-leaseback contracts*
 17595 *Purchase of supplies through Department of General Services*
 17602 *Purchase of surplus property from federal agencies*
 38083 *Purchase of perishable foodstuffs and seasonable commodities*
 38110-38120 *Apparatus and supplies*
 39802 *Transportation services*

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE

~~7056 General engineering contractor~~
~~7057 General building contractor~~

CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE

446 *Verification of pleadings*

GOVERNMENT CODE

4217.10-4217.18 *Energy conservation contracts*
 4330-4334 *Preference for California-made materials*
 6252 *Definition of public record*
 53060 *Special services and advice*
 54201-54205 *Purchase of supplies and equipment by local agencies*

PUBLIC CONTRACT CODE

1102 *Emergencies*

~~1103 Definition, responsible bidder~~

2000-2002 *Responsive bidders*
 3000-3010 *Roofing projects*
 3400 *Bids, specifications by brand or trade name not permitted*
 3410 *United States produce and processed foods*
~~4113 Prime contractor, subcontractor~~
 6610 *Bid visits*
 12200 *Definitions, recycled goods, materials and supplies*
 20101-20103.7 *Public construction projects, requirements for bidding*
 20103.8 *Award of contracts*

~~20107 Bidder's security~~

~~20110-20118.4 Contracting by school districts~~ Local Agency Public Construction Act, school districts

20189 *Bidder's security, earthquake relief*

~~22002 Definition of public project~~

~~2203022000-22045 Alternative procedures for public projects (UPCCAA)~~

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22152 *Recycled product procurement*

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Management Resources:

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WEB SITES

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

California Association of School Business Officials: <http://www.casbo.org>

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

California Department of General Services: <https://www.dgs.ca.gov>

California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission

<http://www.seo.ca.gov/arc-cuccac.htm>

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Board Policy

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When the Board has determined that it is in the best interest of the district, the district may piggyback onto the contract of another public agency or corporation to lease or purchase equipment or supplies to the extent authorized by law. (Public Contract Code 20118)

For use in contracting for public works projects, the Board has, by resolution, adopted the procedures set forth in the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act pursuant to Public Contract Code 22030-22045, including the required cost accounting procedures and the informal bidding procedures when allowed by law. The Board delegates to the Superintendent or designee the responsibilities to award any contract eligible for informal bidding procedures and to develop plans, specifications, and working details for all public projects requiring formal bidding procedures.

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- 20107 *Bidder's security*
- 20110-20118.4 *Contracting by school districts*
- 20189 *Bidder's security, earthquake relief*
- 22002 *Definition of public project*
- 22030-22045 *Alternative procedures for public projects (UPCCAA)*
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http://www.sco.ca.gov/ard_cuccac.html

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BIDS

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 54202, districts are mandated to establish bidding procedures governing the purchase of equipment and supplies, as specified in ~~the following administrative regulation reflects the competitive bidding procedures applicable to these purchases, as well as contracts for certain services, public works projects, and repairs and maintenance, when the contract exceeds the amount specified in law.~~

~~An alternative procedure for public works projects is provided pursuant to the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act (UPCCAA) (Public Contract Code 22000-22045), which allows public projects of \$45,000 or less to be performed by district employees and public projects of \$175,000 or less to be awarded through an informal bidding process. See BF AR 3311.1 - Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Procedures. Districts that have adopted the UPCCAA procedures should modify the following regulation to delete or revise conflicting provisions related to contracts for public works. Also see AR 3311.2 - Lease-Leaseback Contracts, AR 3311.3 - Design-Build Contracts, and AR 3311.4 - Procurement of Technological Equipment for procedures applicable to those contracts.~~

Advertised/Competitive Bids

The district shall advertise for ~~competitive bids any of the following: (Public Contract Code 2011.1)~~

- ~~1. when any A public project contract that involves an expenditure of \$15,000 or more, including a contract for construction, reconstruction, erection, alteration, renovation, improvement, painting, repainting, demolition, or repair work involving a district owned, leased, or operated facility~~

~~Public project means construction, reconstruction, erection, alteration, renovation, improvement, painting, repainting, demolition, and repair work involving a district owned, leased, or operated facility. (Public Contract Code 2011.1, 22002)~~

~~(cf. 3311.1 - Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Procedures)~~

~~(cf. 3311.2 - Lease-Leaseback Contracts)~~

~~(cf. 3311.3 - Design-Build Contracts)~~

Note: For ~~items #1-3~~ the contracts specified in item #2a-g below, Public Contract Code 20111 requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) to annually establish a bid limit that reflects U.S. Department of Commerce data. The following ~~optional~~ paragraph allows the amount to escalate automatically once the SPI has made the annual determination. For 2016, the bid limit is \$87,800.

- ~~2. The district shall also advertise for competitive bids when a A contract that exceeds the amount specified in law, as annually adjusted by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, for any of the following: (Public Contract Code 20111)~~

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- 1.a.** The purchase of equipment, materials, or supplies to be furnished, sold, or leased to the district

~~(cf. 3230 - Federal Grant Funds)~~
~~(cf. 3311A - Procurement of Technological Equipment)~~

- 2.b.** Services, not including construction services or special services and advice in accounting, financial, legal, or administrative matters

- 2.c.** Repairs that are not a public project, including maintenance

Maintenance means routine, recurring, and usual work for preserving, protecting, and keeping a district facility operating in a safe, efficient, and continually usable condition for the intended purpose for which it was designed, improved, constructed, altered, or repaired. *Maintenance* includes, but is not limited to, carpentry, electrical, plumbing, glazing, and other craft work designed to preserve the facility, as well as repairs, cleaning, and other operations on machinery and other permanently attached equipment. Maintenance does not include painting, repainting, or decorating other than touchup, or among other types of work, janitorial or custodial services and protection provided by security forces. (Public Contract Code 20115)

Instructions and Procedures for Advertised Bids

The Superintendent or designee shall call for bids by placing a notice at least once a week for two weeks in a local newspaper of general circulation published in the district, or if no such newspaper exists, then in some newspaper of general circulation that is circulated in the county. The Superintendent or designee also may post the notice on the district's web site or through an electronic portal. The notice shall state the work to be done or materials or supplies to be furnished and the time and place and web site where bids will be opened. ~~The district may accept a bid that has been submitted electronically or on paper.~~ (Public Contract Code 20112)

(cf. 1113 - District and School Web Sites)

The notice shall contain the time, date, and location of any mandatory prebid conference, site visit, or meeting and details regarding when and where project documents, including the final plan and specifications, are available. Any such mandatory visit or meeting shall occur not less than five calendar days after the publication of the initial notice. (Public Contract Code 6610)

Bid instructions and specifications shall include the following requirements and information:

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1. All bidders shall certify in writing the minimum, if not exact, percentage of post-consumer materials in products, materials, goods, or supplies offered or sold. (Public Contract Code 22152)

(cf. 3510 - Green School Operations)

2. All bids for construction work shall be presented under sealed cover. The district may accept a bid that has been submitted electronically or on paper. (Public Contract Code 20111, 20112)

The bid and shall be accompanied by one of the following a forms of bidder's security, including either cash, a cashier's check payable to the district, a certified check made payable to the district or a bidder's bond executed by an admitted surety insurer and made payable to the district. The security of unsuccessful bidders shall be returned in a reasonable period of time, but in no event later than 60 days after the bid is awarded. (Public Contract Code 20107, 20111, 20112)

a. Cash

b. A cashier's check made payable to the district

c. A certified check made payable to the district

d. A bidder's bond executed by an admitted surety insurer and made payable to the district

The security of unsuccessful bidders shall be returned in a reasonable period of time, but in no event later than 60 days after the bid is awarded. (Public Contract Code 20111)

3. When a standardized proposal form is provided by the district, bids not presented on the standard form shall be disregarded. (Public Contract Code 20111.5)
4. Bids shall not be accepted after the advertised bid opening time, regardless of whether the bids are actually opened at that time. (Public Contract Code 20112)
5. When two or more identical lowest or highest bids are received, the Governing Board may determine by lot which bid shall be accepted. (Public Contract Code 20117)

BIDS (continued)

Note: Public Contract Code 20103.8 specifies that, in those cases when the bid includes items that may be added to or deducted from the scope of the work in the contract, the bid solicitation must specify the method to be used to determine the lowest bid, as detailed below. Districts should consult with legal counsel, as appropriate, if they have questions regarding as to the applicability of this law to school districts and other unclear provisions of this law.

6. If the district requires that the bid include prices for items that may be added to or deducted from the scope of work in the contract, the bid solicitation shall specify which one of the following methods will be used to determine the lowest bid. In the absence of such a specification, only the method provided in item #6a below shall be used. (Public Contract Code 20103.8)
 - a. The lowest bid shall be the lowest total of the bid prices on the base contract without consideration of the prices on the additive or deductive items.
 - b. The lowest bid shall be the lowest total of the bid prices on the base contract and those additive or deductive items that were specifically identified in the bid solicitation as being used for the purpose of determining the lowest bid price.
 - c. The lowest bid shall be the lowest total of the bid prices on the base contract and those additive or deductive items that, when taken in order from a specifically identified list of those items in the solicitation, and added to or subtracted from the base contract, are less than or equal to a funding amount publicly disclosed by the district before the first bid is opened.

The lowest bid shall be determined in a manner that prevents any information that would identify any of the bidders or proposed subcontractors or suppliers from being revealed to the district before the ranking of all bidders from lowest to highest has been determined. (Public Contract Code 20103.8)

Note: For a bid to be successful, it must conform to specifications (i.e., it must be "responsive") and the bidder must be determined to be able to perform the work (i.e., he/she must be "responsible" as defined in Public Contract Code 1103). There is no right to a due process hearing when the district has merely found the bid to be nonresponsive. However, the district must be careful in making a determination on the "nonresponsiveness" of a bid based on anything other than the documents submitted; investigation or information outside of the submitted bid. In addition, when relying on outside investigation or information to disqualify a bidder, the district must follow the hearing procedures applicable for a finding of "non-responsibility." (*Great West Contractors, Inc. v. Irvine Unified School District*) To avoid any confusion, the district should provide clear and comprehensive bid specifications to bidders.

When rejecting the lowest responsive bid on the basis that the bidder is nonresponsible, the district must inform the bidder of the evidence used when making the determination and afford him/her a hearing with the right to present evidence that he/she is responsible. (*City of Inglewood - Los Angeles County Civic Center Authority v. Superior Court* and *Great West Contractors, Inc. v. Irvine Unified School District*)

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7. ~~In determining the lowest bid, the district shall consider only responsive bids that conform to bid specifications and are submitted by from responsible bidders who have demonstrated trustworthiness, quality, fitness, capacity, and experience to satisfactorily perform the public works contract in determining the lowest bid.~~

~~a. When a bid is disqualified as determined to be nonresponsive based on district investigation or other information not obtained from the submitted bid, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the bidder and give him/her an opportunity to respond to the information determination.~~

~~b. When the lowest bidder is determined to be nonresponsive, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the bidder of his/her right to present evidence of his/her responsibility at a hearing before the Board.~~

~~8. Any subsequent change or alteration of a contract shall be governed by the provisions of Public Contract Code 20118.4~~

9.8. After being opened, all submitted bids become public records pursuant to Government Code 6252 and shall be made available for public review pursuant to law, Board policy, and administrative regulation.

(cf. 1340 - Access to District Records)

~~*(cf. 3580 - District Records)*~~

~~10. When a bid is disqualified as nonresponsive based on district investigation or other information not obtained from the submitted bid, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the bidder and give him/her an opportunity to respond to the information.~~

Prequalification Procedure

Note: The following section is optional. Pursuant to Public Contract Code 20111.6, ~~as amended by AP 566 (Ch. 214 Statutes of 2015)~~, a district with average daily attendance (ADA) of 2,500 or greater is required to prequalify all general contractors and electrical, mechanical, and plumbing subcontractors for any public project of \$1 million or more awarded on or after January 1, 2015, when the project uses or is reimbursed from School Facilities Program funds (Education Code 17070.10-17079.30) or other future state school bonds.

Additionally, pursuant to Public Contract Code 20111.5, districts are permitted, but not required, to establish prequalification procedures for other contracts which, by law, require competitive bidding.

When required by law or the Board, the Superintendent or designee shall establish a uniform system for rating bidders on the basis of completed questionnaires and financial statements in order to determine the size of contracts on which each bidder is qualified to bid. For this purpose, the Superintendent or designee shall furnish prospective bidders a standardized

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~~proposal form~~ ~~prequalification questionnaire and financial record~~ which, when completed, shall indicate a bidder's statement of financial ability and experience in performing public works. The bidder's information shall be verified under oath in the manner in which civil law pleadings are verified. The questionnaires and financial statements shall not be public records and shall not be open to public inspection. (Code of Civil Procedure 446; Public Contract Code 20111.5, 20111.6)

~~Note: Pursuant to Public Contract Code 20111.6, district authority to set timelines for bid submittal and opening as specified in the following paragraph apply to contracts awarded on or after January 1, 2015 and will be in effect only until January 1, 2019. In addition, Public Contract Code 20111.6, as amended by AB 566 (Ch. 214, Statutes of 2015), clarifies that the requirement for prequalification applies to projects that will be reimbursed from future state school bonds, not just those that use funds received from state construction bonds.~~

When any public project involves an expenditure of \$1,000,000 or more and is funded or reimbursed wholly or partly by the School Facilities Program funds or other future state school bond, the district shall prequalify prospective bidders either quarterly or annually. The prequalification shall be valid for one year and the following requirements shall apply: (~~Education Code 17406, 17407~~ Public Contract Code 20111.6)

1. Prospective bidders, including, but not limited to, prime, general engineering, and general building contractors and electrical, mechanical, and plumbing subcontractors, as defined in ~~Public Contract Code 4113 or the~~ Business and Professions Code ~~4113~~ 7056] or 7057, as applicable, shall submit a standardized questionnaire and financial statement 10 or more business days, as determined by the district, before the date fixed for the public opening of sealed bids.
2. Prospective bidders shall be prequalified by the district five or more business days, as determined by the district, before the date fixed for the public opening of sealed bids.

If the project includes electrical, mechanical, or plumbing components that will be performed by electrical, mechanical, or plumbing contractors, the Superintendent or designee shall make available to all bidders a list of prequalified general contractors and electrical, mechanical, and plumbing subcontractors five or more business days, as determined by the district, before the date fixed for the public opening of sealed bids.

For all other contracts requiring competitive bidding, the district may establish a procedure for prequalifying bidders on a quarterly basis and may authorize that prequalification be considered valid for up to one calendar year following the date of the initial prequalification. Prospective bidders for such contracts shall submit the questionnaire and financial statement at least five days before the date fixed for public opening of sealed bids and shall be prequalified by the district at least one day before the fixed bid-opening date. (Public

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Award of Contract

~~Note: The following optional section may be revised to reflect district practice. Pursuant to Public Contract Code 20118.1, the district is required to award a contract to the lowest responsible bidder, except in the circumstances specified in items # 1-3 below. In addition, Education Code 17250.15 and 17250.15, as added by AB 1258 (Ch. 757, Statutes of 2015), authorize the district to award a design-build contract for a public works project in excess of \$1 million to either the low bid or best value, as provided in item # 4 below.~~

The district shall award each contract to the lowest responsible bidder, except in the following circumstances:

1. When the contract is for the procurement and/or maintenance of electronic data processing systems and supporting software, in which case the Board may contract with any one of the three lowest responsible bidders (Public Contract Code 20118.1)
2. When the contract is for any transportation service which involves an expenditure of more than \$10,000 and which will be made with any person or corporation other than a common carrier, municipally owned transit system, or a parent/guardian of a student who ~~are is~~ to be transported, in which case the Board may contract with other than the lowest bidder (Education Code 39802)

Note: Pursuant to Public Contract Code 2000-2002, a district is permitted to establish bidding requirements that facilitate the participation of minority, women, disabled veteran, and small business enterprises in contracts. Though minorities and women are included in Public Contract Code 2000, Article 1, Section 31(a) of the California Constitution prohibits the granting of preferences based on race, sex, color, ethnicity, etc., in state employment and contracting. The district should consult legal counsel if there is any question about the granting of preferences to any such business.

3. When the contract is one for which the Board has established goals and requirements relating to participation of disabled veteran or small business enterprises in accordance with Public Contract Code 2000-2002, in which case the Board may contract with the lowest responsible bidder who submits a responsive bid and complies or makes a good faith effort to comply with the goals and requirements (Public Contract Code 2000-2002)

~~4. When procuring a lease-leaseback contract, in which case the Board shall award the contract based on objective criteria for determining the best combination of price and qualifications in accordance with Education Code 17400 and 17406~~

~~(cf. 3311.2 - Lease-Leaseback Contracts)~~

- 4.5 When procuring a design-build contract for a public works project in excess of \$1,000,000 in accordance with the section "Design-Build Contracts" below Education Code 17250.20, in which case the Board may award the contract to either

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the low bid or the best value to the district, taking into consideration, at a minimum, price, technical design and construction expertise, and life-cycle costs (Education Code 17250.20, 17250.25)

~~Cf 3311.13 - Design-Build Contracts~~**Protests by Bidders**

Note: The law does not specify a procedure for handling protests by bidders. The following optional section provides one such procedure and should be modified to reflect district practice.

A bidder may protest a bid award if he/she believes that the award is not in compliance with law, Board policy, or the bid specification. A protest must be filed in writing with the Superintendent or designee within five working days after receipt of notification of the contract award and shall include all documents supporting or justifying the protest. A bidder's failure to file the protest documents in a timely manner shall constitute a waiver of his/her right to protest the award of the contract.

The Superintendent or designee shall review the documents submitted with the bidder's claims and render a decision in writing within 30 working days. The Superintendent or designee may also convene a meeting with the bidder in order to attempt to resolve the problem.

Note: The following paragraph provides a process for appealing a bid award to the Board. Although the law does not specify the notice to be given in this circumstance, CSBA recommends at least three business days which may be modified to reflect district practice.

The bidder may appeal the Superintendent or designee's decision to the Board. The Superintendent or designee shall provide notice to the bidder of the date and time for Board consideration of the protest at least three business days before the Board meeting. The Board's decision shall be final.

~~Alternative Bid Procedures for Technological Supplies and Equipment~~ [SECTION MOVED TO NEW AR 3311.4]

~~Design-Build Contracts~~ [SECTION MOVED TO NEW AR 3311.3]

Limitation on Use of Sole Sourcing

Note: "Sole sourcing" is the practice by which one brand name product is specified, although comparable, competitive products are available. Public Contract Code 3400 allows sole sourcing in limited circumstances and requires that the specification of the designated product be followed by the words "or equal," so that bidders for such a contract are able to base their bids on the use of other products of equal functionality that may result in cost savings for the district. The following section is optional.

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In any contract for the construction, alteration, or repair of school facilities, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the bid specification: (Public Contract Code ~~3002~~ 3400)

1. Does not directly or indirectly limit bidding to any one specific concern
2. Does not call for a designated material, product, thing, or service by a specific brand or trade name, unless the specification is followed by the words "or equal," so that bidders may furnish any equal material, product, thing, or service

In any such case, the bid specification shall provide a time period, before and/or after the award of the contract, for the contractor to submit data substantiating the request for substituting the designated material, product, thing, or service. If no such time period is specified, the contractor may submit the data within 35 days after the award of the contract.

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts with ADA of more than 2,500. For the repair or replacement of the roof of a public facility, a material must meet the requirements specified below to be considered "equal" pursuant to Public Contract Code 3000-3010.

When the bid is for a roof project, a material, product, thing, or service is considered "equal" to that designated if it is equal in quality, durability, design, and appearance; will perform the intended function equally well; and conforms substantially to the detailed requirements in the bid specification. (~~Public Contract Code 3002~~)

However, the Superintendent or designee may designate a specific material, product, thing, or service by brand or trade name (sole sourcing) if the Board has made a finding, described in the invitation for bids or request for proposal (RFP), that a particular material, product, thing, or service is designated for any of the following purposes: (Public Contract Code 3400)

1. To conduct a field test or experiment to determine its suitability for future use
2. To match others in use on a particular public improvement that has been completed or is in the course of completion
3. To obtain a necessary item that is only available from one source
4. To respond to the Board's declaration of an emergency, as long as the declaration has been approved by four-fifths of the Board when issuing the invitation for bid or RFP

(cf. 9323.2 - Actions by the Board)

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Bids Not Required

Note: The following paragraph lists those items that may be purchased through a "piggybacked" bid; see the accompanying Board policy. Many districts have used the piggyback procedure to purchase portable and relocatable buildings. The Attorney General has opined (89 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 1, 2006) that a district may not rely on the piggyback exception to contract for the acquisition and installation of factory-built modular building components (i.e., roofs and walls) for installation on a permanent foundation. However, this opinion does not apply to typical portable or relocatable single-classroom buildings, because they lack a permanent foundation and building mobility. Districts considering using the piggyback process for relocatables, portables, modulares, and the like should consult district legal counsel. While Attorney General opinions are not binding, they are often given deference by the court and may also be considered by the State Allocation Board when making funding decisions.

Without advertising for bids and upon a determination that it is in the best interest of the district, the Board may authorize another public corporation or agency, by contract, lease, requisition, or purchase order, to lease data-processing equipment or to purchase materials, supplies, equipment, automotive vehicles, tractors, and other personal property for the district in the manner that the other public corporation or agency is authorized to make the leases or purchases from a vendor ("piggyback"). Alternatively, if the public corporation or agency has an existing contract with a vendor for the lease or purchase of personal property, the district may authorize the lease or purchase of personal property directly from the vendor and make payments under the same terms that are available to the public corporation or agency under the contract. (Public Contract Code 20118)

(cf. 3300 - Expenditures and Purchases)
(cf. 3512 - Equipment)

Note: The following optional paragraph reflects the authority granted to public agencies pursuant to Government Code 4217.10-4217.18 to enter into energy service contracts without competitive bidding when the agency's governing body determines that the contract is in the best interest of the agency based on the "costs-benefits" analysis specified in Government Code 4217.12.

Without advertising for bids, the Board may enter into an energy service contract and any related facility ground lease, when it determines that the terms of the contract and lease are in the best interest of the district and meet the cost effectiveness requirements specified in Government Code 4217.12. The Board's determination shall be made at a regularly scheduled public hearing of which notice is given to the public at least two weeks in advance and shall be based on cost and savings comparison findings specified in Government Code 4217.12. (Government Code 4217.12)

(cf. 3511 - Energy and Water Management)
(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

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Supplementary textbooks, library books, educational films, audiovisual materials, test materials, workbooks, instructional computer software packages, or periodicals may be purchased in any amount without taking estimates or advertising for bids. (Public Contract Code 20118.3)

(cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)

(cf. 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials)

(cf. 6163.1 - Library Media Centers)

Perishable foodstuffs and seasonal commodities needed in the operations of cafeterias may be purchased through bid or on the open market. (Education Code 38083)

(cf. 3551 - Food Service Operations/Cafeteria Fund)

Bids shall not be required for day labor under circumstances specified in Public Contract Code 20114. Day labor shall include the use of maintenance personnel employed on a permanent or temporary basis. (Public Contract Code 20114)

Note: Pursuant to Public Contract Code 20113, a district may award contracts without competitive bidding in emergency situations, as specified below. In Marshall v. Pasadena Unified School District, a court held that the definition of "emergency" in Public Contract Code 1102 is applicable. Public Contract Code 1102 defines "emergency" as a "sudden, unexpected occurrence that poses a clear and imminent danger, requiring immediate action to prevent or mitigate the loss or impairment of life, health, property, or essential public services."

In an emergency when any repairs, alterations, work, or improvement to any school facility is necessary to permit the continuance of existing school classes or to avoid danger to life or property, the Board may, by unanimous vote and with the approval of the County Superintendent of Schools, contract for labor and materials or supplies without advertising for or inviting bids or may authorize the use of day labor or force account for the emergency purpose. (Public Contract Code 1102, 20113)

(cf. 3517 - Facilities Inspection)

The district may purchase any surplus property from the federal government or any of its agencies in any quantity needed for the operation of its schools without taking estimates or advertising for bids. (Education Code 17602)

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Business and Noninstructional Operations

Advertised/Competitive Bids

The district shall advertise for competitive bids when any public project contract involves an expenditure of \$15,000 or more. *Public project* means construction, reconstruction, erection, alteration, renovation, improvement, painting, repainting, demolition, and repair work involving a district owned, leased, or operated facility. (Public Contract Code 20111, 22002)

The district shall also advertise for competitive bids when a contract exceeds the amount specified in law, as annually adjusted by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, for any of the following: (Public Contract Code 20111)

1. The purchase of equipment, materials, or supplies to be furnished, sold, or leased to the district
2. Services, not including construction services or special services and advice in accounting, financial, legal, or administrative matters
3. Repairs that are not a public project, including maintenance

Maintenance means routine, recurring, and usual work for preserving, protecting, and keeping a district facility operating in a safe, efficient, and continually usable condition for the intended purpose for which it was designed, improved, constructed, altered, or repaired. *Maintenance* includes, but is not limited to, carpentry, electrical, plumbing, glazing, and other craft work designed to preserve the facility, as well as repairs, cleaning, and other operations on machinery and other permanently attached equipment. Maintenance does not include painting, repainting, or decorating other than touchup, or among other types of work, janitorial or custodial services and protection provided by security forces. (Public Contract Code 20115)

Instructions and Procedures for Advertised Bids

The Superintendent or designee shall call for bids by placing a notice at least once a week for two weeks in a local newspaper of general circulation published in the district, or if no such newspaper exists, then in some newspaper of general circulation that is circulated in the county. The Superintendent or designee also may post the notice on the district's web site or through an electronic portal. The notice shall state the work to be done or materials or supplies to be furnished and the time and place and web site where bids will be opened. The district may accept a bid that has been submitted electronically or on paper. (Public Contract Code 20112)

(cf. 1113 - District and School Web Sites)

The notice shall contain the time, date, and location of any mandatory prebid conference, site visit, or meeting and details regarding when and where project documents, including the final plan and specifications, are available. Any such mandatory visit or meeting shall occur not less than five calendar days after the publication of the initial notice. (Public Contract Code 6610)

Bid instructions and specifications shall include the following requirements and information:

1. All bidders shall certify the minimum, if not exact, percentage of post-consumer materials in products, materials, goods, or supplies offered or sold. (Public Contract Code 22152)

(cf. 3510 - Green School Operations)

2. All bids for construction work shall be presented under sealed cover and shall be accompanied by one of the following forms of bidder's security: (Public Contract Code 20107, 20111)
 - a. Cash
 - b. A cashier's check made payable to the district
 - c. A certified check made payable to the district
 - d. A bidder's bond executed by an admitted surety insurer and made payable to the district

The security of unsuccessful bidders shall be returned in a reasonable period of time, but in no event later than 60 days after the bid is awarded. (Public Contract Code 20111)

3. When a standardized proposal form is provided by the district, bids not presented on the standard form shall be disregarded. (Public Contract Code 20111.5)
4. Bids shall not be accepted after the advertised bid opening time, regardless of whether the bids are actually opened at that time. (Public Contract Code 20112)
5. When two or more identical lowest or highest bids are received, the Governing Board may determine by lot which bid shall be accepted. (Public Contract Code 20117)
6. If the district requires that the bid include prices for items that may be added to or deducted from the scope of work in the contract, the bid solicitation shall specify which one of the following methods will be used to determine the lowest bid. In the absence of such a specification, only the method provided in item #6a below shall be used. (Public Contract Code 20103.8)
 - a. The lowest bid shall be the lowest total of the bid prices on the base contract without consideration of the prices on the additive or deductive items.

- b. The lowest bid shall be the lowest total of the bid prices on the base contract and those additive or deductive items that were specifically identified in the bid solicitation as being used for the purpose of determining the lowest bid price.
- c. The lowest bid shall be the lowest total of the bid prices on the base contract and those additive or deductive items that, when taken in order from a specifically identified list of those items in the solicitation, and added to or subtracted from the base contract, are less than or equal to a funding amount publicly disclosed by the district before the first bid is opened.

The lowest bid shall be determined in a manner that prevents any information that would identify any of the bidders or proposed subcontractors or suppliers from being revealed to the district before the ranking of all bidders from lowest to highest has been determined. (Public Contract Code 20103.8)

7. The district shall consider only responsive bids from responsible bidders in determining the lowest bid.
8. Any subsequent change or alteration of a contract shall be governed by the provisions of Public Contract Code 20118.4.
9. After being opened, all submitted bids become public records pursuant to Government Code 6252 and shall be made available for public review pursuant to law, Board policy, and administrative regulation.
(cf. 1340 - Access to District Records)
10. When a bid is disqualified as nonresponsive based on district investigation or other information not obtained from the submitted bid, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the bidder and give him/her an opportunity to respond to the information.

Prequalification Procedure

When required by law or the Board, the Superintendent or designee shall establish a uniform system for rating bidders on the basis of completed questionnaires and financial statements in order to determine the size of contracts on which each bidder is qualified to bid. For this purpose, the Superintendent or designee shall furnish prospective bidders a standardized proposal form which, when completed, shall indicate a bidder's statement of financial ability and experience in performing public works. The bidder's information shall be verified under oath in the manner in which civil law pleadings are verified. The questionnaires and financial statements shall not be public records and shall not be open to public inspection. (Code of Civil Procedure 446; Public Contract Code 20111.5, 20111.6)

When any public project involves an expenditure of \$1,000,000 or more and is funded or reimbursed wholly or partly by the School Facilities Program funds or other future state school bond, the district shall prequalify prospective bidders either quarterly or annually. The prequalification shall be valid for one year and the following requirements shall apply: (Education Code 17406, 17407; Public Contract Code 20111.6)

1. Prospective bidders, including, but not limited to, prime, general engineering, and general building contractors and electrical, mechanical, and plumbing subcontractors, as defined in the Business and Professions Code 4113, 7056, or 7057, as applicable, shall submit a standardized questionnaire and financial statement 10 or more business days, as determined by the district, before the date fixed for the public opening of sealed bids.
2. Prospective bidders shall be prequalified by the district five or more business days, as determined by the district, before the date fixed for the public opening of sealed bids.

If the project includes electrical, mechanical, or plumbing components that will be performed by electrical, mechanical, or plumbing contractors, the Superintendent or designee shall make available to all bidders a list of prequalified general contractors and electrical, mechanical, and plumbing subcontractors five or more business days, as determined by the district, before the date fixed for the public opening of sealed bids.

For all other contracts requiring competitive bidding, the district may establish a procedure for prequalifying bidders on a quarterly basis and may authorize that prequalification be considered valid for up to one calendar year following the date of the initial prequalification. Prospective bidders for such contracts shall submit the questionnaire and financial statement at least five days before the date fixed for public opening of sealed bids and shall be prequalified by the district at least one day before the fixed bid-opening date. (Public Contract Code 20111.5)

Award of Contract

The district shall award each contract to the lowest responsible bidder except in the following circumstances:

1. When the contract is for the procurement and/or maintenance of electronic data processing systems and supporting software, in which case the Board may contract with any one of the three lowest responsible bidders (Public Contract Code 20118.1)
2. When the contract is for any transportation service which involves an expenditure of more than \$10,000 and which will be made with any person or corporation other than a common carrier, municipally owned transit system, or a parent/guardian of students who are to be transported, in which case the Board may contract with other than the lowest bidder (Education Code 39802)
3. When the contract is one for which the Board has established goals and requirements relating to participation of disabled veteran or small business enterprises in accordance with Public Contract Code 2000-2002, in which case the Board may contract with the lowest responsible bidder who submits a responsive bid and complies or makes a good faith effort to comply with the goals and requirements (Public Contract Code 2000-2002)
4. When procuring a design-build contract for a public works project in excess of \$1,000,000 in accordance with the section "Design-Build Contracts" below, in which case the Board may award the contract to either the low bid or the best value to the

district, taking into consideration, at a minimum, price, technical design and construction expertise, and life-cycle costs (Education Code 17250.20, 17250.25)

(cf. 9270 - *Conflict of Interest*)

Protests by Bidders

A bidder may protest a bid award if he/she believes that the award is not in compliance with law, Board policy, or the bid specification. A protest must be filed in writing with the Superintendent or designee within five working days after receipt of notification of the contract award and shall include all documents supporting or justifying the protest. A bidder's failure to file the protest documents in a timely manner shall constitute a waiver of his/her right to protest the award of the contract.

The Superintendent or designee shall review the documents submitted with the bidder's claims and render a decision in writing within 30 working days. The Superintendent or designee may also convene a meeting with the bidder in order to attempt to resolve the problem.

The bidder may appeal the Superintendent or designee's decision to the Board. The Superintendent or designee shall provide notice to the bidder of the date and time for Board consideration of the protest at least three business days before the Board meeting. The Board's decision shall be final.

Alternative Bid Procedures for Technological Supplies and Equipment

Rather than seek competitive bids, the Board may use competitive negotiation when it makes a finding that a district procurement is for computers, software, telecommunications equipment, microwave equipment, or other related electronic equipment and apparatus. Competitive negotiation shall not be used to contract for construction or for the procurement of any product that is available in substantial quantities to the general public. (Public Contract Code 20118.2)

The competitive negotiation process shall include, but not be limited to, the following requirements: (Public Contract Code 20118.2)

1. The Superintendent or designee shall prepare a request for proposals (RFP) that shall be submitted to an adequate number of qualified sources, as determined by the district, to permit reasonable competition consistent with the nature and requirement of the procurement.
2. Notice of the RFP shall be published at least twice in a newspaper of general circulation, at least 10 days before the date for receipt of the proposals.
3. The Superintendent or designee shall make every effort to generate the maximum feasible number of proposals from qualified sources and shall make a finding to that effect before proceeding to negotiate if only a single response to the RFP is received.
4. The RFP shall identify all significant evaluation factors, including price, and their relative importance.

5. The Superintendent or designee shall provide reasonable procedures for the technical evaluation of the RFPs received, the identification of qualified sources, and the selection for the award of the contract.
6. The Board shall award the contract to the qualified bidder whose proposal meets the evaluation standards and will be most advantageous to the district with price and all other factors considered.
7. If the Board does not award the contract to the bidder whose proposal contains the lowest price, then the Board shall make a finding setting forth the basis for the award to another bidder.
8. The Board, at its discretion, may reject all proposals and request new RFPs.
9. Provisions in any contract concerning utilization of small business enterprises that are in accordance with the RFP shall not be subject to negotiation with the successful proposer.

Design-Build Contracts

When it is in the best interest of the district, the Board may approve a contract with a single entity for both design and construction of any school facility in excess of \$1,000,000, awarding the contract to either the low bid or the best value as determined by evaluation of objective criteria. (Education Code 17250.20)

The procurement process for design-build projects shall be as follows: (Education Code 17250.25)

1. The district shall prepare a set of documents setting forth the scope and estimated price of the project. The documents may include, but are not limited to, the size, type, and desired design character of the project; performance specifications covering the quality of materials, equipment, workmanship, preliminary plans, or building layouts; or any other information deemed necessary to describe adequately the district's needs. The documents may include operations during a training or transition period, but shall not include long-term operations for a project. The performance specifications and any plans shall be prepared by a design professional who is duly licensed and registered in California.
2. The district shall prepare and issue a request for qualifications in order to prequalify or develop a short list of the design-build entities whose proposals shall be evaluated for final selection. The request for qualifications shall include, but is not limited to, all of the following elements:
 - a. Identification of the basic scope and needs of the project or contract, the expected cost range, the methodology that will be used by the district to evaluate proposals, the procedure for final selection of the design-build entity, and any other information deemed necessary by the district to inform interested parties of the contracting opportunity

- b. Significant factors that the district reasonably expects to consider in evaluating qualifications, including technical design and construction experience, acceptable safety record, and all other non-price-related factors
- c. A standard template request for statements of qualifications prepared by the district, which shall contain all of the information required pursuant to Education Code 17250.25

The district also may identify specific types of subcontractors that must be included in the statement of qualification and proposal.

A design-build entity shall not be prequalified or short-listed unless the entity provides an enforceable commitment to the district that the entity and its subcontractors at every tier will use a skilled and trained workforce, as defined in Education Code 17250.25, to perform all work on the project or contract that falls within an apprenticeable occupation in the building and construction trades. The entity may demonstrate such commitment through a project labor agreement, by becoming a party to the district's project labor agreement, or through an agreement with the district to provide evidence of compliance on a monthly basis during the performance of the project or contract. (Education Code 17250.25)

3. The district shall prepare a request for proposals that invites prequalified or short-listed entities to submit competitive sealed proposals in a manner prescribed by the district. The request for proposals shall include the information identified in items #2a and 2b above and the relative importance or weight assigned to each of the factors. If the district uses a best value selection method, the district may reserve the right to request proposal revisions and hold discussions and negotiations with responsive proposers, in which case the district shall so specify in the request for proposals and shall publish separately or incorporate into the request for proposals applicable procedures to be observed by the district to ensure that any discussions or negotiations are conducted in good faith.
4. For those projects utilizing low bid as the final selection method, the bidding process shall result in lump-sum bids by the prequalified or short-listed design-build entities, and the contract shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.
5. For those projects utilizing best value as a selection method, the following procedures shall be used:
 - a. Competitive proposals shall be evaluated using only the criteria and selection procedures specifically identified in the request for proposals. Criteria shall be weighted as deemed appropriate by the district and shall, at a minimum, include price, unless a stipulated sum is specified; technical design and construction experience; and life-cycle costs over 15 or more years.
 - b. Following any discussions or negotiations with responsive proposers and completion of the evaluation process, the responsive proposers shall be ranked on a determination of value provided, provided that no more than three proposers are required to be ranked.

- c. The contract shall be awarded to the responsible entity whose proposal is determined by the district to have offered the best value to the public.
- d. The district shall publicly announce the contract award, identifying the entity to which the award is made and the basis of the award. This statement and the contract file shall provide sufficient information to satisfy an external audit.

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In any contract for the construction, alteration, or repair of school facilities, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the bid specification: (Public Contract Code 3400)

1. Does not directly or indirectly limit bidding to any one specific concern
2. Does not call for a designated material, product, thing, or service by a specific brand or trade name, unless the specification is followed by the words "or equal," so that bidders may furnish any equal material, product, thing, or service

In any such case, the bid specification shall provide a time period, before and/or after the award of the contract, for the contractor to submit data substantiating the request for substituting the designated material, product, thing, or service. If no such time period is specified, the contractor may submit the data within 35 days after the award of the contract.

When the bid is for a roof project, a material, product, thing, or service is considered "equal" to that designated if it is equal in quality, durability, design, and appearance; will perform the intended function equally well; and conforms substantially to the detailed requirements in the bid specification. (Public Contract Code 3002)

However, the Superintendent or designee may designate a specific material, product, thing, or service by brand or trade name (sole sourcing) if the Board has made a finding, described in the invitation for bids or RFP, that a particular material, product, thing, or service is designated for any of the following purposes: (Public Contract Code 3400)

1. To conduct a field test or experiment to determine its suitability for future use
2. To match others in use on a particular public improvement that has been completed or is in the course of completion
3. To obtain a necessary item that is only available from one source
4. To respond to the Board's declaration of an emergency, as long as the declaration has been approved by four-fifths of the Board when issuing the invitation for bid or RFP

(cf. 9323.2 - Actions by the Board)

Bids Not Required

Without advertising for bids and upon a determination that it is in the best interest of the district, the Board may authorize another public corporation or agency, by contract, lease, requisition, or purchase order, to lease data-processing equipment or to purchase materials, supplies, equipment, automotive vehicles, tractors, and other personal property for the district in the manner that the other public corporation or agency is authorized to make the leases or purchases from a vendor ("piggyback"). Alternatively, if the public corporation or agency has an existing contract with a vendor for the lease or purchase of personal property, the district may authorize the lease or purchase of personal property directly from the vendor and make payments under the same terms that are available to the public corporation or agency under the contract. (Public Contract Code 20118)

(cf. 3300 - Expenditures and Purchases)
(cf. 3512 - Equipment)

Without advertising for bids, the Board may enter into an energy service contract and any related facility ground lease, when it determines that the terms of the contract and lease are in the best interest of the district. The Board's determination shall be made at a regularly scheduled public hearing of which notice is given to the public at least two weeks in advance and shall be based on cost comparison findings specified in Government Code 4217.12. (Government Code 4217.12)

(cf. 3511 - Energy and Water Management)
(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

Supplementary textbooks, library books, educational films, audiovisual materials, test materials, workbooks, instructional computer software packages, or periodicals may be purchased in any amount without taking estimates or advertising for bids. (Public Contract Code 20118.3)

(cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)
(cf. 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials)
(cf. 6163.1 - Library Media Centers)

Perishable foodstuffs and seasonal commodities needed in the operations of cafeterias may be purchased through bid or on the open market. (Education Code 38083)

(cf. 3551 - Food Service Operations/Cafeteria Fund)

Bids shall not be required for day labor under circumstances specified in Public Contract Code 20114. Day labor shall include the use of maintenance personnel employed on a permanent or temporary basis. (Public Contract Code 20114)

In an emergency when any repairs, alterations, work, or improvement to any school facility is necessary to permit the continuance of existing school classes or to avoid danger to life or property, the Board may, by unanimous vote and with the approval of the County Superintendent of Schools, contract for labor and materials or supplies without advertising for or inviting bids or may authorize the use of day labor or force account for the emergency purpose. (Public Contract Code 1102, 20113)

(cf. 3517 - Facilities Inspection)

The district may purchase any surplus property from the federal government or any of its agencies in any quantity needed for the operation of its schools without taking estimates or advertising for bids. (Education Code 17602)

Lease-Leaseback Contract

Upon a determination that it is in the best interest of the district and without advertising for bids, the Board may lease currently owned district property to any person, firm, or corporation for a minimum of \$1 per year, as long as the lease requires the person, firm, or corporation to construct a building or buildings on the property for the district's use during the lease and the property and building(s) will vest in the district at the expiration of the lease ("lease-leaseback"). Prior to entering into a lease-leaseback agreement, the Superintendent or designee shall have on file the contractor's enforceable commitment that the contractor and its subcontractors at every tier will use a skilled and trained workforce to perform all work on the project or contract that falls within an apprenticeable occupation in the building and construction trades. (Education Code 17406, 17407.5)

(cf. 3280 - Sale or Lease of District-Owned Real Property)

Any lease-leaseback agreement shall be reviewed by the district's legal counsel to ensure that all required terms, including a lease term that provides for the district's occupancy of the building or improved property during the lease and an appropriate financing component, are included in the agreement.

(cf. 9124 - Attorney)

Regardless of the funding source, when any lease-leaseback agreement is for a public project, involves an expenditure of \$1,000,000 or more, and meets other criteria in Public Contract Code 20111.6, the prequalification requirements specified in the "Prequalification Procedure" section above shall be followed. (Education Code 17406)

Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act

Procedures for awarding contracts for public works projects shall be determined on the basis of the amount of the project, as follows:

1. Public projects of \$45,000 or less may be performed by district employees by force account, negotiated contract, or purchase order. (Public Contract Code 22032)
2. Contracts for public projects of \$175,000 or less may be awarded through the following informal procedures: (Public Contract Code 22032, 22034, 22038)
 - a. The Superintendent or designee shall maintain a list of qualified contractors, identified according to categories of work.
 - b. The Superintendent or designee shall prepare a notice inviting informal bids which describes the project in general terms, explains how to obtain more information about the project, and states the time and place for submission of bids. The notice shall be disseminated by mail, fax, or email to one or both of the following:

- (1) To all contractors on the district's list for the category of work being bid, unless the product or service is proprietary, at least 10 calendar days before bids are due
 - (2) To all construction trade journals identified pursuant to Public Contract Code 22036
 - c. The district shall review the informal bids and award the contract, except that:
 - (1) If all bids received through the informal process are in excess of \$175,000, the contract may be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, provided that the Board adopts a resolution with a four-fifths vote to award the contract at \$187,500 or less and the Board determines the district's cost estimate was reasonable.
 - (2) If no bids are received through the informal bid procedure, the project may be performed by district employees by force account or negotiated contract.
3. Public projects of more than \$175,000 shall, except as otherwise provided by law, be subject to formal bidding procedures, as follows: (Public Contract Code 22032, 22037, 22038)
 - a. Notice inviting formal bids shall state the time and place for receiving and opening sealed bids and distinctly describe the project. The notice shall be disseminated in both of the following ways:
 - (1) Through publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the district's jurisdiction or, if there is no such newspaper, then by posting the notice in at least three places designated by the district as places for posting its notices. Such notice shall be published at least 14 calendar days before the date that bids will be opened.
 - (2) By mail and electronically, if available, by either fax or email, to all construction trade journals identified pursuant to Public Contract Code 22036. Such notice shall be sent at least 15 calendar days before the date that bids will be opened.

In addition to notice required above, the district may give such other notice as it deems proper.
 - b. The district shall award the contract as follows:
 - (1) The contract shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. If two or more bids are the same and the lowest, the district may accept the one it chooses.
 - (2) At its discretion, the district may reject all bids presented and declare that the project can be more economically performed by district

employees, provided that the district notifies an apparent low bidder, in writing, of the district's intention to reject the bid. Such notice shall be mailed at least two business days prior to the hearing at which the district intends to reject the bid.

- (3) If no bids are received through the formal bid procedure, the project may be performed by district employees by force account or negotiated contract.

In cases of emergency when repair or replacements are necessary, the Board may proceed at once to replace or repair a facility without adopting plans, specifications, strain sheets, or working details, or giving notice for bids to let contracts, in accordance with the contracting procedures in Public Contract Code 22050. The work may be done by day labor under the direction of the Board and/or contractor. (Public Contract Code 22035)

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Note: The following optional policy is for use by districts that elect to use an alternative procedure for awarding contracts for public works projects pursuant to the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act (UPCCAA) (Public Contract Code 22000-22045), which establishes a higher bid limit and a more informal bidding process for certain projects. See BP/AR 3311 - Bids for traditional bidding procedures pursuant to Public Contract Code 20110-20118.4.

Pursuant to Public Contract Code 22032, projects of \$45,000 or less may be performed by the district's own work force, projects of \$175,000 or less may use a more informal bidding procedure as specified, and projects over \$175,000 require formal bidding procedures. See the accompanying administrative regulation for related requirements.

In order to participate in the UPCCAA, Public Contract Code 22030 requires the Governing Board to adopt a resolution electing to use the UPCCAA for district contracting and to notify the State Controller of that action. In the event of a conflict with any other provision of law relative to bidding procedures, the UPCCAA shall apply for any district that has adopted a resolution and so notified the Controller. According to the California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission's "Frequently Asked Questions," available on its web site, once the Board has adopted such a resolution, it can only withdraw from the UPCCAA by adopting a resolution of the election to withdraw and filing that resolution with the State Controller.

~~In awarding contracts for public works projects involving district facilities, the Governing Board desires to obtain the best value to the district and ensure the qualifications of contractors to complete the project in a satisfactory manner. For use in contracting for public works projects,~~ the Board has, by resolution, adopted the procedures set forth in the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act pursuant to Public Contract Code 22030-22045, including ~~the required cost accounting procedures and~~ the informal bidding procedures when allowed by law.

(cf. 3311 - Bids)

(cf. 7110 - Facilities Master Plan)

Note: The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. In circumstances where the informal bidding procedure is authorized, Public Contract Code 22034 allows the Board to delegate the authority to award contracts to an appropriate district administrator. Public Contract Code 22039 allows the Board to delegate the ~~adoption of authority to adopt~~ plans, specifications, and working details for projects subject to formal bidding procedures.

The Board delegates to the Superintendent or designee the responsibilities to award any contract eligible for informal bidding procedures and to develop plans, specifications, and working details for all public projects requiring formal bidding procedures.

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No work, project, service, or purchase shall be split or separated into smaller work orders or projects for the purpose of evading legal requirements for competitive bidding. (Public Contract Code 22033)

Note: In electing to be subject to the UPCCAA, the district thereby agrees to follow the cost accounting procedures set forth in the Cost Accounting Policies and Procedures Manual of the California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission, pursuant to Public Contract Code 22017 and ~~20019~~ **22019**. According to the "Frequently Asked Questions" on the Commission's web site, districts may use the statewide Standardized Account Code Structure to comply with tracking requirements.

Projects awarded through the UPCCAA shall be subject to the cost accounting procedures established by the California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission. (Public Contract Code 22030)

Emergency Actions

Note: Public Contract Code 22035 allows the district to replace or repair a school facility without going through the UPCCAA process in cases of emergency in accordance with Public Contract Code 22050. Public Contract Code 1102 defines "emergency" as a sudden, unexpected occurrence that poses a clear and imminent danger, requiring immediate action to prevent or mitigate the loss or impairment of life, health, property, or essential public services.

In cases of emergency, when formal bids are required by law but an emergency necessitates immediate repair or replacements are necessary, the Board may, upon a four-fifths vote of the Board, proceed at once to replace or repair a facility without adopting plans, specifications, strain sheets, or working details or giving notice for bids to let contracts, in accordance with the contracting procedures in Public Contract Code 22050. The work may be done by day labor under the direction of the Board and/or contractor. The emergency actions shall subsequently be reviewed by the Board in accordance with Public Contract Code 22050 and shall be terminated at the earliest possible date that conditions warrant, so that the remainder of the emergency action may be completed by giving notice for bids to let contracts. (Public Contract Code 1102; 22035; 22050)

(cf. 9323.2 - Actions by the Board)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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Legal Reference:

PUBLIC CONTRACT CODE

1102 *Definition of emergency*

~~20110-20118:4 Local Agency Public Construction Act, school districts~~

22000-22020 *California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission*

22030-22045 *Alternative procedures for public projects (UPCAA), especially:*

22032 *Applicability of procedures based on amount of project*

22034 *Informal bidding procedure*

22035 *Emergency need for repairs or replacement*

22037-22038 *Formal bidding procedures for projects exceeding \$175,000*

22050 *Alternative emergency procedures*

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA UNIFORM CONSTRUCTION COST ACCOUNTING COMMISSION PUBLICATIONS

Cost Accounting Policies and Procedures Manual

Frequently Asked Questions

WEB SITES

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

California Association of School Business Officials: <http://www.casbo.org>

California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission:

http://www.sco.ca.gov/ard_cuccac.html

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Note: The following administrative regulation is for use when the Governing Board has adopted a resolution to use the alternative procedures of the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act (UPCCAA) (Public Contract Code 22000-22045) for awarding public works projects; see the accompanying Board policy.

According to the California Uniform Construction Cost Accounting Commission's "Frequently Asked Questions," available on its web site, a district participating in the UPCCAA is subject to other requirements of the Public Contract Code in areas where the UPCCAA is silent. See BP/AR 3311 - Bids for traditional bidding procedures pursuant to Public Contract Code 20110-20118.4.

Public Contract Code 22032 establishes the following requirements based on the amount of the public project. Pursuant to Public Contract Code 22020, the Commission reviews these monetary limits every five years and recommends to the State Controller whether they need to be adjusted. The State Controller is required to notify all public agencies of any adjustment to these limits.

Procedures for awarding contracts for public works projects shall be determined on the basis of the amount of the project, as follows:

1. Public projects of \$45,000 or less may be performed by district employees by force account, negotiated contract, or purchase order. (Public Contract Code 22032)

Note: Public Contract Code 22034 requires any public agency participating in UPCCAA to adopt an informal bidding ordinance, with specified components, to govern the selection of contractors to perform public projects of \$175,000 or less, as described in item #2 below. The Commission's "Frequently Asked Questions" clarify that, for school districts and other agencies that cannot legally adopt ordinances, a board policy, administrative regulation, or other legally applicable action of the board may be substituted.

2. Contracts for public projects of \$175,000 or less may be awarded through the following informal procedures: (Public Contract Code 22032, 22034, 22038)
 - a. The Superintendent or designee shall maintain a list of qualified contractors, identified according to categories of work.

Note: Public Contract Code 22034, as amended by SB 184 (Ch. 269, Statutes of 2015), authorized distribution of the following bid notice by fax or email as well as by mail.

- b. The Superintendent or designee shall prepare a notice inviting informal bids which describes the project in general terms, explains how to obtain more information about the project, and states the time and place for submission of bids. The notice shall be disseminated by mail, fax, or email to ~~one or both of the following (1)~~ all contractors on the district's list for the category of

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work being bid, unless the product or service is proprietary, at least 10 calendar days before bids are due. ~~In addition, the Superintendent or designee may mail, fax, or email a notice inviting informal bids.~~ ⁽²⁾ To all construction trade journals identified pursuant to Public Contract Code 22036.

- c. The district shall review the informal bids and award the contract, except that:
- (1) If all bids received through the informal process are in excess of \$175,000, the contract may be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder, provided that the Governing Board adopts a resolution with a four-fifths vote to award the contract at \$187,500 or less and the Board determines the district's cost estimate was reasonable.
 - (2) If no bids are received through the informal bid procedure, the project may be performed by district employees by force account or negotiated contract.
3. Public projects of more than \$175,000 shall, except as otherwise provided by law, be subject to formal bidding procedures, as follows: (Public Contract Code 22032, 22037, 22038)

Note: Pursuant to Public Contract Code 22037, if there is no newspaper of general circulation published in the jurisdiction of the district, the district must post the bid notice in three locations as described below. Public Contract Code 22037 requires that these locations be identified in the agency's ordinance or regulation. Item #3a(1) may be revised to include such locations.

- a. Notice inviting formal bids shall state the time and place for receiving and opening sealed bids and distinctly describe the project. The notice shall be disseminated in both of the following ways:
- (1) Through publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the district's jurisdiction or, if there is no such newspaper, then by posting the notice in at least three places designated by the district as places for posting its notices. Such notice shall be published at least 14 calendar days before the date that bids will be opened.
 - (2) By mail and electronically, if available, by either fax or email, to all construction trade journals identified pursuant to Public Contract Code 22036. Such notice shall be sent at least 15 calendar days before the date that bids will be opened.

In addition to the notice required above, the district may give such other

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- b. The district shall award the contract as follows:
- (1) The contract shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder. If two or more bids are the same and the lowest, the district may accept the one it chooses.
 - (2) At its discretion, the district may reject all bids presented and declare that the project can be more economically performed by district employees, provided that the district notifies an apparent low bidder, in writing, of the district's intention to reject the bid. Such notice shall be mailed at least two business days prior to the hearing at which the district intends to reject the bid.
 - (3) If no bids are received through the formal bid procedure, the project may be performed by district employees by force account or negotiated contract.

(cf. 3311 - Bids)

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LEASE-LEASEBACK CONTRACTS

Note: The following ~~optional section~~ administrative regulation addresses construction financing contracts that are commonly described as "lease-leaseback" contracts. ~~Education Code 17406, as amended by AB 2316 (Ch. 521, Statutes of 2016), no longer permits the selection of a lease-leaseback contractor without advertising, and instead requires districts to use a comprehensive "best value" selection process. Education Code 17406, as amended, mandates that any district choosing to award a lease-leaseback contract adopt and publish procedures and guidelines for evaluating the qualifications of proposers that ensure the fair and impartial selection of the "best value" for the district. In addition, for any project that will involve the use of preconstruction services, the request for sealed proposals must require proposers to include the fee to perform the preconstruction services as part of their sealed proposal to the district. Such procedures and guidelines must include, at a minimum, the provisions specified in Education Code 17406 as reflected in the following regulation.~~

~~This construction lease-leaseback financing method should only be used in coordination with competent technical consultants and legal counsel to ensure all legal requirements are met. Pursuant to Education Code 17407.5, as added by AB 566 (Ch. 214, Statutes of 2015), the contractor must provide an enforceable commitment to the district that it will use a certain percentage of skilled and trained workers to complete project-related work that is within an "apprenticeable occupation," as defined in Labor Code 3075.~~

~~Upon a determination that it is in the best interest of the district and without advertising for bids, the Board. The district may lease currently owned district property to any person, firm, or corporation for a minimum of \$1 per year, as long as the lease requires the person, firm, or corporation to construct a building or buildings on the property for the district's use during the lease and the property and building(s) will vest in the district at the expiration of the lease ("lease-leaseback"). (Education Code 17406)~~

(cf. 3280 - Sale or Lease of District-Owned Real Property)
(cf. 3312 - Contracts)

~~Any lease-leaseback contract shall be awarded through a competitive "best value" procurement process whereby a person, firm, or corporation is selected on the basis of objective criteria for evaluating the qualifications of proposers, with the resulting selection representing the best combination of price and qualifications. To make this determination, the district shall use the following procedures: (Education Code 17400) 17406)~~

1. ~~Request for Sealed Proposals: The Superintendent or designee shall prepare a request for sealed proposals which shall include:~~

a. ~~An estimate of the project's price~~

b. ~~A clear, precise description of any preconstruction services that may be required and the facilities to be constructed~~

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- c. The key elements of the contract to be awarded**
 - d. A description of the format that proposals shall follow and the elements they shall contain**
 - e. The standards the district will use in evaluating proposals**
 - f. The date on which proposals are due**
 - g. The timetable the district will follow in reviewing and evaluating proposals**
- 2. Notice: At least 10 days before the date for receipt of the proposals, the Superintendent or designee shall give notice of the request for sealed proposals using both of the following methods:**
- a. Providing notice at least once a week for two weeks in a local newspaper of general circulation pursuant to Public Contract Code 20112**
 - b. Providing notice in a trade paper of general circulation published in the county where the project is located**

Note: The following paragraph is optional and may be revised to reflect district practice:

The Superintendent or designee also may post the notice on the district's web site or through an electronic portal

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 17406, the prequalification requirements for contracts that meet the criteria specified in Public Contract Code 20111.6 are also applicable to lease-leaseback contracts. As amended by AB 566 (Ch. 214, Statutes of 2015), Education Code 17406 requires prequalification for such projects irrespective of whether or not they are funded locally or through state sources, and makes the provision applicable to all districts, not just those with ADA of 7,500 or more. See "Prequalification Procedure" section above.

- 3. Prequalification: A proposer shall be prequalified in accordance with Public Contract Code 20111.6(b)-(m) in order to submit a proposal. Any electrical, mechanical, and plumbing subcontractors shall be subject to the same prequalification requirements**

(cf. 3311 - Bids)

- 4. Evaluation Criteria: The request for sealed proposals shall identify all criteria that the district will consider in evaluating the proposals and qualifications of**

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the proposers, including relevant experience, safety record, price proposal, and other factors specified by the district. The price proposal shall include, at the district's discretion, either a lump-sum price for the contract to be awarded or the proposer's proposed fee to perform the services requested, including the proposer's proposed fee to perform preconstruction services or any other work related to the facilities to be constructed, as requested by the district.

The request for sealed proposals shall specify whether each criterion will be evaluated on a pass-fail basis or will be scored as part of the "best value" score and whether proposers must achieve any minimum qualification score for award of the contract. For each scored criterion, the district shall identify the methodology and rating or weighting system that will be used by the district in evaluating the criterion, including the weight assigned to the criterion and any minimum acceptable score.

5. Evaluation of Proposals: All proposals received shall be reviewed to determine whether they meet the format requirements and the standards specified in the request for sealed proposals. The district shall evaluate the qualifications of the proposers based solely upon the criteria and evaluation methodology set forth in the request for sealed proposals, and shall assign a best value score to each proposal. Once the evaluation is complete, all responsive proposals shall be ranked from the highest best value to the lowest best value to the district.

6. Award of Contract: The award of the contract shall be made by the Governing Board to the responsive proposer whose proposal is determined, in writing by the Board, to be the best value to the district.

If the selected proposer refuses or fails to execute the tendered contract, the Board may award the contract to the proposer with the second highest best value score, if deemed in the best interest of the district. If that proposer then refuses or fails to execute the tendered contract, the Board may award the contract to the proposer with the third highest best value score.

Upon issuance of a contract award, the district shall publicly announce its award, identifying the entity to which the award is made, along with a statement regarding the basis of the award. The statement regarding the contract award and the contract file shall provide sufficient information to satisfy an external audit.

7. Rejection of Proposals: At its discretion, the Board may reject all proposals and request new proposals.

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Prior to entering into a lease-leaseback agreement, the Superintendent or designee shall have on file the contractor's enforceable commitment that the contractor and its subcontractors at every tier will use a skilled and trained workforce to perform all work on the project or contract that falls within an apprenticeable occupation in the building and construction trades. (Education Code ~~17406~~ 17407.5)

Any lease-leaseback agreement shall be reviewed by the district's legal counsel to ensure that all required terms, including a lease term that provides for the district's occupancy of the building or improved property during the lease and an appropriate financing component, are included in the agreement.

(cf. 9124 - Attorney)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

17400 Definitions

17406 Lease-leaseback contract

17407.5 Use of a skilled and trained workforce

PUBLIC CONTRACT CODE

20111.6 Prequalification procedures

20112 Notices

COURT DECISIONS

McGee v. Balfour Beatty Construction, LLC, et al. (4/12/16, No. B262850)

Davis v. Fresno Unified School District, (2015) 237 Cal.App.4th 261

Management Resources:

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

California Association of School Business Officials: <http://www.casbo.org>

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DESIGN-BUILD CONTRACTS

Note: As an alternative to the more traditional design-bid-build process (see BP/AR 3311 - Bids) or a lease-leaseback process (see AR 3311.2 - Lease-Leaseback Contracts), the district may enter into a design-build contract for a public works project in excess of \$1 million pursuant to Education Code 17250.10-17250.55 as added by AB 1258 (Ch. 752 Statutes of 2015). As defined by Education Code 17250.15, "design-build" means a project delivery process in which both the design and construction of a project are procured from a single entity. Education Code 17250.15 and 17250.25 provide that such contracts may be awarded to either the low bid or best value, as defined. Pursuant to Education Code 17250.50 and 17250.55, this authority applies to bid requests issued on or after July 1, 2016 and will be repealed January 1, 2025 unless legislation is enacted to delete or extend that date.

~~When it is in the best interest of the district,~~ The Governing Board may approve a contract with a single entity for both design and construction of any school facility in excess of \$1,000,000, awarding the contract to either the low bid or the best value as determined by evaluation of objective criteria. (Education Code 17250.20)

~~(cf. 3311 - Bids)~~

~~(cf. 3312 - Contracts)~~

~~(cf. 7110 - Facilities Master Plan)~~

~~(cf. 7140 - Architectural and Engineering Services)~~

~~Design-build documents shall not include provisions for long-term project operations but the documents may include operations during a training or transition period, but shall not include long-term operations for a project. (Education Code 17250.25)~~

The procurement process for design-build projects shall be as follows: (Education Code 17250.25; 17250.35)

1. The district shall prepare a set of documents setting forth the scope and estimated price of the project. The documents may include, but are not limited to:
 - a. ~~The~~ size, type, and desired design character of the project
 - b. ~~p~~Performance specifications ~~that~~ covering the quality of materials, equipment, and workmanship
 - c. Preliminary plans or building layouts
 - d. ~~a~~Any other information deemed necessary to describe adequately the district's needs

~~The documents may include operations during a training or transition period, but shall~~

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~~not include long-term operations for a project.~~ The performance specifications and any plans shall be prepared by a design professional who is duly licensed and registered in California.

2. The district shall prepare and issue a request for qualifications in order to prequalify¹ or develop a short list of¹ the design-build entities whose proposals shall be evaluated for final selection. The request for qualifications shall include, but is not limited to, all of the following elements:
 - a. Identification of the basic scope and needs of the project or contract, the expected cost range, the methodology that will be used by the district to evaluate proposals, the procedure for final selection of the design-build entity, and any other information deemed necessary by the district to inform interested parties of the contracting opportunity
 - b. Significant factors that the district reasonably expects to consider in evaluating qualifications, including technical design and construction ~~experience expertise~~, acceptable safety record, and all other non-price-related factors
 - c. A standard template request for statements of qualifications prepared by the district, which shall contain all of the information required pursuant to Education Code 17250.25

The district also may identify specific types of subcontractors that must be included in the statement of qualifications and proposal.

A design-build entity shall not be prequalified or short-listed unless the entity provides an enforceable commitment to the district that the entity and its subcontractors at every tier will use a skilled and trained workforce, as defined in Education Code 17250.25, to perform all work on the project or contract that falls within an apprenticeable occupation in the building and construction trades. The entity may demonstrate such commitment through a project labor agreement, by becoming a party to the district's project labor agreement, or through an agreement with the district to provide evidence of compliance on a monthly basis during the performance of the project or contract. ~~(Education Code 17250.25)~~

3. The district shall prepare a request for proposals **(RFP)** that invites prequalified or short-listed entities to submit competitive sealed proposals in a manner prescribed by the district. The ~~request for proposals RFP~~ shall include the information identified in items #2a and 2b above and the relative importance or weight assigned to each of the factors. If the district uses a best value selection method ~~for a project~~, the district may reserve the right to request proposal revisions and hold discussions and

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negotiations with responsive proposers, in which case the district shall so specify in the request for proposals and shall publish separately or incorporate into the request for proposals applicable procedures to be observed by the district to ensure that any discussions or negotiations are conducted in good faith.

4. For those projects utilizing low bid as the final selection method, the bidding process shall result in lump-sum bids by the prequalified or short-listed design-build entities, and the contract shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder.
5. For those projects utilizing best value as a selection method, the following procedures shall be used:
 - a. Competitive proposals shall be evaluated using only the criteria and selection procedures specifically identified in the request for proposals. Criteria shall be weighted as deemed appropriate by the district and shall, at a minimum, include price, unless a stipulated sum is specified; technical design and construction experience; and life-cycle costs over 15 or more years.
 - b. Following any discussions or negotiations with responsive proposers and completion of the evaluation process, the responsive proposers shall be ranked on a determination of value provided, provided that no more than three proposers are required to be ranked.
 - c. The contract shall be awarded to the responsible entity whose proposal is determined by the district to have offered the best value to the public.
 - d. The district shall publicly announce the contract award, identifying the entity to which the award is made and the basis of the award. This statement and the contract file shall provide sufficient information to satisfy an external audit.

*Legal Reference:*EDUCATION CODE17250.10-17250.55 *Design-build contracts**Management Resources:*WEB SITESCSBA: <http://www.csba.org>California Association of School Business Officials: <http://www.casbo.org>California Department of Education, Facilities: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/fa>

CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

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AR 3311.4(a)

PROCUREMENT OF TECHNOLOGICAL EQUIPMENT

Note: The following administrative regulation is optional. As an alternative to competitive bidding procedures (see BP/AR 3311 - Bids), Public Contract Code 20118.2 authorizes the issuance of a request for proposals for district procurement of electronic equipment and apparatus, with the contract being awarded to the proposal that is most beneficial to the district considering price and all other factors.

Rather than seek competitive bids, the district may use competitive negotiation when it makes a finding that a district procurement is for computers, software, telecommunications equipment, microwave equipment, or other related electronic equipment and apparatus. Competitive negotiation shall not be used to contract for ~~construction or for the procurement of~~ any product that is available in substantial quantities to the general public. (Public Contract Code 20118.2)

(cf. 0440 - District Technology Plan)

(cf. ~~3230 - Federal Grant Funds~~)

(cf. 3311 - Bids)

(cf. 3312 - Contracts)

~~The competitive negotiation process shall include but not be limited to the following requirements. Whenever the competitive negotiation process is determined to be appropriate for such procurements, the district shall use the following procedures.~~ (Public Contract Code 20118.2)

1. The Superintendent or designee shall prepare a request for proposals (RFP) that shall be submitted to an adequate number of qualified sources, as determined by the district, to permit reasonable competition consistent with the nature and requirement of the procurement.
2. Notice of the RFP shall be published at least twice in a newspaper of general circulation, at least 10 days before the date for receipt of the proposals.
3. The Superintendent or designee shall make every effort to generate the maximum feasible number of proposals from qualified sources and shall make a finding to that effect before proceeding to negotiate if only a single response to the RFP is received.
4. The RFP shall identify all significant evaluation factors, including price, and their relative importance.
5. The Superintendent or designee shall provide reasonable procedures for the technical evaluation of the RFPs received, the identification of qualified sources, and the selection for the award of the contract.

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6. The **Governing** Board shall award the contract to the qualified bidder whose proposal meets the evaluation standards and will be most advantageous to the district **with** **considering** price and all other factors **considered**.
 7. If the Board does not award the contract to the bidder whose proposal contains the lowest price, then the Board shall make a finding setting forth the basis for the award to another bidder.
 8. The Board, at its discretion, may reject all proposals and request new RFPs.
- 03**—Provisions in any contract concerning utilization of small business enterprises that are in accordance with the RFP shall not be subject to negotiation with the successful proposer. (Public Contract Code 20118.2)

Legal Reference:

PUBLIC CONTRACT CODE

20118.2 Contracting by school districts; technological equipment

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CSBA Sample Board Policy

Business and Noninstructional Operations

BP 3470(a)

DEBT ISSUANCE AND MANAGEMENT

Note: Government Code 8855, as amended by SB 1029 (Ch. 307, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the Governing Board adopt a debt management policy prior to issuing any debt, such as general obligation bonds, tax and revenue anticipation notes (TRANs), and certificates of participation. The policy must include (1) the purposes for which the debt proceeds may be used; (2) the types of debt that may be issued; (3) the relationship of the debt to, and integration with, the district's capital improvement program or budget, if applicable; (4) policy goals related to the district's planning goals and objectives; and (5) internal control procedures to ensure that the proceeds of the proposed debt issuance will be directed to the intended use. SB 1029 declares the intent of the Legislature that, consistent with the recommendation of the Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA), local agencies adopt comprehensive written debt management policies that are reflective of local, state, and federal laws and regulations. Districts are encouraged to consult legal counsel and their financial advisor in developing this policy. The following policy should be revised to reflect district practice.

The Governing Board is committed to long-term capital and financial planning and recognizes that the issuance of debt is a key source for funding the improvement and maintenance of school facilities and managing cash flow. Any debt issued by the district shall be consistent with law and this policy.

(cf. 3000 - Concepts and Roles)

(cf. 3460 - Financial Reports and Accountability)

(cf. 7110 - Facilities Master Plan)

(cf. 7210 - Facilities Financing)

Note: Article 16, Section 18 of California Constitution contains the basic "debt limitation" (i.e., the constraints on discretionary borrowing) applicable to school districts. Under so-called "traditional authority," a measure authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds may be approved by two-thirds of the electorate; under Proposition 39, a measure authorizing the issuance of general obligation bonds may be approved by 55 percent of the electorate (see BP/AR 7214 - General Obligation Bonds). Lease financings, such as certificates of participation, are not considered "indebtedness" for purposes of the Constitutional debt limitation and are not subject to voter approval. For further information, see the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission's (CDIAC) California Debt Issuance Primer.

The district shall not enter into indebtedness or liability that in any year exceeds the income and revenue provided for such year, unless two-thirds of the voters approve the obligation or one of the exceptions specified in law applies. (California Constitution, Article 16, Section 18)

When the Board determines that it is in the best interest of the district, the Board may issue debt or order an election to issue debt. The Superintendent or designee shall make recommendations to the Board regarding appropriate financing methods for capital projects or other projects that are authorized purposes for debt issuance. When approved by the Board and/or the voters as applicable, the Superintendent or designee shall administer and

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coordinate the district's debt issuance program and activities, including the timing of issuance, sizing of issuance, method of sale, structuring of the issue, and marketing strategies.

Note: Pursuant to 15 USC 78o-4 (Section 15B of Securities Exchange Act of 1934), any financial advisor retained by the district must be duly registered with both the Securities Exchange Commission (SEC) and the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board (MSRB) and must also hold any certifications and/or licenses required by the SEC and/or MSRB.

The Superintendent or designee shall retain a financial advisor, municipal advisor, investment advisor, and other financial services professionals as needed to assist with the structuring of the debt issuance and to provide general advice on the district's debt management program, financing options, investments, and compliance with legal requirements. Contracts for services provided by such advisors may be for a single transaction or for multiple transactions, consistent with the contracting requirements in Education Code 17596. In the event that the district issues debt through a negotiated sale, underwriters may be selected for multiple transactions if multiple issuances are planned for the same project. In addition, the district shall select a legal team on an as-needed basis to assist with debt issuances or special projects.

(cf. 3312 - Contracts)

(cf. 3600 - Consultants)

(cf. 9270 - Conflict of Interest)

Goals

Note: Government Code 8855, as amended by SB 1029 (Ch. 307, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's debt management policy include policy goals related to the district's planning goals and objectives. The following section should be revised to reflect district goals.

The district's debt issuance activities and procedures shall be aligned with the district's vision and goals for providing adequate facilities and programs that support student learning and well-being. When issuing debt, the district shall ensure that it:

1. Maintains accountability for the fiscal health of the district, including prudent management and transparency of the district's financing programs
2. Attains the best possible credit rating for each debt issue in order to reduce interest costs, within the context of preserving financial flexibility and meeting capital funding requirements
3. Takes all practical precautions and proactive measures to avoid any financial decision that will negatively impact current credit ratings on existing or future debt issues

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4. Maintains effective communication with rating agencies and, as appropriate, credit enhancers such as bond insurers or other providers of credit or liquidity instruments in order to enhance the creditworthiness, liquidity, or marketability of the debt
5. Monitors the district's statutory debt limit in relation to assessed valuation within the district and the tax burden needed to meet long-term debt service requirements
6. When determining the timing of debt issuance, considers market conditions, cash flows associated with repayment, and the district's ability to expend the obtained funds in a timely, efficient, and economical manner consistent with federal tax laws
7. Determines the amortization (maturity) schedule which will fit best within the overall debt structure of the district at the time the new debt is issued
8. Considers the useful lives of assets funded by the debt issue, as well as repair and replacement costs of those assets to be incurred in the future
9. Preserves the availability of the district's general fund for operating purposes and other purposes that cannot be funded by the issuance of voter-approved debt
10. Meets the ongoing obligations and accountability requirements associated with the issuance and management of debt under state and federal tax and securities laws

(cf. 0000 - Vision)

(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)

(cf. 7000 - Concepts and Roles)

Authorized Purposes for the Issuance of Debt

Note: Government Code 8855, as amended by SB 1029 (Ch. 307, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's debt management policy include the purposes for which debt proceeds may be used. The following section should be revised to reflect purposes that the Board has determined may be appropriate purposes for issuing debt in the district.

The district may issue debt for any of the following purposes:

1. To pay for the cost of capital improvements, including acquiring, constructing, reconstructing, rehabilitating, replacing, improving, extending, enlarging, and/or equipping district facilities
2. To refund existing debt
3. To provide for cash flow needs

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Pursuant to Government Code 53854, general operating costs, including, but not limited to, items normally funded in the district's annual operating budget, shall not be financed from debt payable later than 15 months from the date of issuance. The district may deem it desirable to finance cash flow requirements under certain conditions so that available resources better match expenditures within a given fiscal year. To satisfy both state constitutional and statutory constraints, such cash flow borrowing shall be payable from taxes, income, revenue, cash receipts, and other moneys attributable to the fiscal year in which the debt is issued.

Authorized Types of Debt

Note: Government Code 8855, as amended by SB 1029 (Ch. 307, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's debt management policy include the types of debt that may be issued. The following section should be revised to reflect the types of debt instruments authorized by the Board.

The Superintendent or designee shall recommend to the Board potential financing method(s) that result in the highest benefit to the district, with the cost of staff and consultants considered. Potential financing sources may include:

1. Short-Term Debt
 - a. Short-term debt, such as tax and revenue anticipation notes (TRANS), when necessary to allow the district to meet its cash flow requirements (Government Code 53850-53858)
 - b. Bond anticipation notes (BANs) to provide interim financing for capital bond projects that will ultimately be paid from general obligation bonds (Education Code 15150)
 - c. Grant anticipation notes (GANs) to provide interim financing pending the receipt of grants and/or loans from the state or federal government that have been appropriated and committed to the district (Government Code 53859-53859.08)
2. Long-Term Debt

Note: The California Constitution, Article 13A, Sections 1(b)(2) and 1(b)(3), Education Code 15100-15262 and 15264-15276, and Government Code 53506-53509.5 authorize the district to issue general obligation bonds requiring either two-thirds voter approval or 55 percent voter approval, subject to specific accountability requirements. Voter-approved general obligation bonds typically provide the lowest cost of

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borrowing and, by providing for the levy of additional ad valorem property taxes to service the debt, do not impact the district's general fund. See BP/AR 7214 - General Obligation Bonds for requirements pertaining to the issuance of general obligation bonds.

- a. General obligation bonds for projects approved by voters (California Constitution, Article 13A, Section 1; Education Code 15100-15262, 15264-15276; Government Code 53506-53509.5)

(cf. 7214 - General Obligation Bonds)

Note: Districts may establish a community facilities district for school facility purposes in accordance with the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act (Government Code 53311-53368.3). The boundaries of the Mello-Roos district may include the entire school district, but usually include only a portion of the district, such as an area with new housing developments. The bonds sold by the community facilities district are paid for by a special tax on the properties within that community facilities district's boundaries. See BP 7212 - Mello Roos Districts.

- b. Special tax bonds issued pursuant to the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982 (Government Code 53311-53368.3)

(cf. 7212 - Mello Roos Districts)

3. Lease financing, including certificates of participation (COPs)
 - a. Lease financing to fund the highest priority capital equipment purchases when pay-as-you-go financing is not feasible (Education Code 17450-17453.1)

Note: Authority for lease financings is based in part on judicial rulings finding that leases that meet certain conditions do not constitute indebtedness subject to a vote of the electorate.

- b. Lease financing to fund facilities projects when there is insufficient time to obtain voter approval or in instances where obtaining voter approval is either not feasible or unavailable (Education Code 17400-17429)
4. Special financing programs or structures offered by the federal or state government, such as Qualified Zone Academy Bonds or other tax credit obligations or obligations that provide subsidized interest payments, when the use of such programs or structures is determined to result in sufficiently lower financing costs compared to traditional tax-exempt bonds and/or COPs
5. Temporary borrowing from other sources such as the County Treasurer

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Note: Education Code 42133 prohibits the issuance of non-voter approved debt when the district has a qualified or negative certification regarding the district's ability to meet its fiscal obligations, except as provided below. Pursuant to Education Code 42131, a "qualified certification" indicates that the district may not meet its financial obligations for the current fiscal year and two subsequent fiscal years, and a "negative" certification indicates that the district will be unable to meet its financial obligations for the remainder of the fiscal year or the subsequent fiscal year. See BP 3460 - Financial Reports and Accountability for further information about such certifications.

COPs, TRANS, revenue bonds, or any other non-voter approved debt instrument shall not be issued by the district in any fiscal year in which the district has a qualified or negative certification, unless the County Superintendent of Schools determines, pursuant to criteria established by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, that the district's repayment of that indebtedness is probable. (Education Code 42133)

Relationship of Debt to District Facilities Program and Budget

Note: Government Code 8855, as amended by SB 1029 (Ch. 307, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's debt management policy include the relationship of the debt to, and integration with, the district's capital improvement program or budget, if applicable. The following section should be revised to reflect district practice.

Decisions regarding the issuance of debt for the purpose of financing capital improvement shall be aligned with current needs for acquisition, development, and/or improvement of district property and facilities as identified in the district's facilities master plan or other applicable needs assessment, the projected costs of those needs, schedules for the projects, and the expected resources.

Note: The following paragraph is optional.

The cost of debt issued for major capital repairs or replacements shall be evaluated against the potential cost of delaying such repairs and/or replacing such facilities.

When considering a debt issuance, the Board and the Superintendent or designee shall evaluate both the short-term and long-term implications of the debt issuance and additional operating costs associated with the new projects involved. Such evaluation may include, but is not limited to, the projected ratio of annual debt service to the tax burden on the district's taxpayers and the ratio of annual debt service secured by the general fund to general fund expenditures.

The district may enter into credit enhancement agreements such as municipal bond insurance, surety bonds, letters of credit, and lines of credit with commercial banks, municipal bond insurance companies, or other financial entities when their use is judged to lower borrowing costs, eliminate restrictive covenants, or have a net economic benefit to the financing.

DEBT ISSUANCE AND MANAGEMENT (continued)

Structure of Debt Issues

The district shall consider the overall impact of the current and future debt burden of the financing when determining the duration of the debt issue.

The district shall design the financing schedule and repayment of debt so as to take best advantage of market conditions, ensure cost effectiveness, provide flexibility, and, as practical, recapture or maximize its debt capacity for future use. Principal amortization will be structured to meet debt repayment, tax rate, and flexibility goals.

Note: Education Code 15106 limits the district's total outstanding bonded debt (i.e., the principal portion only) to 1.25 or 2.5 percent of the assessed valuation of the taxable property of a non-unified and unified district, respectively. Consequently, Education Code 15106 limits the issuance of new debt when the district has total bonded indebtedness in excess of the applicable percentage of the assessed valuation in the district. TRANs and lease payment obligations in support of COPs generally do not count against this limit except as provided in Education Code 17422.

For new money debt issuances for capital improvements, the district shall size the debt issuance with the aim of funding capital projects as deemed appropriate by the Board, as long as the issuance is consistent with the overall financing plan, does not exceed the amount authorized by voters, and, unless a waiver is sought and received from the state, will not cause the district to exceed the limitation on debt issuances specified in the California Constitution or Education Code 15106.

To the extent practicable, the district shall also consider credit issues, market factors, and tax law when sizing the district's bond issuance. The sizing of refunding bonds shall be determined by the amount of money that will be required to cover the principal of, any accrued interest on, and any redemption premium for the debt to be paid on the call date and to cover appropriate financing costs.

Any general obligation bond issued by the district shall mature within 40 years of the issuance date or as otherwise required by law. (California Constitution, Article 16, Section 18; Government Code 53508.6)

The final maturity of equipment or real property lease obligations will be limited to the useful life of the assets to be financed but, with respect to a lease purchase of equipment, no longer than a period of 10 years. (Education Code 17452)

Method of Sale

For the sale of any district-issued debt, the Superintendent or designee shall recommend the method of sale with the potential to achieve the lowest financing cost and/or to generate other benefits to the district. Potential methods of sale include:

DEBT ISSUANCE AND MANAGEMENT (continued)

1. A competitive bidding process through which the award is based on, among other factors, the lowest offered true interest cost
2. Negotiated sale, subject to approval by the district to ensure that interest costs are in accordance with comparable market interest rates
3. Private placement sale, when the financing can or must be structured for a single or limited number of purchasers or where the terms of the private placement are more beneficial to the district than either a negotiated or competitive sale

Investment of Proceeds

The district shall actively manage the proceeds of debt issued for public purposes in a manner that is consistent with state law governing the investment of public funds and with the permitted securities covenants of related financing documents executed by the district. Where applicable, the district's official investment policy and legal documents for a particular debt issuance shall govern specific methods of investment of bond-related proceeds. Preservation of principal shall be the primary goal of any investment strategy, followed by the availability of funds and then by return on investment.

(cf. 3430 - Investing)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 15146, the proceeds of the sale of bonds, exclusive of any premium received, must be deposited in the county treasury to the credit of the building fund of the district. As amended by AB 2738 (Ch. 472, Statutes of 2016), Education Code 15146 prohibits districts from withdrawing proceeds from the sale of bonds at any time for purposes of making investments outside the county treasury.

With regard to general obligation bonds, the district shall invest new money bond proceeds in the county treasury pool as required by law. (Education Code 15146)

The management of public funds shall enable the district to respond to changes in markets or changes in payment or construction schedules so as to ensure liquidity and minimize risk.

Refunding/Restructuring

Note: The following section may be revised to reflect district practice. The GFOA's Analyzing and Issuing Refunding Bonds states that a test often used to assess the appropriateness of a refunding is the achievement of a minimum net present value savings. According to the GFOA, a common threshold is that the savings, as a percentage of the refunding bonds, should be at least 3-5 percent. However, the GFOA recognizes that it may be appropriate to approve refunding that results in lower anticipated savings in some circumstances, such as when interest rates are at low levels or the time remaining to maturity is limited and thus future opportunities to achieve greater savings are not likely to occur.

DEBT ISSUANCE AND MANAGEMENT (continued)

The district may consider refunding or restructuring outstanding debt if it will be financially advantageous or beneficial for debt repayment and/or structuring flexibility. When doing so, the district shall consider the maximization of the district's expected net savings over the life of the debt issuance and, when using a general obligation bond to refund an existing bond, shall ensure that the final maturity of the refunding bond is no longer than the final maturity of the existing bond.

Internal Controls

Note: Government Code 8855, as amended by SB 1029 (Ch. 307, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's debt management policy include the internal control procedures that the district has implemented or will implement to ensure that the proceeds of the proposed debt issuance will be directed to the intended use. Examples of internal control standards for the management of bond funds are contained in the U.S. Government Accountability Office's Internal Control System Checklist. These include factors related to the internal control environment, risk assessment, control activities, information and communications, and monitoring. Because internal controls and accountability measures may be lengthy, districts may choose to develop an administrative regulation, exhibit, or other document that provides further details and that may be updated as needed. Also see BP 3400 - Management of District Assets/Accounts. The following section should be revised to reflect district practice.

The Superintendent or designee shall establish internal control procedures to ensure that the proceeds of any debt issuance are directed to the intended use. Such procedures shall assist the district in maintaining the effectiveness and efficiency of operations, properly expending funds, reliably reporting debt incurred by the district and the use of the proceeds, complying with all laws and regulations, preventing fraud, and avoiding conflict of interest.

(cf. 3314 - Payments for Goods and Services)
(cf. 3400 - Management of District Assets/Accounts)

The district shall be vigilant in using bond proceeds in accordance with the stated purposes at the time such debt was incurred as defined in the text of the voter-approved bond measure. (Government Code 53410)

When feasible, the district shall issue debt with a defined revenue source in order to preserve the use of the general fund for general operating purposes.

The district shall annually conduct a due diligence review to ensure its compliance with all ongoing obligations applicable to issuers of debt. Such a review may be conducted by general legal counsel or bond counsel. Any district personnel involved in conducting such reviews shall receive periodic training regarding their responsibilities.

In addition, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the district completes, as applicable, all performance and financial audits that may be required for any debt issued by the district, including disclosure requirements applicable to a particular transaction.

DEBT ISSUANCE AND MANAGEMENT (continued)**Records/Reports**

Note: Government Code 8855 requires that the district report any proposed issuance of debt to the CDIAC at least 30 days prior to the sale of the debt issue. Typically, bond counsel will file the report on behalf of the district. As amended by SB 1029 (Ch. 307, Statutes of 2016), Government Code 8855 requires that the report include a certification that the district has adopted a debt policy and that the issuance is consistent with that policy.

At least 30 days prior to the sale of any debt issue, the Superintendent or designee shall submit a report of the proposed issuance to the California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission (CDIAC). Such report shall include a self-certification that the district has adopted a policy concerning the use of debt that complies with law and that the contemplated debt issuance is consistent with that policy. (Government Code 8855)

Note: SB 1029 (Ch. 307, Statutes of 2016) amended Government Code 8855 to add the following requirement for an annual report of debt issuance, applicable to any final sale of debt on or after January 21, 2017. The report covers the period from July 1 to June 30, and must be submitted electronically on a form provided by CDIAC within seven months of the end of the reporting period (January 31).

On or before January 31 of each year, the Superintendent or designee shall submit a report to the CDIAC regarding the debt authorized, the debt outstanding, and the use of proceeds of the issued debt for the period from July 1 to June 30. (Government Code 8855)

Note: Pursuant to 17 CFR 240.15c2-12, most financings are required to have official disclosure statements which include the terms of the bond, security, risk factors, financial and operating information concerning the issuer, and background information. In addition, districts must provide ongoing disclosure in the form of annual reports and event notices pursuant to 17 CFR 240.15c2-12. Such disclosures must be made to the MSRB through its Electronic Municipal Market Access repository or any successor repository, as well as to investors and other persons or entities entitled to disclosure. For further information, see CDIAC's [California Debt Issuance Primer](#) and the GFOA's [Understanding Your Continuing Disclosure Requirements](#).

The Superintendent or designee shall provide initial and any annual or ongoing disclosures required by 17 CFR 240.10b-5 and 240.15c2-12 to the Municipal Securities Rulemaking Board, investors, and other persons or entities entitled to disclosure, and shall ensure that the district's disclosure filings are updated as needed.

Note: 26 CFR 1.6001-1 requires districts to retain records for as long as the contents thereof are material in the administration of any internal revenue law. Records related to debt issuance may affect tax liability in both past and future tax years. In order to be consistent with specific record retention requirements, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) publication [Tax Exempt Bond FAQs Regarding Record Retention Requirements](#), available on the IRS web site, recommends that material records should be kept for as long as the debt is outstanding, plus three years after the final payment of the debt. Although the IRS recommendation is specific to tax-exempt bonds, districts should also retain records related to other forms debt issuance for the same length of time.

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The Superintendent or designee shall maintain transaction records of decisions made in connection with each debt issuance, including the selection of members of the financing team, the structuring of the financing, selection of credit enhancement products and providers, and selection of investment products. Each transaction file shall include the official transcript for the financing, interest rates and cost of issuance on the day when the debt was sold ("final number runs"), and a post-pricing summary of the debt issue. In addition, documentation evidencing the expenditure of proceeds, the use of debt-financed property by public and private entities, all sources of payment or security for the debt, and investment of proceeds shall be kept for as long as the debt is outstanding, plus the period ending three years after the financial payment date of the debt or the final payment date of any obligations or series of bonds issued to refund directly or indirectly all of any portion of the debt, whichever is later.

The Superintendent or designee shall annually report to the Board regarding debts issued by the district, including information on actual and projected tax rates, an analysis of bonding capacity, ratings on the district's bonds, market update and refunding opportunities, new development for California bond financings, and the district's compliance with post-issuance requirements.

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- 1000 Established election dates

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- 8855 California Debt and Investment Advisory Commission
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- Article 16, Section 18 Debt limit

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Municipal Security Rulemaking Board, Electronic Municipal Market Access (EMMA): <http://www.emma.msrb.org>
U.S. Government Accountability Office: <http://www.gao.gov>
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CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

Business and Noninstructional Operations

AR 3543(a)

TRANSPORTATION SAFETY AND EMERGENCIES

Cautionary Notice: Government Code 17581.5 relieves districts from the obligation to perform specified mandated activities when the Budget Act does not provide reimbursement during that fiscal year. The Budget Act of ~~2015 (AB 93, Ch. 10, Statutes of 2015)~~ 2016 (SB 826, Ch. 23, Statutes of 2016) extends the suspension of these requirements through the ~~2015-16~~2016-17 fiscal year. As a result, certain provisions of the following administrative regulation related to transportation safety plans and safety instruction for students may be suspended.

Note: The following regulation is for use by districts that provide school bus transportation services and employ their own school bus drivers. Districts that contract out for all transportation services may revise this regulation as appropriate to ensure that the contracting firm meets all legal requirements regarding transportation safety.

Each day, prior to driving a school bus, each school bus driver shall inspect the bus to ensure that it is in safe operating condition and equipped as required by law and that all equipment is in good working order. At the completion of each day's work, the driver shall prepare and sign a written report of the condition of the equipment ~~listed~~ **specified** in 13 CCR 1215, ~~including~~ **The report shall indicate** any defect or deficiency discovered by or reported to ~~him/her~~ **the driver** which would affect safe operation or result in mechanical breakdown of the bus ~~or~~ **indicating that if** no defect or deficiency was discovered or reported, ~~shall so indicate~~. Any defect or deficiency that would affect safe operation shall be repaired prior to operating the bus. (13 CCR 1215)

(cf. 3540 - Transportation)

(cf. 3541.1 - Transportation for School-Related Trips)

(cf. 3542 - School Bus Drivers)

~~In the event of a school bus accident, the driver shall immediately notify the California Highway Patrol, the Superintendent or designee, and, if the bus is operated under contract, the driver's employer. The driver shall not leave the immediate vicinity of the bus to seek aid unless necessary. (13 CCR 1219)~~ **[MOVED DOWN]**

~~The Superintendent or designee shall review all investigations of bus incidents and accidents to develop preventative measures.~~ **[MOVED DOWN]**

~~(cf. 4112.42/4212.42/4312.42 - Drug and Alcohol Testing for School Bus Drivers)~~

Passenger Restraint Systems

Note: Pursuant to Vehicle Code 27316 and 27316.5, any school bus or student activity bus purchased or leased for use in California must be equipped with a passenger restraint system if the bus was manufactured on or after the dates specified in law, as described below. Although it is the manufacturer's responsibility to

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ensure installation of appropriate passenger restraint systems, the district should be aware that buses manufactured or purchased from outside California may need to be modified to comply with the state's requirements. In addition, according to the California Department of Education's (CDE) Passenger Restraints Frequently Asked Questions, districts may, but are not required to, retrofit older school buses with passenger restraint systems ~~with the original equipment manufacturer's approval~~. In determining whether to retrofit buses, the CDE recommends that districts consider the age of the bus, the total cost of the retrofit, and the required reinspection of the bus by the California Highway Patrol.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that any school bus or student activity bus which is purchased or leased by the district is equipped with a combination pelvic and upper torso passenger restraint system at all designated seating positions if that bus: (Vehicle Code 27316, 27316.5; 13 CCR 1201)

1. Is a Type 1 school bus manufactured on or after July 1, 2005 which is designed for carrying more than 16 passengers and the driver
2. Is a Type 2 school bus or student activity bus manufactured on or after July 1, 2004 which meets one of the following criteria:
 - a. Is designed for carrying 16 or fewer passengers and the driver
 - b. Has a manufacturer's vehicle weight rating of 10,000 pounds or less and is designed for carrying not more than 20 passengers and the driver

Note: The following optional paragraph reflects legislative intent of Vehicle Code 27316.

The Superintendent or designee shall prioritize the allocation of school buses purchased, leased, or contracted to ensure that elementary students receive first priority for new school buses equipped with passenger restraint systems whenever feasible.

When a school bus or student activity bus is equipped with a passenger restraint system, all passengers shall use the passenger restraint system. (5 CCR 14105)

Note: Pursuant to Vehicle Code 27316, no person, district, or organization may be held criminally liable if a passenger improperly uses or fails to use the passenger restraint system. However, the CDE's Passenger Restraints Frequently Asked Questions encourages districts to develop procedures to enforce disciplinary actions for nonuse or improper use of the passenger restraint system.

The following optional paragraph may be expanded to specify the steps that should be taken by the driver to reasonably ensure that all passengers are properly restrained (e.g., verbal instructions to students, visual inspection), which may vary depending on the age/grade levels of the students. Such steps also may be incorporated in district regulations adopted pursuant to 5 CCR 14103 related to student conduct on buses, bus driver authority, and the suspension of riding privileges; see BP/AR 5131.1 - Bus Conduct.

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Bus drivers shall be instructed regarding procedures to enforce the proper use of the passenger restraint system. Students who fail to follow instructions of the bus driver may be subject to discipline, including suspension of riding privileges, in accordance with Board policy and administrative regulations.

(cf. 5131.1 - Bus Conduct)

(cf. 5144 - Discipline)

Fire Extinguishers

Each school bus shall be equipped with at least one fire extinguisher located in the driver's compartment which meets the standards specified in law. In addition, a wheelchair school bus shall have another fire extinguisher placed at the wheelchair loading door or emergency exit. All fire extinguishers shall be regularly inspected and serviced in accordance with regulations adopted by the State Fire Marshal. (Education Code 39838; 13 CCR 1242; 19 CCR 574-575.3)

Electronic Communications Devices

Note: ~~Vehicle Code 23123 prohibits any person from driving a motor vehicle while using a wireless telephone, except under the conditions described below. Pursuant to the definitions in Vehicle Code 415 and 545, a "motor vehicle" would include a school bus or student activity bus. In addition, Vehicle Code 23125 prohibits a person from driving a school bus while using a wireless telephone except for work-related or emergency purposes. Vehicle Code 23123.5, as amended by AB 1785 (Ch. 660, Statutes of 2016), prohibits the driver of a motor vehicle (including a school bus or school activity bus pursuant to Vehicle Code 415 and 545) from using an electronic wireless communications device for any purpose, including, but not limited to, text-based communication, but provides an exception for voice-operated and hands-free operation or for a function that requires only a single swipe or tap of the driver's finger as long as the device is mounted on the windshield, dashboard, or center console of the vehicle. The following paragraph limits the use of any electronic communications device to work-related or emergency purposes. The district should consult legal counsel if it is considering allowing broader use of such devices.~~

~~A bus driver shall not drive~~ is prohibited from driving a school bus or student activity bus while using a wireless telephone ~~except under the following conditions: (Vehicle Code 23123, 23125)~~ or other electronic wireless communications device except for work-related or emergency purposes, including, but not limited to, contacting a law enforcement agency, health care provider, fire department, or other emergency service agency or entity. In any such permitted situation, the driver shall only use a wireless telephone or device that is specifically designed and configured to allow voice-operated and hands-free operation or a function that requires only a single swipe or tap of the driver's finger provided the device is mounted on the windshield, dashboard, or center console of the bus. (Vehicle Code 23123.5, 23125)

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1. ~~When he/she uses a wireless telephone that is specifically designed and configured to allow hands free listening and talking, provided it is used in that manner while driving~~
2. ~~For emergency purposes, including, but not limited to, a call to a law enforcement agency, health care provider, fire department, or other emergency service agency or entity~~
3. ~~For work related purposes~~

~~(cf. 3513.1 - Cellular Phone Reimbursement)~~

~~Note: Vehicle Code 23123.5 generally prohibits any person from driving a motor vehicle while using an electronic wireless communications device for text based communication. AB 1526 (Ch. 92, Statutes of 2012) amended Vehicle Code 23123.5 to add an exception for the use of voice operated and hands free operation of an electronic wireless communications device. At its discretion, the district may establish conditions that are more restrictive than law and should revise the following paragraph accordingly.~~

~~A bus driver shall not drive while using an electronic wireless communications device to write, send, or read a text based communication, including, but not limited to, text messages, instant messages, and email, unless the device is specifically designed and configured to allow voice operated and hands free operation and is used in that manner. This prohibition does not include reading, selecting, or entering a telephone number or name in an electronic wireless communications device for the purpose of making or receiving a telephone call. (Vehicle Code 23123.5)~~

Safe Bus Operations

~~Note: Pursuant to Education Code 39834, any Governing Board member, employee, or other person who knowingly operates or permits operation of a school bus in excess of its seating capacity is guilty of a misdemeanor. However, the Board is authorized to adopt policy that allows seating capacities to be exceeded in cases of emergency; see BP/AR 3516 - Emergencies and Disaster Preparedness Plan.~~

~~School buses and student activity buses shall not be operated whenever the number of passengers exceeds bus seating capacity, except when necessary in emergency situations which require that individuals be transported immediately to ensure their safety. (Education Code 39834)~~

~~(cf. 3516 - Emergencies and Disaster Preparedness Plan)~~

~~Note: Vehicle Code 34501.6 mandates any district that provides student transportation to adopt procedures that limit bus operation when atmospheric conditions reduce visibility, as described below, and that give drivers for school activity trips discretionary authority to discontinue operation when it is unsafe.~~

TRANSPORTATION SAFETY AND EMERGENCIES (continued)

School bus operations shall be limited when atmospheric conditions reduce visibility on the roadway to 200 feet or less during regular home-to-school transportation service. Bus drivers for school activity trips may discontinue bus operation whenever they determine that it is unsafe to continue operation because of reduced visibility. (Vehicle Code 34501.6)

Unauthorized Entry

The Superintendent or designee may place a notice at bus entrances that warns against unauthorized entry. The driver or another school official may order any person to disembark if that person enters a bus without prior authorization. (Education Code 39842; 13 CCR 1256.5)

(cf. 3515.2 - Disruptions)

Transportation Safety Plan for Boarding and Exiting Buses

Note: The district should modify items #1-2 below to reflect grade levels offered by the district. A district that does not maintain any of grades prekindergarten through 8 should delete items #1-2.

The Superintendent or designee shall develop a transportation safety plan containing procedures for school personnel to follow to ensure the safe transport of students. The plan shall ~~include address~~ all of the following: (Education Code 39831.3)

1. ~~Procedures for d~~Determining if students in grades prekindergarten through 8 require an escort to cross a private road or highway at a bus stop pursuant to Vehicle Code 22112
2. Procedures for all students in grades prekindergarten through 8 to follow as they board and exit the bus at their bus stops
3. ~~Procedures for b~~Boarding and exiting a school bus at a school or other trip destination

Note: SB 1072 (Ch. 721, Statutes of 2016) amended Education Code 39831.3 to require that the transportation plan include the procedures specified in items #4-5 below.

4. ~~Procedures to ensure that a student is not left unattended on a school bus,~~ student activity bus, or youth bus

Note: The procedures included in the transportation safety plan to ensure that a student is not left unattended on a bus may include the requirements of Vehicle Code 28160, as added by SB 1072 (Ch. 721, Statutes of 2016). Pursuant to Vehicle Code 28160, on or before the beginning of the 2018-19 school year, each school bus, school activity bus, youth bus, and child care motor vehicle (i.e., vehicle designed, used, or maintained for more than eight persons, including the driver, that is used by a child

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care provider to transport children) must be equipped with a "child safety alert system" (i.e., a device located at the interior rear of a vehicle that requires the driver to either manually contact or scan the device before exiting the vehicle). Student activity buses may be exempt from this requirement if certain procedures are followed, as specified in Vehicle Code 28160.

Such procedures shall include, on or before the beginning of the 2018-19 school year, the installation of a child safety alert system at the interior rear of each bus that requires the driver to either manually contact or scan the device, thereby prompting the driver to inspect the entirety of the interior of the vehicle before exiting. A student activity bus may be exempt from this requirement under the conditions specified in Vehicle Code 28160.

5. Procedures and standards for designating an adult chaperone, other than the driver, to accompany students on a school activity bus

A copy of the plan shall be kept at each school site and made available upon request to the California Highway Patrol (CHP). (Education Code 39831.3)

Parental Notifications

Note: The following section is for use by districts that offer any of grades prekindergarten through 6 and should be revised to reflect the grade levels offered by the district.

The Superintendent or designee shall provide written safety information to the parents/guardians of all students in grades prekindergarten through 6 who have not previously been transported in a district school bus or student activity bus. This information shall be provided upon registration and shall contain: (Education Code 39831.5)

1. A list of school bus stops near each student's home
2. General rules of conduct at school bus loading zones
3. Red light crossing instructions
4. A description of the school bus danger zone
5. Instructions for safety while safely walking to and from school bus stops

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

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Student Instruction

Students who are transported in a school bus or student activity bus shall receive instruction in school bus emergency procedures and passenger safety as follows: (Education Code 39831.5; 5 CCR 14102)

1. Each year, all students who receive home-to-school transportation in a school bus shall be provided appropriate instruction in safe riding practices and emergency evacuation drills.

Note: Item #2 below is for use by districts that offer any of grades prekindergarten through 8 and should be revised to reflect the grade levels offered by the district.

2. At least once each school year, all students in grades prekindergarten through 8 who receive home-to-school transportation shall receive safety instruction which includes, but is not limited to:
 - a. Proper loading and unloading procedures, including escorting by the driver
 - b. How to safely cross the street, highway, or private road
 - c. In school buses with passenger restraint systems, instruction in the use of such systems as specified in 5 CCR 14105, including, but not limited to, the proper fastening and release of the passenger restraint system, acceptable placement of passenger restraint systems on students, times at which the passenger restraint systems should be fastened and released, and acceptable placement of the passenger restraint systems when not in use
 - d. Proper passenger conduct
 - e. Bus evacuation procedures
 - f. Location of emergency equipment

As part of this instruction, students shall evacuate the school bus through emergency exit doors. Instruction also may include responsibilities of passengers seated next to an emergency exit.

Each time the above instruction is given, the following information shall be documented:

- a. District name

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- b. School name and location
- c. Date of instruction
- d. Names of supervising adults
- e. Number of students participating
- f. Grade levels of students
- g. Subjects covered in instruction
- h. Amount of time taken for instruction
- i. Bus driver's name
- j. Bus number
- k. Additional remarks

This documentation shall be kept on file at the district office or the school for one year and shall be available for inspection by the California Highway Patrol CHP.

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

Note: Item #3 below applies to all students in grades prekindergarten through 12 and ~~may be revised to reflect grade levels offered by the district.~~

3. Before departing on a school activity trip, all students riding on a school bus or student activity bus shall receive safety instruction which includes, but is not limited to, the location of emergency exits and the location and use of emergency equipment. This instruction also may include responsibilities of passengers seated next to an emergency exit.

Bus Accidents

In the event of a school bus accident, the driver shall immediately notify the CHP, and the Superintendent or designee, and, ~~if the bus is operated under contract, the driver's employer.~~ The driver shall not leave the immediate vicinity of the bus to seek aid unless necessary. (13 CCR 1219)

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The Superintendent or designee shall maintain a report of each accident that occurred on public or private property involving a school bus with students aboard. The report shall contain pertinent details of the accident and shall be retained for 12 months from the date of the accident. If the accident was not investigated by the CHP, the Superintendent or designee shall forward a copy of the report to the local CHP within five work days of the date of the accident. (13 CCR 1234)

The Superintendent or designee shall review all investigations of bus incidents and accidents to develop preventative measures.

(cf. 4112.42/4212.42/4312.42 - Drug and Alcohol Testing for School Bus Drivers)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

39830-398423 Transportation, school buses

39860 Contract for transportation; requirement that student not be left unattended

51202 Instruction in personal and public health and safety

PENAL CODE

241.3 Assault against school bus driver

243.3 Battery against school bus driver

VEHICLE CODE

415 Definition of motor vehicle

545-546 Definition of school bus and student activity bus

22112 Loading and unloading passengers

~~23123 Use of wireless telephone prohibited while driving motor vehicle~~

23123.5 ~~Text communications prohibited while driving motor vehicle~~ Use of wireless telephone on communications device while driving; exceptions

23125 Use of wireless telephone prohibited while driving school bus

27316-27316.5 Passenger restraint systems

28160 Child safety alert system

34500 California Highway Patrol responsibility to regulate safe operation of school buses

34501.5 California Highway Patrol responsibility to adopt rules re: safe operation of school buses

34501.6 School buses; reduced visibility

34508 California Highway Patrol responsibility to adopt rules re: equipment and bus operations of school buses

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

14100-14105 School buses and student activity buses

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 13

1200-1293 Motor carrier safety

2480 Airborne toxic control measure; limitation on bus idling

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 19

574-575.3 Inspection and maintenance of fire extinguishers

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 49

571.1-571.500 Motor vehicle standards, including school buses

Management Resources: (see next page)

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Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

Passenger Restraints Frequently Asked Questions

WEB SITES

California Association of School Business Officials: <http://www.casbo.org>

American School Bus Council: <http://www.americanschoolbuscouncil.org>

California Association of School Transportation Officials: <http://www.castoways.org>

California Department of Education, Office of School Transportation: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/tn>

California Highway Patrol: <http://www.chp.ca.gov>

National Coalition for School Bus Safety: <http://www.ncsbs.org>

National Transportation Safety Board: <http://www.ntsb.gov>

***U.S. Department of Transportation, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration:
<http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov>***

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Transportation Safety And Emergencies

AR 3543

Business and Noninstructional Operations

Cautionary Notice: AB 1610 (Ch. 724, Statutes of 2010) amended Government Code 17581.5 to relieve districts from the obligation to implement specified statutes whenever they are identified in the Budget Act as being ones for which state mandate reimbursement is not provided for that fiscal year. As a result, certain provisions of the following administrative regulation that reflect those requirements may be suspended. It is recommended that districts consult legal counsel prior to suspending any provisions.

Each day, prior to driving a school bus, each school bus driver shall inspect the bus to ensure that it is in safe operating condition and equipped as required by law and that all equipment is in good working order. At the completion of each day's work, the driver shall prepare and sign a written report of the condition of the equipment listed in 13 CCR 1215, including any defect or deficiency discovered by or reported to him/her which would affect safe operation or result in mechanical breakdown of the bus, or indicating that no defect or deficiency was discovered or reported. Any defect or deficiency that would affect safe operation shall be repaired prior to operating the bus. (13 CCR 1215)

(cf. 3540 - Transportation)

(cf. 3541.1 - Transportation for School-Related Trips)

(cf. 3542 - School Bus Drivers)

In the event of a school bus accident, the driver shall immediately notify the California Highway Patrol, the Superintendent or designee, and, if the bus is operated under contract, the driver's employer. The driver shall not leave the immediate vicinity of the bus to seek aid unless necessary. (13 CCR 1219)

The Superintendent or designee shall review all investigations of bus incidents and accidents to develop preventative measures.

(cf. 4112.42/4212.42/4312.42 - Drug and Alcohol Testing for School Bus Drivers)

Passenger Restraint Systems

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that any school bus or student activity bus which is purchased or leased by the district is equipped with a combination pelvic and upper torso passenger restraint system at all designated seating positions if that bus: (Vehicle Code 27316, 27316.5; 13 CCR 1201)

1. Is a Type 1 school bus manufactured on or after July 1, 2005 which is designed for carrying more than 16 passengers and the driver
2. Is a Type 2 school bus or student activity bus manufactured on or after July 1, 2004 which meets one of the following criteria:

- a. Is designed for carrying 16 or fewer passengers and the driver
- b. Has a manufacturer's vehicle weight rating of 10,000 pounds or less and is designed for carrying not more than 20 passengers and the driver

The Superintendent or designee shall prioritize the allocation of school buses purchased, leased, or contracted to ensure that elementary students receive first priority for new school buses equipped with passenger restraint systems whenever feasible.

When a school bus or student activity bus is equipped with a passenger restraint system, all passengers shall use the passenger restraint system. (5 CCR 14105)

Bus drivers shall be instructed regarding procedures to enforce the proper use of the passenger restraint system. Students who fail to follow instructions of the bus driver may be subject to discipline, including suspension of riding privileges, in accordance with Board policy and administrative regulations.

(cf. 5131.1 - Bus Conduct)
(cf. 5144 - Discipline)

Fire Extinguishers

Each school bus shall be equipped with at least one fire extinguisher located in the driver's compartment which meets the standards specified in law. In addition, a wheelchair school bus shall have another fire extinguisher placed at the wheelchair loading door or emergency exit. All fire extinguishers shall be regularly inspected and serviced in accordance with regulations adopted by the State Fire Marshal. (Education Code 39838; 13 CCR 1242; 19 CCR 574-575.3)

Electronic Communications Devices

A bus driver shall not drive a school bus or student activity bus while using a wireless telephone, except under the following conditions: (Vehicle Code 23123, 23125)

1. When he/she uses a wireless telephone that is specifically designed and configured to allow hands-free listening and talking, provided it is used in that manner while driving
2. For emergency purposes, including, but not limited to, a call to a law enforcement agency, health care provider, fire department, or other emergency service agency or entity
3. For work-related purposes

(cf. 3513.1 - Cellular Phone Reimbursement)

A bus driver shall not drive while using an electronic wireless communications device to write, send, or read a text-based communication, including, but not limited to, text messages, instant messages, and email, unless the device is specifically designed and configured to allow voice-operated and hands-free operation and is used in that manner. This prohibition does not include reading, selecting, or entering a telephone number or name in an electronic

wireless communications device for the purpose of making or receiving a telephone call. (Vehicle Code 23123.5)

Safe Bus Operations

School buses and student activity buses shall not be operated whenever the number of passengers exceeds bus seating capacity, except when necessary in emergency situations which require that individuals be transported immediately to ensure their safety. (Education Code 39834)

(cf. 3516 - Emergencies and Disaster Preparedness Plan)

School bus operations shall be limited when atmospheric conditions reduce visibility on the roadway to 200 feet or less during regular home-to-school transportation service. Bus drivers for school activity trips may discontinue bus operation whenever they determine that it is unsafe to continue operation because of reduced visibility. (Vehicle Code 34501.6)

Unauthorized Entry

The Superintendent or designee may place a notice at bus entrances that warns against unauthorized entry. The driver or another school official may order any person to disembark if that person enters a bus without prior authorization. (Education Code 39842; 13 CCR 1256.5)

(cf. 3515.2 - Disruptions)

Transportation Safety Plan for Boarding and Exiting Buses

The Superintendent or designee shall develop a transportation safety plan containing procedures for school personnel to follow to ensure the safe transport of students. The plan shall include all of the following: (Education Code 39831.3)

1. Procedures for determining if students in grades prekindergarten through 8 require an escort to cross a private road or highway at a bus stop pursuant to Vehicle Code 22112
2. Procedures for all students in grades prekindergarten through 8 to follow as they board and exit the bus at their bus stops
3. Procedures for boarding and exiting a school bus at a school or other trip destination. A copy of the plan shall be kept at each school site and made available upon request to the California Highway Patrol. (Education Code 39831.3)

Parental Notifications

The Superintendent or designee shall provide written safety information to the parents/guardians of all students in grades prekindergarten through 6 who have not previously been transported in a school bus or student activity bus. This information shall be provided upon registration and shall contain: (Education Code 39831.5)

1. A list of school bus stops near each student's home
2. General rules of conduct at school bus loading zones
3. Red light crossing instructions
4. A description of the school bus danger zone
5. Instructions for safety while walking to and from school bus stops

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Student Instruction

Students who are transported in a school bus or student activity bus shall receive instruction in school bus emergency procedures and passenger safety as follows: (Education Code 39831.5; 5 CCR 14102)

1. Each year, all students who receive home-to-school transportation in a school bus shall be provided appropriate instruction in safe riding practices and emergency evacuation drills.
2. At least once each school year, all students in grades prekindergarten through 8 who receive home-to-school transportation shall receive safety instruction which includes, but is not limited to:
 - a. Proper loading and unloading procedures, including escorting by the driver
 - b. How to safely cross the street, highway, or private road
 - c. In school buses with passenger restraint systems, instruction in the use of such systems as specified in 5 CCR 14105, including, but not limited to, the proper fastening and release of the passenger restraint system, acceptable placement of passenger restraint systems on students, times at which the passenger restraint systems should be fastened and released, and acceptable placement of the passenger restraint systems when not in use
 - d. Proper passenger conduct
 - e. Bus evacuation procedures
 - f. Location of emergency equipment

As part of this instruction, students shall evacuate the school bus through emergency exit doors. Instruction also may include responsibilities of passengers seated next to an emergency exit.

Each time the above instruction is given, the following information shall be documented:

- a. District name
- b. School name and location
- c. Date of instruction
- d. Names of supervising adults
- e. Number of students participating
- f. Grade levels of students
- g. Subjects covered in instruction
- h. Amount of time taken for instruction
- i. Bus driver's name
- j. Bus number
- k. Additional remarks

This documentation shall be kept on file at the district office or the school for one year and shall be available for inspection by the California Highway Patrol.

3. Before departing on a school activity trip, all students riding on a school bus or student activity bus shall receive safety instruction which includes, but is not limited to, the location of emergency exits and the location and use of emergency equipment. This instruction also may include responsibilities of passengers seated next to an emergency exit.

Legal Reference: (see next page)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

39830-39842 *Transportation, school buses*

51202 *Instruction in personal and public health and safety*

PENAL CODE

241.3 *Assault against school bus driver*

243.3 *Battery against school bus driver*

VEHICLE CODE

415 *Definition of motor vehicle*

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23123.5 *Text communications prohibited while driving motor vehicle*

23125 *Use of wireless telephone prohibited while driving school bus*

27316-27316.5 *Passenger restraint systems*

34500 *California Highway Patrol responsibility to regulate safe operation of school buses*

34501.5 *California Highway Patrol responsibility to adopt rules re: safe operation of school buses*

34501.6 *School buses; reduced visibility*

34508 *California Highway Patrol responsibility to adopt rules re: equipment and operations of school buses*

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CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 49

571.1-571.500 *Motor vehicle standards, including school buses*

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California Department of Education, Office of School Transportation: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/tn>

California Highway Patrol: <http://www.chp.ca.gov>

National Coalition for School Bus Safety: <http://www.ncsbs.org>

National Transportation Safety Board: <http://www.nts.gov>

*U.S. Department of Transportation, National Highway Traffic Safety Administration:
<http://www.nhtsa.dot.gov>*

CSBA Sample Board Policy

All Personnel

BP 4030(a)

NONDISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT

Note: The following Board policy and accompanying administrative regulation are mandated pursuant to Government Code 11138 and 2 CCR 11023, as added by Register 2015, No. 50. The California Fair Employment and Housing Act (FEHA) (Government Code 12900-12996) prohibits employers from discriminating against employees and job applicants on the basis of actual or perceived race, color, ancestry, national origin, age, sex, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, gender expression, religious creed, physical or mental disability, medical condition, marital status, or genetic information. Pursuant to 2 CCR 11009, as amended by Register 2015, No. 50, these same protections apply to unpaid interns and volunteers. Consequently, the district is required to also notify unpaid interns and volunteers about these protections. For more information about volunteers, see BP/AR 1240 - Volunteer Assistance.

The same or similar protections are available to employees and job applicants under various provisions of federal law, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC 2000d-2000d-7), Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC 2000e-2000e-17), Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (20 USC 1681-1688), the Americans with Disabilities Act (42 USC 12101-12213), Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC 794), and the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act (42 USC 2000ff-2000ff-11).

For policy addressing sexual harassment of and by employees, see BP/AR 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment.

The Governing Board is determined to provide district employees, interns, volunteers, and job applicants a safe, positive environment where they are assured of full and equal employment access and opportunities, protection from harassment or intimidation, and freedom from any fear of reprisal or retribution for asserting their employment rights in accordance with law. This policy shall apply to all district employees and, to the extent required by law, to interns, volunteers, and job applicants.

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)

(cf. 4111/4211/4311 - Recruitment and Selection)

~~The Board prohibits~~ No district employees ~~from discriminating~~ shall be discriminated against or ~~harassing~~ harassed by any coworker, supervisor, manager, or other district employee or job applicant person with whom the employee comes in contact in the course of employment, on the basis of the ~~person's~~ employee's actual or perceived race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, age, marital status, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, military and veteran status, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sex, or sexual orientation, or ~~his/her~~ association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

NONDISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT (continued)

Note: The following paragraph illustrates unlawful discriminatory practices as specified in Government Code 12940. Pursuant to Labor Code 1197.5, an employer is prohibited from paying an employee at wage rates less than the rates to employees of the opposite sex for work requiring equal skill, effort, and responsibility and performed under similar conditions, except when the payment is based on some other bona fide factor such as education, training, or experience. In addition, Labor Code 1197.5, as amended by SB 1063 (Ch. 866, Statutes of 2016), prohibits the payment of different wage rates to employees for similar work based on race or ethnicity and prohibits the use of prior salary history by itself to justify any disparity in compensation under the bona fide factor exception.

The Board also prohibits discrimination against any employee or job applicant. Discrimination in employment based on the characteristics listed above is prohibited in all areas of employment and in all employment-related practices, including the following:

1. **Discrimination** in hiring, compensation, terms, conditions, and other privileges of employment
2. ~~and the taking of any an~~ adverse employment action, ~~including, but not limited to, such as termination or the denial of employment, promotion, job assignment, or training, against an employee or job applicant based on any of the categories listed above.~~

(cf. 4151/4251/4351 - Employee Compensation)
(cf. 4154/4254/4354 - Health and Welfare Benefits)

3. ~~Harassment consists of a~~Unwelcome conduct, whether verbal, physical, or visual, ~~conduct that is based on any of the prohibited categories of discrimination listed above and that is so severe or pervasive that it as to adversely affects an individual's~~ employee's employment opportunities, or that has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with the individual's work performance, or ~~creating an~~ intimidating, hostile, or offensive work environment.

Note: Item #4 below addresses the numerous specific practices prohibited under Government Code 12940 or 2 CCR 11006-11086 in relation to certain protected categories. For example, because "sex" as defined in Government Code 12926 includes pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, or related medical conditions, any of these conditions may be the basis for an employee's sex discrimination claim. As the specific prohibitions are too numerous to list in policy, it is recommended that district legal counsel be consulted when questions arise as to any specific claim.

4. **Actions and practices identified as unlawful or discriminatory pursuant to Government Code 12940 or 2 CCR 11006-11086, such as:**
 - a) ~~Prohibited s~~Sex discrimination includes ~~discrimination~~ based on an employee's or job applicant's pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, or any related medical condition or on an employee's gender, gender expression, or gender identity, including transgender status.

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(cf. 4033 - Lactation Accommodation)

(cf. 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment)

b. ~~Prohibited discrimination on the basis of religious creed includes Religious~~ **Religious** ~~creed discrimination based on an employee's or job applicant's religious belief~~ **creed discrimination based on an employee's or job applicant's religious belief** ~~or observance, including his/her religious dress or grooming practices. In~~ **or observance, including his/her religious dress or grooming practices.** ~~accordance with Government Code 12940, prohibited discrimination on the~~ **accordance with Government Code 12940, prohibited discrimination on the** ~~basis of religious creed also includes or based on the district's failure or~~ **basis of religious creed also includes or based on the district's failure or** ~~refusal to use reasonable means to accommodate an employee's or job~~ **refusal to use reasonable means to accommodate an employee's or job** ~~applicant's religious belief, observance, or practice which conflicts with an~~ **applicant's religious belief, observance, or practice which conflicts with an** ~~employment requirement. However, the district shall not accommodate an~~ **employment requirement. However, the district shall not accommodate an** ~~employee's religious dress practice or religious grooming practice if it requires~~ **employee's religious dress practice or religious grooming practice if it requires** ~~segregation of the individual from other employees or the public or if it would~~ **segregation of the individual from other employees or the public or if it would** ~~result in a violation of this policy or any law prohibiting discrimination.~~ **result in a violation of this policy or any law prohibiting discrimination.**

c. ~~Disability discrimination based on a district requirement for a medical or~~ **Disability discrimination based on a district requirement for a medical or** ~~psychological examination of a job applicant, or an inquiry into whether~~ **psychological examination of a job applicant, or an inquiry into whether** ~~a job applicant has a mental or physical disability or a medical condition~~ **a job applicant has a mental or physical disability or a medical condition** ~~or as to the severity of any such disability or condition, without the~~ **or as to the severity of any such disability or condition, without the** ~~showing of a job-related need or business necessity.~~ **showing of a job-related need or business necessity.**

(cf. 4119.41/4219.41/4319.41 - Employees with Infectious Disease)

d. ~~Disability discrimination based on the district's failure to make~~ **Disability discrimination based on the district's failure to make** ~~reasonable accommodation for the known physical or mental disability of~~ **reasonable accommodation for the known physical or mental disability of** ~~an employee or to engage in a timely, good faith, interactive process with~~ **an employee or to engage in a timely, good faith, interactive process with** ~~an employee, to determine effective reasonable accommodations for the~~ **an employee, to determine effective reasonable accommodations for the** ~~employee, when he/she has requested reasonable accommodation for a~~ **employee, when he/she has requested reasonable accommodation for a** ~~known physical or mental disability or medical condition.~~ **known physical or mental disability or medical condition.**

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

Note: Retaliation against complainants or other participants in the grievance procedures is prohibited by Government Code 12940 and 34 CFR 110.34. In addition to the general prohibition against retaliation, Government Code 12940, as amended by AB 987 (Ch. 122, Statutes of 2015), provides that an employee or job applicant who requests accommodation for his/her physical or mental disability or religious belief is protected from retaliation as specified below. CSBA recommends that this protection be extended to all protected characteristics and has modified the policy accordingly.

In Thompson v. North American Stainless LP, the U.S. Supreme Court held that a third party may file an anti-retaliation suit.

The Board also prohibits retaliation against any district employee or job applicant who opposes any discriminatory employment practice by the district or its employees, agents, or

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representatives or who complains, testifies, assists, or in any way participates in the district's complaint ~~procedures~~ ~~process~~ pursuant to this policy. No employee or ~~job applicant~~ who requests an accommodation for any protected characteristic listed in this policy shall be subjected to any punishment or sanction, regardless of whether the request was granted. (Government Code 12940)

Complaints concerning employment discrimination, harassment, or retaliation shall immediately be investigated in accordance with procedures specified in the accompanying administrative regulation.

Note: Pursuant to 2 CCR 11019, in certain instances, an employee's (especially a supervisor's) knowledge or notice of ~~harassment~~ ~~prohibited conduct~~ of another employee or individual may subject the district to liability. Therefore, it is recommended that the district require its employees with knowledge of harassment or discrimination to report the incident to the appropriate district authorities. In addition, Government Code 12940 provides that an employer may be responsible for the sexual harassment of employees by nonemployees where the employer knows or should have known of the conduct and failed to take immediate and corrective action. See BP/AR 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment.

See the accompanying administrative regulation for requirements related to the identification of the employee who will be responsible for compliance with the nondiscrimination laws.

Any supervisory or management employee who observes or has knowledge of an incident of prohibited discrimination or harassment shall report the incident to the Superintendent or designated district coordinator as soon as practical after the incident. All other employees are encouraged to report such incidents to their supervisor immediately. The district shall protect any employee who ~~does~~ reports such incidents from retaliation.

Note: Government Code 12940 requires districts to take all reasonable steps, including training, to prevent prohibited discrimination and harassment. In addition, 2 CCR 11023, as added by Register 2015, No. 15, imposes an affirmative duty on the district to create a workplace environment that is free from all prohibited practices. The U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, in its April 2006 New Compliance Manual Section 15: Race and Color Discrimination, suggests proactive preventive measures for employers, including the adoption of transparent recruitment, hiring, and promotion processes; provision of training to employees; and periodic review of employment practices. For details of such measures, see the accompanying administrative regulation.

The Superintendent or designee shall use all appropriate means to reinforce the district's nondiscrimination policy. He/she shall provide training and information to employees about how to recognize harassment, ~~and~~ ~~discrimination~~, or other related conduct, how to respond appropriately, and components of the district's policies and regulations regarding discrimination. The Superintendent or designee shall regularly review the district's employment practices and, as necessary, shall take action to ensure district compliance with the nondiscrimination laws.

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In addition, the Superintendent or designee shall post in a conspicuous place on district premises, the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing publication on workplace discrimination and harassment issued pursuant to 2 CCR 11013.

Any district employee who engages in prohibited discrimination, harassment, or retaliation or who aids, abets, incites, compels, or coerces another to engage or attempt to engage in such behavior in violation of this policy shall be subject to disciplinary action, up to and including dismissal.

(cf. 4118 - Dismissal/Suspension/Disciplinary Action)
(cf. 4218 - Dismissal/Suspension/Disciplinary Action)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

200-262.4 Prohibition of discrimination

CIVIL CODE

51.7 Freedom from violence or intimidation

GOVERNMENT CODE

11135 Unlawful discrimination

11138 Rules and regulations

12900-12996 Fair Employment and Housing Act

PENAL CODE

422.56 Definitions, hate crimes

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 2

11006-11086 Discrimination in employment

11013 Recordkeeping

11019 Terms, conditions and privileges of employment

11023 Harassment and discrimination prevention and correction

11024 Sexual harassment training and education

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

4900-4965 Nondiscrimination in elementary and secondary education programs

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

1681-1688 Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 29

621-634 Age Discrimination in Employment Act

794 Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

2000d-2000d-7 Title VI, Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended

2000e-2000e-17 Title VII, Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended

2000ff-2000ff-11 Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008

2000h-2-2000h-6 Title IX of the Civil Rights Act of 1964

6101-6107 Age discrimination in federally assisted programs

12101-12213 Americans with Disabilities Act

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 28

35.101-35.190 Americans with Disabilities Act

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100.6 Compliance information

104.7 Designation of responsible employee for Section 504

104.8 Notice

106.8 Designation of responsible employee and adoption of grievance procedures

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110.1-110.39 Nondiscrimination on the basis of age

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Board Policy

Nondiscrimination In Employment

BP 4030

Personnel

The Governing Board is determined to provide district employees and job applicants a safe, positive environment where they are assured of full and equal employment access and opportunities, protection from harassment or intimidation, and freedom from any fear of reprisal or retribution for asserting their employment rights in accordance with law. The Board prohibits district employees from discriminating against or harassing any other district employee or job applicant on the basis of the person's actual or perceived race, religious creed, color, national origin, ancestry, age, marital status, pregnancy, physical or mental disability, medical condition, genetic information, military and veteran status, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sex, or sexual orientation or association with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics.

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)
(cf. 4119.41/4219.41/4319.41 - Employees with Infectious Disease)

The Board also prohibits discrimination against any employee or job applicant in compensation, terms, conditions, and other privileges of employment and the taking of any adverse employment action, including, but not limited to, termination or the denial of employment, promotion, job assignment, or training, against an employee or job applicant based on any of the categories listed above.

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)
(cf. 4154/4254/4354 - Health and Welfare Benefits)

Prohibited discrimination on the basis of religious creed includes discrimination based on an employee's or job applicant's religious belief or observance, including his/her religious dress or grooming practices. In accordance with Government Code 12940, prohibited discrimination on the basis of religious creed also includes the district's failure or refusal to use reasonable means to accommodate an employee's or job applicant's religious belief, observance, or practice which conflicts with an employment requirement. However, the district shall not accommodate an employee's religious dress practice or religious grooming practice if it requires segregation of the individual from other employees or the public or if it would result in a violation of this policy or any law prohibiting discrimination.

Prohibited sex discrimination includes discrimination based on an employee's or job applicant's pregnancy, childbirth, breastfeeding, or any related medical condition.

(cf. 4033 - Lactation Accommodation)

Harassment consists of unwelcome verbal, physical, or visual conduct that is based on any of the prohibited categories of discrimination listed above and that is so severe or pervasive that

it adversely affects an individual's employment opportunities, has the purpose or effect of unreasonably interfering with the individual's work performance, or creates an intimidating, hostile, or offensive work environment.

(cf. 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment)

The Board also prohibits retaliation against any district employee or job applicant who opposes any discriminatory employment practice by the district or its employee, agent, or representative or who complains, testifies, assists, or in any way participates in the district's complaint procedures pursuant to this policy. No employee or job applicant who requests an accommodation for any protected characteristic listed in this policy shall be subjected to any punishment or sanction, regardless of whether the request was granted. (Government Code 12940)

Complaints concerning employment discrimination, harassment, or retaliation shall immediately be investigated in accordance with procedures specified in the accompanying administrative regulation.

Any supervisory or management employee who observes or has knowledge of an incident of prohibited discrimination or harassment shall report the incident to the Superintendent or designated district coordinator as soon as practical after the incident. All other employees are encouraged to report such incidents to their supervisor immediately. The district shall protect any employee who does report such incidents from retaliation.

The Superintendent or designee shall use all appropriate means to reinforce the district's nondiscrimination policy. He/she shall provide training and information to employees about how to recognize harassment and discrimination, how to respond appropriately, and components of the district's policies and regulations regarding discrimination. The Superintendent or designee shall regularly review the district's employment practices and, as necessary, shall take action to ensure district compliance with the nondiscrimination laws.

Any district employee who engages in prohibited discrimination, harassment, or retaliation or who aids, abets, incites, compels, or coerces another to engage or attempt to engage in such behavior in violation of this policy shall be subject to disciplinary action, up to and including dismissal.

(cf. 4118 - Dismissal/Suspension/Disciplinary Action)

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CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

All Personnel

AR 4030(a)

NONDISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 11138 and 2 CCR 11023, as added by Register 2015, No. 50, districts are mandated to adopt rules and regulations to ensure that district programs and activities are free from unlawful discriminatory practices. Pursuant to 2 CCR 11009, as amended by Register 2015, No. 50, it is unlawful to discriminate against any person who serves in an unpaid internship or other limited-duration program to gain unpaid work experience, on any basis protected by Government Code 12940.

All allegations of discrimination in employment, including those involving an intern, volunteer, or job applicant, shall be investigated and resolved in accordance with procedures specified in this administrative regulation.

Note: Many nondiscrimination laws and regulations require identification of an employee who will be responsible for compliance with the nondiscrimination laws, as provided in the following paragraph. For example, pursuant to 34 CFR 104.7, 106.8, and 110.25, the district is required to designate the person(s) responsible for the overall implementation of the requirements of federal laws which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability, sex, and age, i.e., Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC 794), Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (20 USC 1681-1688), and the Age Discrimination in Employment Act (29 USC 621-634). The district should fill in the blanks below to designate the responsible employee and his/her contact information.

The district designates the position identified below as its coordinator for nondiscrimination in employment (coordinator) to coordinate the district's efforts to comply with state and federal nondiscrimination laws and to answer inquiries regarding the district's nondiscrimination policies. The coordinator may be contacted at:

Director of Personnel
8408 Watt Avenue
Antelope, CA 95843
(916) 338-6413

Measures to Prevent Discrimination

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 12940 and 2 CCR 11023, as added by Register 2015, No. 50, the district is required to take all reasonable steps to prevent unlawful discrimination and harassment. 2 CCR 11023, as added, specifies certain requirements to be included in the district's policy. The following section reflects the requirements of 2 CCR 11023 and other applicable laws or regulations, as indicated. The following section reflects "best practices" for preventing unlawful harassment or discrimination, as identified in the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing

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(DFEH) and the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) informational publications. Examples of such publications are the DFEH's California Law Prohibits Workplace Discrimination and Harassment and the EEOC's New Compliance Manual Section 15: Race and Color Discrimination. Districts should investigate these and other relevant publications and determine which practices to adopt.

To prevent unlawful discrimination, harassment, and retaliation against district employees, volunteers, interns, and job applicants in district employment, the Superintendent or designee shall implement the following measures:

- 1. Publicize the district's nondiscrimination policy and regulation, including the complaint procedures and the coordinator's contact information, to employees, volunteers, interns, job applicants, and the general public by: (5 CCR 4960; 34 CFR 100.6, 106.9)**
 - a. Including them in each announcement, bulletin, or application form that is used in employee recruitment**
 - b. Posting them in all district schools and offices, including staff lounges and other prominent locations**
 - c. Posting them on the district's web site and providing easy access to them through district-supported social media, when available**

(cf. 1113 - District and School Web Sites)
(cf. 1114 - District-Sponsored Social Media)

- 2. Disseminate the district's nondiscrimination policy to all employees by one or more of the following methods: (2 CCR 11023)**
 - a. Printing and providing a copy of the policy to all employees with an acknowledgment form for each employee to sign and return**
 - b. Sending the policy via email with an acknowledgment return form**
 - c. Posting the policy on the district intranet with a tracking system ensuring all employees have read and acknowledged receipt of the policies**
 - d. Discussing district policy with employees upon hire and/or during a new hire orientation session**
 - e. Any other way that ensures employees receive and understand the policy**

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

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- 23.** Provide to employees a handbook that contains information that clearly describes the district's nondiscrimination policy, procedures for filing a complaint, and resources available to anyone who feels that he/she has been the victim of any discriminatory or harassing behavior
- 34.** Provide training to employees, volunteers, and interns regarding the district's nondiscrimination policy, including what constitutes unlawful discrimination, harassment, and retaliation and how and to whom a report of an incident should be made

Note: Pursuant to 2 CCR 11023, as added by Register 2015, No. 50, if the district has 50 or more employees, its sexual harassment prevention training must include instruction for its supervisors as specified in the following paragraph.

Training for supervisors shall include the requirement to report any complaint of misconduct to a designated representative, such as the coordinator, human resources manager, or Superintendent or designee as a topic in the sexual harassment prevention training required pursuant to 2 CCR 11024. (2 CCR 11023)

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)

(cf. 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment)

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

- 45.** Periodically review the district's recruitment, hiring, and promotion processes and regularly monitor the terms, conditions, and privileges of employment to ensure district compliance with law
- 6.** For any district facility where 10 percent of employees have a language other than English as their spoken language, translate the policy into every language spoken by at least 10 percent of the workforce

Complaint Procedure

Note: ~~34 CFR 106.8 and 110.25 mandate any district that receives federal financial assistance to adopt and publish grievance procedures providing for prompt and equitable resolution of employee complaints alleging discrimination on the basis of sex or age~~ 2 CCR 11023, as added by Register 2015, No. 50, mandates that a district's policy include a complaint process with specified requirements. Some of the requirements of 2 CCR 11023 are similar to those required under existing case law.

Courts have held that an employer may mitigate liability for hostile environment employment discrimination when (1) the employer took reasonable care to prevent and promptly correct the discriminatory or harassing conduct (i.e., provided a complaint procedure) and (2) the aggrieved employee unreasonably failed to take

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advantage of corrective opportunities offered by the employer (i.e., failure to file a complaint). In its June 1999 Enforcement Guidance: Vicarious Employer Liability for Unlawful Harassment by Supervisors, EEOC outlines the elements of an effective complaint procedure to include (1) a clear explanation of the process; (2) protection against retaliation; (3) designation of multiple individuals authorized to receive complaints; (4) a mechanism for prompt, thorough, and impartial investigation; (5) assurance of immediate and appropriate corrective action; and (6) information about time frames for filing charges with the EEOC or the DFEH.

While the EEOC's guidance recommends a "prompt" investigation, neither the law nor the EEOC delineates a specific time frame for resolution. The EEOC's guidance acknowledges that whether an investigation is considered "prompt" may vary depending on the seriousness and complexity of the circumstances and that intermediate measures may be necessary to prevent further harassment during the investigation.

The following section, including the listed timelines, is consistent with the EEOC's guidance and should be modified to reflect district practice.

Any complaint ~~by an employee or job applicant~~ alleging unlawful discrimination or harassment shall be addressed in accordance with the following procedures:

1. **Notice and Receipt of Complaint:** ~~A complainant who is an employee shall~~ may inform his/her direct supervisor. ~~However, if the supervisor is the person against whom the employee is complaining, the employee shall inform, another supervisor, the coordinator, or the Superintendent, or, if available, a complaint hotline or an ombudsman. A job applicant shall inform the coordinator or the Superintendent or designee.~~

The complainant may file a written complaint in accordance with this procedure, or if he/she is an employee, may first attempt to resolve the situation informally with his/her supervisor.

A supervisor or manager who has received information about an incident of discrimination or harassment, or has observed such an incident, shall report it to the coordinator, whether or not the complainant files a written complaint.

The written complaint should contain the complainant's name, the name of the individual who allegedly committed the act, a description of the incident, the date and location where the incident occurred, any witnesses who may have relevant information, other evidence of the discrimination or harassment, and any other pertinent information which may assist in investigating and resolving the complaint.

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)
(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

2. **Investigation Process:** The coordinator shall initiate an impartial investigation of an allegation of discrimination or harassment within five business days of receiving notice of the alleged discriminatory or harassing behavior, regardless of whether a ~~written complaint has been filed or whether the written complaint is complete~~

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The coordinator shall meet with the complainant to describe the district's complaint procedure and discuss the actions being sought by the complainant in response to the allegation. The coordinator shall inform the complainant that the allegations investigation of the allegations will be fair, timely, and thorough and will be conducted in a manner that provides all parties due process and reaches reasonable conclusions based on the evidence collected. He/she shall also inform the parties that the investigation will be kept confidential to the extent possible, but that some information may be revealed as necessary to conduct an effective investigation.

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

(cf. 4112.6/4212.6/4312.6 - Personnel Files)

(cf. 4119.23/4219.23/4319.23 - Unauthorized Release of Confidential/Privileged Information)

If the coordinator determines that a detailed fact-finding investigation is necessary, he/she shall begin the investigation immediately. As part of this investigation, the coordinator should interview the complainant, the person accused, and other persons who could be expected to have relevant information.

The coordinator shall track and document the progress of the investigation to ensure reasonable progress and shall inform the parties as necessary.

When necessary to carry out his/her investigation or to protect employee safety, the coordinator may discuss the complaint with the Superintendent or designee, district legal counsel, or the district's risk manager.

The coordinator also shall determine whether interim measures, such as scheduling changes, transfers, or leaves, need to be taken before the investigation is completed to ensure that further incidents do not occur are prevented. The coordinator shall ensure that such interim measures do not constitute retaliation.

3. **Written Report on Findings and Remedial/Corrective Action:** No more than 20 business days after receiving the complaint, the coordinator shall conclude the investigation and prepare a written report of his/her findings. This timeline may be extended for good cause. If an extension is needed, the coordinator shall notify the complainant parties and explain the reasons for the extension.

The report shall include the decision and the reasons for the decision and shall summarize the steps taken during the investigation. If a determination has been made that discrimination or harassment occurred, the report also shall include any corrective action(s) that have been or will be taken to address the behavior, correct the effect on provide appropriate options for remedial actions and resolutions for the complainant, and ensure that retaliation or further discrimination or harassment does not occur is prevented.

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The report shall be presented to the complainant, the person accused, and the Superintendent or designee.

4. **Appeal to the Governing Board:** The complainant or the person accused may appeal any findings to the Board within 10 business days of receiving the written report of the coordinator's findings. The Superintendent or designee shall provide the Board with all information presented during the investigation. Upon receiving an appeal, the Board shall schedule a hearing as soon as practicable. Any complaint against a district employee shall be addressed in closed session in accordance with law. The Board shall render its decision within 10 business days.

(cf. 1312.1 - Complaints Concerning District Employees)
(cf. 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas)

Other Remedies

Note: Items #1-3 below state the time limits within which employees must file their complaints. The EEOC's guidance states that it is important for employers' nondiscrimination policies to contain information about time frames for filing charges of unlawful discrimination or harassment with the EEOC or DFEH. Employees should be informed that the deadline for filing charges starts to run from the last date of the unlawful act, not from the conclusion of the employer's complaint investigation. Pursuant to DFEH procedures, DFEH will automatically forward any complaint it has accepted for investigation to the EEOC when the matter falls within the EEOC's jurisdiction.

In addition to filing a discrimination or harassment complaint with the district, a person may file a complaint with either the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH) or the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC). The time limits for filing such complaints are as follows:

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 12960, an employee has one year to file a complaint with DFEH, although that period may be extended under certain circumstances, such as when a person obtains knowledge of the unlawful practice after the expiration of the one-year period.

1. To file a valid complaint with DFEH, within one year of the alleged discriminatory act(s), unless an exception exists pursuant to Government Code 12960

Note: 42 USC 2000e-5 specifies that a person must file a discrimination complaint with the EEOC within 180 days of the alleged discriminatory act. Pursuant to 42 USC 2000e-5, the 180-day timeline for compensation discrimination starts when the discriminatory paycheck is received and that each discriminatory paycheck restarts the timeline for the filing of a complaint.

2. To file a valid complaint directly with EEOC, within 180 days of the alleged discriminatory act(s) (42 USC 2000e-5)

NONDISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT (continued)

3. To file a valid complaint with EEOC after first filing a complaint with DFEH, within 300 days of the alleged discriminatory act(s) or within 30 days after the termination of proceedings by DFEH, whichever is earlier (42 USC 2000e-5)

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Administrative Regulation

Nondiscrimination In Employment

AR 4030
Personnel

The district designates the position identified below as its coordinator for nondiscrimination in employment (coordinator) to coordinate the district's efforts to comply with state and federal nondiscrimination laws and to answer inquiries regarding the district's nondiscrimination policies. The coordinator may be contacted at:

Director of Personnel
8408 Watt Avenue
Antelope, CA 95843
(916) 338-6413

Measures to Prevent Discrimination

To prevent unlawful discrimination, harassment, and retaliation against district employees, volunteers, interns, and job applicants, the Superintendent or designee shall implement the following measures:

1. Publicize the district's nondiscrimination policy and regulation, including the complaint procedures and the coordinator's contact information, to employees, volunteers, interns, job applicants, and the general public by: (5 CCR 4960; 34 CFR 100.6, 106.9)
 - a. Including them in each announcement, bulletin, or application form that is used in employee recruitment
 - b. Posting them in all district schools and offices, including staff lounges and other prominent locations
 - c. Posting them on the district's web site and providing easy access to them through district-supported social media, when available

(cf. 1113 - District and School Web Sites)
(cf. 1114 - District-Sponsored Social Media)

2. Provide to employees a handbook that contains information that clearly describes the district's nondiscrimination policy, procedures for filing a complaint, and resources available to anyone who feels that he/she has been the victim of any discriminatory or harassing behavior

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

3. Provide training to employees, volunteers, and interns regarding the district's nondiscrimination policy, including what constitutes unlawful discrimination, harassment, and retaliation and how and to whom a report of an incident should be made

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

4. Periodically review the district's recruitment, hiring, and promotion processes and regularly monitor the terms, conditions, and privileges of employment to ensure district compliance with law

Complaint Procedure

Any complaint by an employee or job applicant alleging discrimination or harassment shall be addressed in accordance with the following procedures:

1. **Notice and Receipt of Complaint:** A complainant who is an employee shall inform his/her supervisor. However, if the supervisor is the person against whom the employee is complaining, the employee shall inform the coordinator or the Superintendent. A job applicant shall inform the coordinator or the Superintendent or designee.

The complainant may file a written complaint in accordance with this procedure, or if he/she is an employee, may first attempt to resolve the situation informally with his/her supervisor.

A supervisor or manager who has received information about an incident of discrimination or harassment, or has observed such an incident, shall report it to the coordinator, whether or not the complainant files a written complaint.

The written complaint should contain the complainant's name, the name of the individual who allegedly committed the act, a description of the incident, the date and location where the incident occurred, any witnesses who may have relevant information, other evidence of the discrimination or harassment, and any other pertinent information which may assist in investigating and resolving the complaint.

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

(cf. 4119.11/4219.11/4319.11 - Sexual Harassment)

2. **Investigation Process:** The coordinator shall initiate an impartial investigation of an allegation of discrimination or harassment within five business days of receiving notice of the behavior, regardless of whether a written complaint has been filed or whether the written complaint is complete.

The coordinator shall meet with the complainant to describe the district's complaint procedure and discuss the actions being sought by the complainant in response to the allegation. The coordinator shall inform the complainant that the allegations will be

kept confidential to the extent possible, but that some information may be revealed as necessary to conduct an effective investigation.

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

(cf. 4112.6/4212.6/4312.6 - Personnel Files)

(cf. 4119.23/4219.23/4319.23 - Unauthorized Release of Confidential/Privileged Information)

If the coordinator determines that a detailed fact-finding investigation is necessary, he/she shall begin the investigation immediately. As part of this investigation, the coordinator should interview the complainant, the person accused, and other persons who could be expected to have relevant information.

When necessary to carry out his/her investigation or to protect employee safety, the coordinator may discuss the complaint with the Superintendent or designee, district legal counsel, or the district's risk manager.

The coordinator also shall determine whether interim measures, such as scheduling changes, transfers, or leaves, need to be taken before the investigation is completed to ensure that further incidents do not occur. The coordinator shall ensure that such interim measures do not constitute retaliation.

3. **Written Report on Findings and Corrective Action:** No more than 20 business days after receiving the complaint, the coordinator shall conclude the investigation and prepare a written report of his/her findings. This timeline may be extended for good cause. If an extension is needed, the coordinator shall notify the complainant and explain the reasons for the extension.

The report shall include the decision and the reasons for the decision and shall summarize the steps taken during the investigation. If a determination has been made that discrimination or harassment occurred, the report also shall include any corrective action(s) that have been or will be taken to address the behavior, correct the effect on the complainant, and ensure that retaliation or further discrimination or harassment does not occur.

The report shall be presented to the complainant, the person accused, and the Superintendent or designee.

4. **Appeal to the Governing Board:** The complainant or the person accused may appeal any findings to the Board within 10 business days of receiving the written report of the coordinator's findings. The Superintendent or designee shall provide the Board with all information presented during the investigation. Upon receiving an appeal, the Board shall schedule a hearing as soon as practicable. Any complaint against a district employee shall be addressed in closed session in accordance with law. The Board shall render its decision within 10 business days.

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(cf. 1312.1 - Complaints Concerning District Employees)

(cf. 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas)

Other Remedies

In addition to filing a discrimination or harassment complaint with the district, a person may file a complaint with either the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH) or the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC). The time limits for filing such complaints are as follows:

1. To file a valid complaint with DFEH, within one year of the alleged discriminatory act(s), unless an exception exists pursuant to Government Code 12960
2. To file a valid complaint directly with EEOC, within 180 days of the alleged discriminatory act(s) (42 USC 2000e-5)
3. To file a valid complaint with EEOC after first filing a complaint with DFEH, within 300 days of the alleged discriminatory act(s) or within 30 days after the termination of proceedings by DFEH, whichever is earlier (42 USC 2000e-5)

CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

Certificated Personnel

AR 4112.22(a)

STAFF TEACHING ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

Note: ~~A teacher who is~~ To be assigned to provide English language development (ELD), specially designed academic instruction in English (SDAIE), and/or primary language instruction, as defined below, a teacher must hold an appropriate authorization from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC).

Education Code 44258.9 requires the County Superintendent of Schools to monitor district teacher assignments and vacancies and to investigate district efforts to ensure that a teacher in an assignment requiring authorization to teach English learners completes the necessary requirements. ~~If a school is ranked in deciles 1-3 on the statewide Academic Performance Index, the County Superintendent must annually report on the appropriate English learner certification held by teachers in any class with at least 20 percent English learners.~~ See BP 4113 - Assignment.

Definitions

Note: Proposition 58 (November 2016) amended Education Code 306 to revise the definition of "English learner" to conform with federal law, as follows:

~~English learner means a student who does not speak English or whose native language is not English and who is not currently able to perform ordinary classroom work in English. (Education Code 306)~~

English learner means a student who is age 3-21 years, who is enrolled or is preparing to enroll in an elementary or secondary school, and whose difficulties in speaking, reading, writing, or understanding the English language may be sufficient to deny the student the ability to meet state academic standards, the ability to successfully achieve in classrooms where the language of instruction is English, or the opportunity to participate fully in society. An English learner may include a student who was not born in the United States or whose native language is a language other than English; a student who is Native American or Alaska Native, or a native resident of the outlying areas, who comes from an environment where a language other than English has had a significant impact on the individual's level of English language proficiency; or a student who is migratory, whose native language is a language other than English, and who comes from an environment where a language other than English is dominant. (Education Code 306; 20 USC 7801)

Instruction for English language development (ELD) means instruction designed specifically for English learners to develop their listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills in English. (Education Code 44253.2)

Specially designed academic instruction in English (SDAIE) means instruction in a subject area, delivered in English, that is specially designed to meet the needs of English learners. (Education Code 44253.2)

STAFF TEACHING ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS (continued)

Primary language instruction includes both *primary language development* designed to develop English learners' listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills in their primary language and *content instruction delivered in the primary language* in any subject area. (Education Code 44253.2)

(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)

Teacher Qualifications

Note: Education Code 44253.1-44253.11, related Title 5 regulations, and CTC leaflet CL-622, Serving English Learners, describe requirements pertaining to the qualifications of teachers of English learners.

It is the authorization listed on a document issued by the CTC, not the title of the document, which determines if and how an individual is authorized to serve English learners. Teacher preparation programs for multiple subject, single subject, and education specialist candidates include embedded coursework that allows them to earn an English learner authorization (authorizing ELD and SDAIE instruction) or a bilingual authorization (authorizing ELD, SDAIE, and primary language instruction) directly on their teaching credential. A teacher also may qualify to provide ELD and SDAIE instruction by completing coursework and/or passing CTC-approved examinations leading to a Crosscultural, Language and Academic Development (CLAD) certificate. The CTC is no longer issuing new Bilingual, Crosscultural, Language and Academic Development (BCLAD) certificates, but current holders of valid BCLAD certificates may continue to provide ELD, SDAIE, and primary language instruction.

Pursuant to Education Code 44253.11, a teacher with an appropriate prerequisite credential may enroll in a CTC-approved staff development program and, upon successful completion, may apply to the CTC for a Certificate of Completion of Staff Development authorizing the teacher to provide instruction in SDAIE.

5 CCR 80021 and 80021.1, as amended by Register 2010, No. 43, provide that all Short-Term Staff Permits and Provisional Internship Permits will be issued with an English learner authorization, unless the district requests the bilingual authorization and the applicant verifies target-language proficiency. The CTC also may issue emergency CLAD and bilingual authorization permits pursuant to 5 CCR 80024.7-80024.8, as amended by Register 2010, No. 43. See AR 4112.2 - Certification.

The CTC's "Frequently Asked Questions Concerning Appropriate Assignment and Authorizations to Serve English Learners in California" clarifies that any teacher with one or more K-12 English learner students in his/her class is required to have a CTC authorization for to provide ELD, and/or SDAIE, and/or primary language instruction, as appropriate. State law does not specify any exemption based on the number of English learners in a class, the type of class (e.g., elective), or type of setting (e.g., special education or career technical education). According to the FAQs, districts have discretion to establish an employment requirement that all teachers, even those who currently have no English learners, possess an authorization to teach English learners. Districts that choose to do so should modify the following paragraph accordingly:

~~The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that any teacher with one or more English learners in his/her class possesses an English learner authorization issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) authorizing ELD and/or SDAIE, as appropriate. A teacher possessing a bilingual authorization may be assigned to provide ELD, SDAIE, and/or primary~~

STAFF TEACHING ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS (continued)

~~language instruction. Only a teacher who possesses an appropriate authorization issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) shall provide ELD, SDAIE, and/or primary language instruction in a class with one or more English learners.~~

~~(cf. 1312.4 - Williams Uniform Complaint Procedures)~~

~~(cf. 4112.2 - Certification)~~

~~(cf. 4112.21 - Interns)~~

~~(cf. 4113 - Assignment)~~

~~(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)~~

~~(cf. 4222 - Teacher Aides/Paraprofessionals)~~

~~A teacher with a designated subjects teaching credential or a service credential with a special class authorization may enroll in a CTC-approved staff development program and, upon successful completion, may apply to the CTC for a Certificate of Completion of Staff Development authorizing instruction in SDAIE. (Education Code 44253.11)~~

~~(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)~~

The ~~Governing Board~~ district may, for the purpose of providing primary language instruction, hire bilingual teachers who are employed in public or private schools of a foreign country, state, territory, or possession, provided such teachers speak English fluently and hold the necessary sojourn credential issued by the CTC. After the initial two-year sojourn credential expires, the teacher may annually apply to the CTC for an extension for a total period of not more than five years. Any application for renewal shall include verification by the Superintendent or designee that termination of the employment would adversely affect an existing bilingual program and that attempts to secure the employment of a qualified certificated California teacher have been unsuccessful. (Education Code 44856)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

STAFF TEACHING ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

306 Definition, English learner

~~44253.1-44253.11 Certification for bilingual crosscultural competence-Qualifications of teachers of English learners~~

44258.9 County superintendent review of teacher assignments

44259.5 Standards for teachers of all students, including English language learners

44380-44386 Alternative certification

44856 Employment of teachers from foreign countries

52160-52178 Bilingual-Bicultural Act of 1976

62001-62005. 5 Evaluation and sunseting of programs

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

80015 Requirements for the CLAD certification or English learner authorization

80015.1-80015.4 Requirements for CLAD, English learner authorization or bilingual authorization

80021 Short-Term Staff Permit

80021.1 Provisional Internship Program

80024.7-80024.8 Emergency CLAD and bilingual permits

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

6601-6651 Training and recruiting high-quality teachers

6801-7014 Language instruction for English learners and immigrant students

7801 Definition of English learner

COURT DECISIONS

Teresa P. et al v. Berkeley Unified School District et al (1989) 724 F.Supp. 698

Management Resources:

COMMISSION ON TEACHER CREDENTIALING PUBLICATIONS

Administrator's Assignment Manual

Frequently Asked Questions Concerning Appropriate Assignment and Authorizations to Serve English Learners in California

~~CL-622 Serving English Learners, December 2010~~

~~CL-626B Bilingual Authorizations, November 2010~~

~~CL-626C Crosscultural, Language and Academic Development (CLAD) Certificate, November 2010~~

~~CL-568 The Sojourn Certificated Employee Credential, August 2009~~

~~CL-824 Certificate of Completion of Staff Development~~

WEB SITES

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

California Association for Bilingual Education: <http://www.bilingualeducation.org>

<http://www.gocabe.org>

California Department of Education, English Learners: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/el>

California Teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages: <http://www.catesol.org>

Commission on Teacher Credentialing: <http://www.ctc.ca.gov>

U.S. Department of Education: <http://www.ed.gov>

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Administrative Regulation

Staff Teaching English Language Learners

AR 4112.22 4212.22

Personnel

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Teacher Qualifications

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(cf. 1312.4 - Williams Uniform Complaint Procedures)

(cf. 4112.2 - Certification)

(cf. 4112.21 - Interns)

(cf. 4112.24 - Teacher Qualifications Under the No Child Left Behind Act)

(cf. 4113 - Assignment)

(cf. 4222 - Teacher Aides/Paraprofessionals)

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(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

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44856 Employment of teachers from foreign countries

52160-52178 Bilingual-Bicultural Act of 1976

52180-52186 Bilingual teacher training assistance program

62001-62005. 5 Evaluation and sunseting of programs

99230-99242 Mathematics and Reading Professional Development Program

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

6100-6125 Teacher qualifications, No Child Left Behind Act

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80021 Short-Term Staff Permit

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80024.7-80024.8 Emergency CLAD and bilingual permits

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6319 Highly qualified teachers

6601-6651 Training and recruiting high-quality teachers

6801-7014 Language instruction for English learners and immigrant students

7801 Definitions, highly qualified teacher

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34

200.55-200.57 Highly qualified teachers

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Antelope, California

CSBA Sample Exhibit

All Personnel

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EMPLOYEE NOTIFICATIONS

Note: The following exhibit lists notices which the law requires be provided to employees. See the referenced Board policy, administrative regulation, or Board bylaw for further information about related program and notice requirements.

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. To All Employees			
At the beginning of school year or upon employment	Education Code 231.5; Government Code 12950; 2 CCR 11023-11024	AR 4119.11 4219.11 4319.11	The district's policy on sexual harassment, legal remedies, complaints
Annually to all employees, and 72 hours before pesticide application	Education Code 17612	AR 3514.2	Use of pesticide product, active ingredients, Internet address to access information
To all employees, prior to implementing year-round schedule	Education Code 37616	BP 6117	Public hearing on year-round program
To all employees, prior to implementing alternative schedule	Education Code 46162	AR 6112	Public hearing on alternative schedule
Annually to all employees	Education Code 49013; 5 CCR 4622	AR 1312.3 BP 0460 BP 3260	Uniform complaint procedures, appeals, civil law remedies, coordinator, complaints about student fees and local control and accountability plan
Annually to all employees	Education Code 49414	AR 5141.21	Request for volunteers to be trained to administer epinephrine auto-injectors
At least once per year	Education Code 49414.3	AR 5141.21	Request for volunteers to be trained to administer opioid antagonist
Electronically to all employees, no more than twice per school year per child needing medication	Education Code 49414.7	AR 5141.21	Request for volunteers to administer emergency antiseizure medication; training to be provided

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EMPLOYEE NOTIFICATIONS (continued)

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. To All Employees (continued)			
To all employees	Government Code 1126	BP 4136 4236 4336	Prohibition of activities that are inconsistent, incompatible, in conflict with, or inimical to duties; discipline; appeal
Prior to beginning employment	Government Code 3102	AR 4112.3 4212.3 4312.3	Oath or affirmation of allegiance required of disaster service workers
To all employees	Government Code 8355; 41 USC 8102; 34 CFR 84.205; 84.210	BP 4020 BP 4159 4259 4359	District's drug- and alcohol-free workplace; actions to be taken if violated; available employee assistance programs
Upon employment	Government Code 21029	None	Right to purchase PERS service credit for military service performed prior to public employment
Upon placement of automated external defibrillator (AED) in school, and annually thereafter	Health and Safety Code 1797.196	AR 5141	Proper use of AED; location of all AEDs on campus, sudden cardiac arrest, school's emergency response plan
To all employees, if the district receives Tobacco-Use Prevention Education funds	Health and Safety Code 104420	AR 3513.3	District's tobacco-free schools policy and enforcement procedures
Annually to all employees, or more frequently if there is new information	Health and Safety Code 120875, 120880	AR 4119.43 4219.43 4319.43	AIDS and hepatitis B, including methods to prevent exposure
To all employees, with each paycheck	Labor Code 246	AR 4161.1 4361.1 AR 4261.1	Amount of sick leave available
To covered employees and former employees	Labor Code 2800.2	AR 4154 4254 4354	Availability of COBRA/ Cal-COBRA continuation and conversion coverage; statement encouraging careful examination of options before declining coverage

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EMPLOYEE NOTIFICATIONS (continued)

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. To All Employees (continued)			
To every new employee, either at the time employee is hired or by end of first pay period	Labor Code 3551	BP 4157.1 4257.1 4357.1	Workers' compensation benefits, how to obtain medical care, role of primary physician, form for reporting personal physician/chiropractor
Prior to beginning employment	Penal Code 11165.7, 11166.5	AR 5141.4	Status as a mandated reporter of child abuse, reporting obligations, confidentiality rights, copy of law
Upon employment, and when employee goes on leave for specified reasons	Unemployment Insurance Code 2613	AR 4154 4254 4354	Disability insurance rights and benefits
To all employees and job applicants	2 CCR 11023; 34 CFR 104.8, 106.9	BP 0410 BP 4030	District's policy on nondiscrimination and related complaint procedures
To all employees via employee handbook, or to each new employee	2 CCR 11096; 11091, 11095; 29 CFR 825.300	AR 4161.8 4261.8 4361.8	Benefits through Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) and California Family Rights Act (CFRA); obligation to provide 30 days' notice of need for leave when possible
To all employees and job applicants	34 CFR 104.8, 106.9	BP 0410 BP 4030	District's policy on nondiscrimination and related complaint procedures
Annually to all employees	40 CFR 763.84, 763.93	AR 3514	Availability of asbestos management plan; inspections, response actions, post-response actions planned or in progress
II. To Certificated Employees			
To eligible certificated employees in a timely manner, and to part-time and substitute certificated employees within 30 days of hire	Education Code 22455.5	AR 4121	Criteria for membership in retirement system; right to elect membership at any time

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EMPLOYEE NOTIFICATIONS (continued)

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
II. To Certificated Employees (continued)			
Upon employment of a retired certificated individual	Education Code 22461	AR 4117.14 4317.14	Postretirement earnings limitation or employment restriction; monthly report of compensation
To certificated employees	Education Code 35171	AR 4115 BP 4315	District regulations related to performance evaluations
30 days before last day of school year for instructional staff, or by June 30 for noninstructional certificated staff, in any year in which employee is evaluated	Education Code 44663	AR 4115	Copy of employee's evaluation
To a certificated employee with unsatisfactory evaluation, once per year for probationary employee or at least once every other year for permanent employee	Education Code 44664	AR 4115	Notice and description of the unsatisfactory performance
By May 30, if district issues reemployment notices to certificated employees	Education Code 44842	AR 4112.1	Request that the employee notify district of intent to remain in service next year
To certificated employees upon employment, and to nonpermanent employees in July of each school year	Education Code 44916	AR 4112.1 AR 4121	Employment status and salary
To probationary employees in district with ADA of 250 or more by March 15 of employee's second consecutive year of employment	Education Code 44929.21	AR 4117.6	Whether or not employee is reelected for next school year
When certificated employee is subject to disciplinary action for cause, at any time of year or, for charge of unsatisfactory performance, during instructional year	Education Code 44934, 44934.1, 44936	BP 4118 AR 4118	Notice of charges, procedures, and employee rights; intent to dismiss or suspend 30 days after notice

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EMPLOYEE NOTIFICATIONS (continued)

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
II. To Certificated Employees (continued)			
To certificated employee charged with unprofessional conduct, at least 45 days prior to suspension/dismissal notice	Education Code 44938	BP 4118	Notice of deficiency and opportunity to correct
To certificated employee charged with unsatisfactory performance, at least 90 days prior to suspension/dismissal notice or prior to last quarter of school year	Education Code 44938	BP 4118	Notice of deficiency and opportunity to correct
To certificated employee charged with mandatory leave of absence offense, within 10 days of entry of judgment in proceedings	Education Code 44940.5	AR 4118	Notice of intent to dismiss 30 days from notice unless employee demands hearing
To probationary employees 30 days prior to dismissal during school year, but not later than March 15 for second-year probationary employees	Education Code 44948.3	AR 4118	Reasons for dismissal and opportunity to appeal
By March 15 when necessary to reduce certificated personnel, with final notice by May 15	Education Code 44949, 44955	BP 4117.3	Reasons for personnel reduction and employees' right to hearing; final notice of Board decision re: termination
On or before June 30, to temporary employee who served 75 percent of school year but will be released	Education Code 44954	BP 4121	District's decision not to reelect employee for following school year
To teacher, when a student engages in or is reasonably suspected of specified acts	Education Code 49079	AR 4158 4258 4358	Student has committed specified act that constitutes ground for suspension or expulsion
To certificated employee upon change in employment status due to alleged misconduct or while allegation is pending	5 CCR 80303	AR 4117.7 4317.7	Contents of state regulation re: report to Commission on Teacher Credentialing

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EMPLOYEE NOTIFICATIONS (continued)

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
III. To Classified Employees			
To classified employee charged with mandatory leave of absence offense, in merit system district	Education Code 44940.5	AR 4218	Notice of intent to dismiss in 30 days
When classified employee is subject to disciplinary action for cause, in nonmerit district	Education Code 45113	AR 4218	Notice of charges, procedures, and employee rights
To classified employees at least 60 days prior to layoff, or by April 29 for specially funded program that expires at end of school year	Education Code 45117	AR 4217.3	Notice of layoff and reemployment rights
To classified employees upon employment and upon each change in classification	Education Code 45169	AR 4212	Employee's class specification, salary data, assignment or work location, duty hours, prescribed workweek
To classified permanent employee whose leave is exhausted	Education Code 45192, 45195	AR 4261.1 AR 4261.11	Exhaustion of leave, opportunity to request additional leave
To school bus drivers and school activity bus drivers prior to expiration of specified documents	13 CCR 1234	AR 3542	Expiration date of driver's license, driver's certificate and medical certificate; need to renew
To school bus drivers and school activity bus drivers upon employment and at least once per year thereafter	13 CCR 2480	AR 3542	Limitations on vehicle idling; consequences of not complying
To school bus drivers, prior to district drug testing program and thereafter upon employment	49 CFR 382.601	BP 4112.42 4212.42 4312.42	Explanation of federal requirements for drug testing program and district's policy
IV. To Administrative/Supervisory Personnel			
To deputy, associate, or assistant superintendent or senior manager of classified service, at least 45 days before	Education Code 35031	BP 4312.1	Decision not to reelect or reemploy upon expiration of contract or term

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EMPLOYEE NOTIFICATIONS (continued)

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
IV. To Administrative/Supervisory Personnel (continued)			
Upon request by administrative or supervisory employee transferred to teaching position	Education Code 44896	AR 4313.2	Statement of the reasons for the release or reassignment
By March 15 to employee who may be released/reassigned the following school year	Education Code 44951	AR 4313.2	Notice that employee may be released or reassigned the following school year
V. To Individual Employees Under Special Circumstances			
In the event of a breach of security of district records, to affected employees	Civil Code 1798.21 1798.29	BP 3580	Types of records affected, date of breach, description of incident, and, as applicable, contact information for credit reporting agencies
Prior to placing derogatory information in personnel file	Education Code 44031	AR 4112.6 4212.6 4312.6	Notice of derogatory information, opportunity to review and comment
To employees who volunteer to administer epinephrine auto-injector	Education Code 49414	AR 5141.21	Defense and indemnification from civil liability by the district
To employees returning from military leave of absence, within 30 days of return	Government Code 20997	AR 4161.5 4261.5 4361.5	Right to receive PERS service credit for military service; application form
24 hours before Board meets in closed session to hear complaints or charges against employee	Government Code 54957	BB 9321	Employee's right to have complaints/charges heard in open session
When taking disciplinary action against employee for disclosure of confidential information	Government Code 54963	BP 4119.23 4219.23 4319.23	Law prohibiting disclosure of confidential information obtained in closed session
Within one working day of work-related injury or victimization of crime	Labor Code 3553, 5401	BP 4157.1 4257.1 4357.1	Potential eligibility for workers' compensation benefits, claim form
When adverse employment action is based on DOJ criminal history information or subsequent arrest notification	Penal Code 11105, 11105.2	AR 4112.5 4212.5 4312.5	Copy of DOJ notification

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EMPLOYEE NOTIFICATIONS (continued)

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
V. To Individual Employees Under Special Circumstances (continued)			
To any employee with exposure to blood or other potentially infectious materials, upon initial employment and at least annually thereafter	8 CCR 3204, 5193	AR 4119.42 4219.42 4319.42	The existence, location, and availability of exposure and medical records; person responsible for maintaining and providing access to records; right to access records
To any employee assigned to a work area where hazardous chemicals are present, upon initial assignment and upon new exposure situation	8 CCR 5191	AR 3514.1	Location and availability of chemical hygiene plan, exposure limits, signs and symptoms of exposure, location of reference material
To any employee who may be exposed to hazardous substances in the work area, upon initial assignment and when new hazard is introduced into work area	8 CCR 5194	AR 3514.1	Any presence of hazardous substances in the work area, location and availability of hazard communication program, new material safety data sheet, employee rights
To employee eligible for military leave	38 USC 4334	AR 4161.5 4261.5 4361.5	Notice of rights, benefits, and obligations under military leave
Within five days of employee's request for FMLA leave, receipt of supporting information, or district's knowledge that the requested leave may qualify as FMLA leave	29 CFR 825.300; 2 CCR 11049] 11091]	AR 4161.8 4261.8 4361.8	Designation of leave as FMLA or non-FMLA; if not eligible, reason not eligible; requirement to use paid leave; any requirement for fitness-for-duty certification; any subsequent changes in designation notice
Whenever notice of eligibility for FMLA is provided to employee	29 CFR 825.300	AR 4161.8 4261.8 4361.8	Rights and responsibilities re: use of FMLA; consequences of failure to meet obligations

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Exhibit

Employee Notifications

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All Personnel

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. To All Employees			
At the beginning of school year or upon employment	Education Code 231.5; Government Code 12950; 2 CCR 11023	AR 4119.11 4219.11 4319.11	The district's policy on sexual harassment, legal remedies, complaints
Annually to all employees, and 72 hours before pesticide application	Education Code 17612	AR 3514.2	Use of pesticide product, active ingredients, Internet address to access information
To all employees, prior to implementing year-round schedule	Education Code 37616	BP 6117	Public hearing on year-round program
To all employees, prior to implementing alternative schedule	Education Code 46162	AR 6112	Public hearing on alternative schedule
Annually to all employees	Education Code 49013; 5 CCR 4622	AR 1312.3 BP 0460 BP 3260	Uniform complaint procedures, appeals, civil law remedies, coordinator, complaints about student fees and local control and accountability plan
Annually to all employees	Education Code 49414	AR 5141.21	Request for volunteers to be trained to administer epinephrine auto-injectors
Electronically to all employees, no more than twice per school year per child needing medication	Education Code 49414.7	AR 5141.21	Request for volunteers to administer emergency antiseizure medication; training to be provided
To all employees	Government Code 1126	BP 4136 4236 4336	Prohibition of activities that are inconsistent, incompatible, in conflict with, or inimical to duties; discipline; appeal
Prior to beginning employment	Government Code 3102	AR 4112.3 4212.3 4312.3	Oath or affirmation of allegiance required of disaster service workers

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. To All Employees (continued)			
To all employees	Government Code 8355; 41 USC 8102	BP 4020 BP 4159 4259 4359	District's drug- and alcohol-free workplace; actions to be taken if violated; available employee assistance programs
Upon placement of automated external defibrillator (AED) in school, and annually thereafter	Health and Safety Code 1797.196	AR 5141	Proper use of AED; location of all AEDs on campus, sudden cardiac arrest, school's emergency response plan
To all employees, if the district receives Tobacco-Use Prevention Education funds	Health and Safety Code 104420	AR 3513.3	District's tobacco-free schools policy and enforcement procedures
Annually to all employees, or more frequently if there is new information	Health and Safety Code 120875, 120880	AR 4119.43 4219.43 4319.43	AIDS and hepatitis B, including methods to prevent exposure
To all employees, with each paycheck	Labor Code 246	AR 4161.1 4361.1 AR 4261.1	Amount of sick leave available
To covered employees and former employees	Labor Code 2800.2	AR 4154 4254 4354	Availability of COBRA/ Cal-COBRA continuation and conversion coverage; statement encouraging careful examination of options before declining coverage
To every new employee, either at the time employee is hired or by end of first pay period	Labor Code 3551	BP 4157.1 4257.1 4357.1	Workers' compensation benefits, how to obtain medical care, role of primary physician, form for reporting personal physician/chiropractor
Prior to beginning employment	Penal Code 11165.7, 11166.5	AR 5141.4	Status as a mandated reporter of child abuse, reporting obligations, confidentiality rights, copy of law
Upon employment, and when employee goes on leave for specified reasons	Unemployment Insurance Code 2613	AR 4154 4254 4354	Disability insurance rights and benefits
To all employees via employee handbook, or to each new employee	2 CCR 11096; 29 CFR 825.300	AR 4161.8 4261.8 4361.8	Benefits through Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) and California Family Rights Act (CFRA); obligation to provide 30 days' notice of need for leave when possible

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. To All Employees (continued)			
To all employees and job applicants	34 CFR 104.8, 106.9	BP 0410 BP 4030	District's policy on nondiscrimination and related complaint procedures
Annually to all employees	40 CFR 763.84, 763.93	AR 3514	Availability of asbestos management plan; inspections, response actions, post-response actions planned or in progress
II. To Certificated Employees			
To eligible certificated employees in a timely manner, and to part-time and substitute certificated employees within 30 days of hire	Education Code 22455.5	AR 4121	Criteria for membership in retirement system; right to elect membership at any time
Upon employment of a retired certificated individual	Education Code 22461	AR 4117.14 4317.14	Postretirement earnings limitation or employment restriction; monthly report of compensation
To certificated employees	Education Code 35171	AR 4115 BP 4315	District regulations related to performance evaluations
30 days before last day of school year for instructional staff, or by June 30 for noninstructional certificated staff, in any year in which employee is evaluated	Education Code 44663	AR 4115	Copy of employee's evaluation
To a certificated employee with unsatisfactory evaluation, once per year for probationary employee or at least once every other year for permanent employee	Education Code 44664	AR 4115	Notice and description of the unsatisfactory performance
By May 30, if district issues reemployment notices to certificated employees	Education Code 44842	AR 4112.1	Request that the employee notify district of intent to remain in service next year
To certificated employees upon employment, and to nonpermanent employees in July of each school year	Education Code 44916	AR 4112.1 AR 4121	Employment status and salary
To probationary employees in district with ADA of 250 or more by March 15 of employee's second consecutive year of employment	Education Code 44929.21	AR 4117.6	Whether or not employee is reelected for next school year

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
II. To Certificated Employees (continued)			
When certificated employee is subject to disciplinary action for cause, at any time of year or, for charge of unsatisfactory performance, during instructional year	Education Code 44934, 44934.1, 44936	BP 4118 AR 4118	Notice of charges, procedures, and employee rights; intent to dismiss or suspend 30 days after notice
To certificated employee charged with unprofessional conduct, at least 45 days prior to suspension/ dismissal notice	Education Code 44938	BP 4118	Notice of deficiency and opportunity to correct
To certificated employee charged with unsatisfactory performance, at least 90 days prior to suspension/dismissal notice or prior to last quarter of school year	Education Code 44938	BP 4118	Notice of deficiency and opportunity to correct
To certificated employee charged with mandatory leave of absence offense, within 10 days of entry of judgment in proceedings	Education Code 44940.5	AR 4118	Notice of intent to dismiss 30 days from notice unless employee demands hearing
To probationary employees 30 days prior to dismissal during school year, but not later than March 15 for second-year probationary employees	Education Code 44948.3	AR 4118	Reasons for dismissal and opportunity to appeal
By March 15 when necessary to reduce certificated personnel, with final notice by May 15	Education Code 44949, 44955	BP 4117.3	Reasons for personnel reduction and employees' right to hearing; final notice of Board decision re: termination
On or before June 30, to temporary employee who served 75 percent of school year but will be released	Education Code 44954	BP 4121	District's decision not to reelect employee for following school year
To teacher, when a student engages in or is reasonably suspected of specified acts	Education Code 49079	AR 4158 4258 4358	Student has committed specified act that constitutes ground for suspension or expulsion
To certificated employee upon change in employment status due to alleged misconduct or while allegation is pending	5 CCR 80303	AR 4117.7 4317.7	Contents of state regulation re: report to Commission on Teacher Credentialing

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
III. To Classified Employees			
To classified employee charged with mandatory leave of absence offense, in merit system district	Education Code 44940.5	AR 4218	Notice of intent to dismiss in 30 days
When classified employee is subject to disciplinary action for cause, in nonmerit district	Education Code 45113	AR 4218	Notice of charges, procedures, and employee rights
To classified employees at least 60 days prior to layoff, or by April 29 for specially funded program that expires at end of school year	Education Code 45117	AR 4217.3	Notice of layoff and reemployment rights
To classified employees upon employment and upon each change in classification	Education Code 45169	AR 4212	Employee's class specification, salary data, assignment or work location, duty hours, prescribed workweek
To classified permanent employee whose leave is exhausted	Education Code 45192, 45195	AR 4261.1 AR 4261.11	Exhaustion of leave, opportunity to request additional leave
To school bus drivers and school activity bus drivers prior to expiration of specified documents	13 CCR 1234	AR 3542	Expiration date of driver's license, driver's certificate and medical certificate; need to renew
To school bus drivers and school activity bus drivers upon employment and at least once per year thereafter	13 CCR 2480	AR 3542	Limitations on vehicle idling; consequences of not complying
To school bus drivers, prior to district drug testing program and thereafter upon employment	49 CFR 382.601	BP 4112.42 4212.42 4312.42	Explanation of federal requirements for drug testing program and district's policy
IV. To Administrative/Supervisory Personnel			
To deputy, associate, or assistant superintendent or senior manager of classified service, at least 45 days before expiration of contract	Education Code 35031	BP 4312.1	Decision not to reelect or reemploy upon expiration of contract or term
Upon request by administrative or supervisory employee transferred to teaching position	Education Code 44896	AR 4313.2	Statement of the reasons for the release or reassignment

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
IV. To Administrative/Supervisory Personnel (continued)			
By March 15 to employee who may be released/reassigned the following school year	Education Code 44951	AR 4313.2	Notice that employee may be released or reassigned the following school year
V. To Individual Employees Under Special Circumstances			
In the event of a breach of security of district records, to affected employees	Civil Code 1798.21	BP 3580	Types of records affected, date of breach, description of incident, and, as applicable, contact information for credit reporting agencies
Prior to placing derogatory information in personnel file	Education Code 44031	AR 4112.6 4212.6 4312.6	Notice of derogatory information, opportunity to review and comment
To employees who volunteer to administer epinephrine auto-injector	Education Code 49414	AR 5141.21	Defense and indemnification from civil liability by the district
24 hours before Board meets in closed session to hear complaints or charges against employee	Government Code 54957	BB 9321	Employee's right to have complaints/charges heard in open session
When taking disciplinary action against employee for disclosure of confidential information	Government Code 54963	BP 4119.23 4219.23 4319.23	Law prohibiting disclosure of confidential information obtained in closed session
Within one working day of work-related injury or victimization of crime	Labor Code 3553, 5401	BP 4157.1 4257.1 4357.1	Potential eligibility for workers' compensation benefits, claim form
When adverse employment action is based on DOJ criminal history information or subsequent arrest notification	Penal Code 11105, 11105.2	AR 4112.5 4212.5 4312.5	Copy of DOJ notification
To any employee with exposure to blood or other potentially infectious materials, upon initial employment and at least annually thereafter	8 CCR 3204, 5193	AR 4119.42 4219.42 4319.42	The existence, location, and availability of exposure and medical records; person responsible for maintaining and providing access to records; right to access records
To any employee assigned to a work area where hazardous chemicals are present, upon initial assignment and upon new exposure situation	8 CCR 5191	AR 3514.1	Location and availability of chemical hygiene plan, exposure limits, signs and symptoms of exposure, location of reference material

When/Whom to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
V. To Individual Employees Under Special Circumstances (continued)			
To any employee who may be exposed to hazardous substances in the work area, upon initial assignment and when new hazard is introduced into work area	8 CCR 5194	AR 3514.1	Any presence of hazardous substances in the work area, location and availability of hazard communication program, new material safety data sheet, employee rights
To employee eligible for military leave	38 USC 4334	AR 4161.5 4261.5 4361.5	Notice of rights, benefits, and obligations under military leave
Within five days of employee's request for FMLA leave, receipt of supporting information, or district's knowledge that the requested leave may qualify as FMLA leave	29 CFR 825.300	AR 4161.8 4261.8 4361.8	Designation of leave as FMLA or non-FMLA; if not eligible, reason not eligible; requirement to use paid leave; any requirement for fitness-for-duty certification; any subsequent changes in designation notice
Whenever notice of eligibility for FMLA is provided to employee	29 CFR 825.300	AR 4161.8 4261.8 4361.8	Rights and responsibilities re: use of FMLA; consequences of failure to meet obligations

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All Personnel

BP 4119.11(a)

SEXUAL HARASSMENT

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Note: Education Code 231.5 mandates the district to have a written policy on sexual harassment. As part of this mandate, the district also should adopt a sexual harassment policy related to students; see BP/AR 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment.

Generally, courts recognize two types of conduct as constituting sexual harassment. "Quid Pro Quo" ("this for that") sexual harassment is considered to have occurred when a person in a position of authority makes another individual's educational or employment benefits conditional upon that other person's willingness to engage in unwanted sexual behavior (e.g., promising a promotion for sex). "Hostile environment" sexual harassment, on the other hand, is conduct by the perpetrator that is so severe, persistent, or pervasive that it creates a hostile, intimidating, or abusive educational or professional environment for another. Sexual harassment also covers retaliatory behavior against a complainant, witness, or other participant in the complaint process. Pursuant to Government Code 12940 and 2 CCR 11009, as amended by Register 2015, No. 50, interns, volunteers, and job applicants are entitled to the same protection against sexual harassment as applicable to employees.

Sexual harassment ~~may be a violation of~~ is prohibited pursuant to Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC 2000e-2000e-17) and/or Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 (42 USC 2000h-2-2000h-6), as well as the California Fair Employment and Housing Act, Government Code 12900-12996.

~~Government Code 12940 and 34 CFR 106.9 extend protection against sexual harassment to job applicants.~~ In addition, pursuant to Government Code 12940, employers may be held liable for sexual harassment committed against their workers by clients, customers, or other third parties if they knew or should have known of the harassment and failed to take immediate and appropriate corrective action to stop the harassment.

The Governing Board prohibits sexual harassment of district employees ~~and job applicants~~. The Board also prohibits retaliatory behavior or action against district employees or other persons who complain, testify, or otherwise participate in the complaint process established pursuant to this policy and accompanying administrative regulation. This policy shall apply to all district employees and, when applicable, to interns, volunteers, and job applicants.

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

(cf. 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment)

Note: Federal and state courts have provided guidance that may help employers avoid liability or mitigate damages in sexual harassment cases. In Department of Health Services v. Superior Court (McGinnis), the California Supreme Court outlined ways in which measures that may enable employers may be able to reduce damages; including establishing anti-harassment policies, communicating those policies to employees, consistently enforcing their policies, preserving the confidentiality of employees who report harassment, and preventing retaliation against reporting employees. The United States U.S. Supreme Court has held, in Burlington Industries v. Ellerth, that, for certain claims under federal law, an employer may defend against sexual harassment claims by proving that: (1) reasonable care was exercised to prevent and promptly correct any sexually harassing behavior, and (2) the employee (victim) failed to take advantage of the preventive and corrective opportunities provided by the employer.

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SEXUAL HARASSMENT (continued)

Pursuant to Government Code 12950.1, employers with 50 or more employees are required to provide two hours of sexual harassment training to supervisory employees. See the accompanying administrative regulation for timelines and training requirements.

Items #1-4 below reflect the courts' guidance and Government Code 12950.1, and should be modified to reflect district practice.

The Superintendent or designee shall take all actions necessary to ensure the prevention, investigation, and correction of sexual harassment, including but not limited to:

1. Providing training to employees in accordance with law and administrative regulation
2. Publicizing and disseminating the district's sexual harassment policy to staff

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

3. Ensuring prompt, thorough, and fair investigation of complaints
4. Taking timely and appropriate corrective/remedial action(s), which may require interim separation of the complainant and the alleged harasser and subsequent monitoring of developments

All complaints and allegations of sexual harassment shall be kept confidential to the extent necessary to carry out the investigation or to take other subsequent necessary actions. (§ CCR 4964-2 CCR 11023)

Note: ~~Because an employee's (especially a supervisor's) knowledge or notice of sexual harassment may subject the district to liability, it is recommended that the district require its employees with knowledge or notice of sexual harassment to report the harassment to the appropriate authorities. Pursuant to 2 CCR 11034, as amended by Register 2015, No. 50, the district may be liable for sexual harassment committed by a supervisor, coworker, or a third party. In addition, as part of its affirmative duty to prevent sexual harassment, the district is required pursuant to 2 CCR 11023, as amended by Register 2015, No. 50, to instruct supervisors to report complaints.~~

Any district employee ~~or job applicant~~ who feels that he/she has been sexually harassed or who has knowledge of any incident of sexual harassment by or against another employee, ~~a job applicant or a student,~~ shall immediately report the incident to his/her supervisor, the principal, district administrator, or Superintendent.

A supervisor, principal, or other district administrator who receives a harassment complaint shall promptly notify the Superintendent or designee.

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SEXUAL HARASSMENT (continued)

Note: In Faragher v. City of Boca Raton, one of the factors relied on by the U.S. Supreme Court in finding liability for harassment by a supervisor was the failure of the policy to provide an assurance to its employees that harassing supervisors may be bypassed in registering complaints.

Complaints of sexual harassment shall be filed in accordance with AR 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment. An employee may bypass his/her supervisor in filing a complaint where the supervisor is the subject of the complaint.

Any district employee who engages or participates in sexual harassment or who aids, abets, incites, compels, or coerces another to commit sexual harassment against a district employee, job applicant, or student is in violation of this policy and is subject to disciplinary action, up to and including dismissal.

(cf. 4118 - Dismissal/Suspension/Disciplinary Action)

(cf. 4218 - Dismissal/Suspension/Disciplinary Action)

Note: In addition to district sanction against employees who engage in sexual harassment, Government Code 12940 provides that such employees may be held personally liable in a court of law for any damage to the victim(s).

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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SEXUAL HARASSMENT (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

200-262.4 Prohibition of discrimination on the basis of sex

GOVERNMENT CODE

12900-12996 Fair Employment and Housing Act, especially:

12940 Prohibited discrimination

12950.1 Sexual harassment training

LABOR CODE

1101 Political activities of employees

1102.1 Discrimination: sexual orientation

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 2

~~7287.8 Retaliation~~

~~7288.0 Sexual harassment training and education~~

~~11009 Employment discrimination~~

~~11021 Retaliation~~

~~11023 Harassment and discrimination prevention and correction~~

~~11024 Sexual harassment training and education~~

~~11034 Terms, conditions, and privileges of employment~~

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

4900-4965 Nondiscrimination in elementary and secondary education programs receiving state financial assistance

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

2000d-2000d-7 Title VI, Civil Rights Act of 1964

2000e-2000e-17 Title VII, Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended

2000h-2-2000h-6 Title IX, 1972 Education Act Amendments

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34

106.9 Dissemination of policy

COURT DECISIONS

Department of Health Services v. Superior Court of California, (2003) 31 Cal.4th 1026

Faragher v. City of Boca Raton, (1998) 118 S.Ct. 2275

Burlington Industries v. Ellreth, (1998) 118 S.Ct. 2257

Gebser v. Lago Vista Independent School District, (1998) 118 S.Ct. 1989

Oncale v. Sundowner Offshore Serv. Inc., (1998) 118 S.Ct. 998

Meritor Savings Bank, FSB v. Vinson et al., (1986) 447 U.S. 57

Management Resources:

OFFICE OF CIVIL RIGHTS AND NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF ATTORNEYS GENERAL

Protecting Students from Harassment and Hate Crime, January, 1999

WEB SITES

California Department of Fair Employment and Housing: <http://www.dfeh.ca.gov>

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U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights:

<http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/index.html>

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Board Policy

Sexual Harassment

BP 4119.11, 4219.11, 4319.11

Personnel

The Governing Board prohibits sexual harassment of district employees and job applicants. The Board also prohibits retaliatory behavior or action against district employees or other persons who complain, testify or otherwise participate in the complaint process established pursuant to this policy and the administrative regulation.

(cf. 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment)

The Superintendent or designee shall take all actions necessary to ensure the prevention, investigation and correction of sexual harassment, including but not limited to:

1. Providing periodic training to all staff regarding the district's sexual harassment policy, particularly the procedures for filing complaints and employees' duty to use the district's complaint procedures in order to avoid harm.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

2. Publicizing and disseminating the district's sexual harassment policy to staff.

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

3. Ensuring prompt, thorough and fair investigation of complaints.
4. Taking timely and appropriate corrective/remedial actions after completion of investigation. This may require interim separation of the complainant and the alleged harasser, and subsequent monitoring of developments.

Any district employee or job applicant who feels that he/she has been sexually harassed, or who has knowledge of any incident of sexual harassment by or against another employee, a job applicant or a student, shall immediately contact his/her supervisor, the principal, district administrator or Superintendent to obtain procedures for filing a complaint. Complaints of sexual harassment shall be filed in accordance with AR 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment. An employee may bypass his/her supervisor in filing a complaint where the supervisor is the subject of the complaint.

A supervisor, principal or other district administrator who receives a harassment complaint shall promptly notify the Superintendent or designee.

All complaints and allegations of sexual harassment shall be kept confidential to the extent

necessary to carry out the investigation or take other subsequent necessary action. (5 CCR 4964)

Any district employee who engages or participates in sexual harassment, or who aids, abets, incites, compels or coerces another to commit sexual harassment against a district employee, job applicant or student, is in violation of this policy and is subject to disciplinary action, up to and including dismissal.

(cf. 4117.4 - Dismissal)

(cf. 4118 - Suspension/Disciplinary Action)

(cf. 4218 - Dismissal/Suspension/Disciplinary Action)

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CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

All Personnel

AR 4119.11(a)

SEXUAL HARASSMENT

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Note: The following administrative regulation is mandated pursuant to Education Code 231.5 and includes reasonable steps for preventing the occurrence of discrimination and harassment as required pursuant to Government Code 12940 (California Fair Employment and Housing Act). The focus of this administrative regulation is on sexual harassment by and of employees. Pursuant to Government Code 12940 and 2 CCR 11009, as amended by Register 2015, No. 50, interns, volunteers, and job applicants are entitled to the same protection against sexual harassment as applicable to employees.

~~The focus of this administrative regulation is on sexual harassment of employees.~~ For information related to the sexual harassment of involving students, see BP/AR 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment.

This administrative regulation shall apply to all allegations of sexual harassment involving employees, interns, volunteers, and job applicants, but shall not be used to resolve any complaint by or against a student.

Definitions

Note: In *Oncale v. Sundowner Offshore Services, Inc.*, the U.S. Supreme Court held that same-sex sexual harassment could be actionable under Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (42 USC 2000e-2000e-17).

Prohibited sexual harassment includes, but is not limited to, unwelcome sexual advances, unwanted requests for sexual favors, or other unwanted verbal, visual, or physical conduct of a sexual nature made against another person of the same or opposite sex in the work or educational setting when: (Education Code 212.5; Government Code 12940; ~~5 CCR 4916.2~~ **CCR 11034**)

1. Submission to the conduct is made explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of the individual's employment.
2. Submission to or rejection of ~~such the conduct by the individual~~ is used as the basis for an employment decision affecting ~~him/her~~ **the individual**.
- 4.3 Submission to or rejection of the conduct ~~by the other individual~~ is used as the basis for any decision affecting ~~him/her~~ **the individual** regarding benefits, services, honors, programs, or activities available at or through the district.

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 12940, conduct may meet the definition of sexual harassment specified in item #3 below ~~constitutes sexual harassment if it is sufficiently severe, pervasive, or offensive to create a hostile or abusive work environment for the victim~~, regardless of whether or not the alleged harasser is motivated by sexual desire for the victim.

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- ~~3. The conduct has the purpose or effect of having a negative impact upon the individual's work or has the purpose or effect of creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive work environment. Regardless of whether or not the alleged harasser was motivated by sexual desire, the conduct is sufficiently severe, persistent, pervasive, or objectively offensive as to create a hostile or abusive working environment or to limit the individual's ability to participate in or benefit from an education program or activity. Prohibited sexual harassment also includes conduct which, regardless of whether or not it is motivated by sexual desire, is so severe or pervasive as to unreasonably interfere with the victim's work performance or create an intimidating, hostile, or offensive work environment.~~

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 12940, the district may be held liable for sexual harassment committed against employees by clients, customers, or other third parties if the district knew, or should have known, of the harassment and failed to take immediate and appropriate corrective action to stop the harassment. The following paragraph clarifies that sexual harassment may include acts by supervisors, co-workers, or other parties and should be modified to reflect district practice.

~~Other examples of actions that might constitute sexual harassment in the work or educational setting, whether committed by a supervisor, a co-worker, or a non-employee, in the work or educational setting include, but are not limited to:~~

1. Unwelcome verbal conduct such as sexual flirtations or propositions; graphic comments about an individual's body; overly personal conversations or pressure for sexual activity; sexual jokes or stories; unwelcome sexual slurs, epithets, threats, innuendoes, derogatory comments, sexually degrading descriptions, or the spreading of sexual rumors
2. Unwelcome visual conduct such as drawings, pictures, graffiti, or gestures; sexually explicit emails; displaying sexually suggestive objects
3. Unwelcome physical conduct such as massaging, grabbing, fondling, stroking, or brushing the body; touching an individual's body or clothes in a sexual way; cornering, blocking, leaning over, or impeding normal movements

Training

Note: The following ~~optional~~ paragraph is consistent with a district's ~~obligation~~ affirmative duty to protect its employees from sex discrimination, including sexual harassment, pursuant to 2 CCR 11023, as added by Register 2015, No. 50 and may be modified to reflect district practice. Although training is not legally required for all employees, Government Code 12940 requires districts to take reasonable steps to prevent harassment. In addition, since the language of BP/AR 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment requires employees to

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report sexual harassment against students, training such employees to recognize and address sexual harassment and address reports of incidents furthers the district's interest in protecting both employees and students against prohibited conduct. Thus, it is strongly recommended that districts periodically provide sexual harassment training or information to all their employees, especially those who work at school sites.

Provision of periodic training to all district employees could also help foster a positive work environment and mitigate damages against a district in the event of sexual harassment litigation. In Department of Health Services v. Superior Court (McGinnis), the California Supreme Court held that employers that have taken reasonable steps to prevent and correct workplace sexual harassment may be able to reduce damages in the event of a lawsuit. Such steps may include establishing anti-harassment policies and communicating those policies to employees.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that all employees receive training regarding the district's sexual harassment policies when hired and periodically thereafter. ~~Such~~ The training shall include the procedures for reporting and/or filing complaints involving an employee, employees' duty to use the district's complaint procedures, and employee obligations when a sexual harassment report involving a student is made to the employee.

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)
(cf. 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment)
(cf. 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment)

Note: The remainder of this section is for use by districts with 50 or more employees. Although the law does not require districts with fewer than 50 employees to provide sexual harassment training to supervisors, court decisions have held that providing training may help mitigate damages in sexual harassment suits. Additionally, provision of supervisor training may be a factor in determining whether a district has taken reasonable steps to prevent discrimination and harassment pursuant to Government Code 12940.

Government Code 12950.1 requires such districts to provide two hours of sexual harassment training and education once every two years to every supervisory employee, defined as any employee with the authority to take employment action, including hiring, transferring, suspending, and disciplining other employees, or recommend such action if the exercise of that authority is not merely routine or clerical in nature. All newly hired supervisors or employees promoted to a supervisory position must receive the training within six months of their hire or assumption of the supervisory position. Compliance with this law does not insulate the district from any liability for harassment.

Governing Board members, as elected officials, are not usually considered "supervisors"; however, since Board members have the authority to hire, reward, or discipline the Superintendent and other employees, Board members may also be required to receive sexual harassment training. Districts should consult with legal counsel to ensure that the appropriate individuals receive training.

~~Although the law does not require districts with fewer than 50 employees to provide sexual harassment training to supervisors, court decisions have held that providing training may help mitigate damages in sexual harassment suits. Districts with fewer than 50 employees may delete or modify the remainder of this section to reflect district practice.~~

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SEXUAL HARASSMENT (continued)

Every two years, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that supervisory employees receive at least two hours of classroom or other effective interactive training and education regarding sexual harassment. All such newly hired or promoted employees shall receive training within six months of their assumption of the new position. (Government Code 12950.1)

A *supervisory employee* is any employee ~~with~~ having the authority, in the interest of the district, to hire, transfer, suspend, lay off, promote, discharge, assign, reward, or discipline other employees, or the responsibility to direct them, adjust their grievances, or to effectively recommend such action, when the exercise of the authority is not of a merely routine or clerical nature, but requires the use of independent judgment. (Government Code 12926)

(cf. 4300 - Administrative and Supervisory Personnel)

Note: Government Code 12950.1 and 2 CCR ~~11023~~ 11024, as amended and renumbered by Register 2015, No. 50, require that the training for supervisory employees contain specified components and be presented by trainers or educators with knowledge and expertise in the prevention of harassment, discrimination, and retaliation.

The district's sexual harassment training and education program for supervisory employees shall ~~include the provision of~~ be aimed at assisting them in preventing and effectively responding to incidents of sexual harassment, as well as implementing mechanisms to promptly address and correct wrongful behavior. The training shall include, but is not limited to, the following: (Government Code 12950.1; 2 CCR ~~11023~~ 11024)

1. Information and practical guidance regarding federal and state laws on the prohibition, ~~against and the~~ prevention, and correction of sexual harassment, and the remedies available to the victims of sexual harassment victims in employment civil actions, and potential district and/or individual exposure or liability.
2. ~~Practical examples aimed at instructing supervisors in the prevention of harassment, discrimination, and retaliation.~~ The types of conduct that constitute sexual harassment and practical examples which illustrate sexual harassment, discrimination, and retaliation using training modalities such as role plays, case studies, and group discussions, based on factual scenarios taken from case law, news and media accounts, and hypotheticals based on workplace situations and other sources.

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 12950.1, the prevention of abusive conduct must be included as a component of the sexual harassment training for supervisors.

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- ~~3. A component on the prevention of abusive conduct that addresses the use of derogatory remarks, insults, or epithets, other verbal or physical conduct that a reasonable person would find threatening, intimidating, or humiliating, and the gratuitous sabotage or undermining of a person's work performance~~
- 3. A supervisor's obligation to report sexual harassment, discrimination, and retaliation of which he/she becomes aware and what to do if the supervisor himself/herself is personally accused of harassment**
- 4. Strategies for preventing harassment, discrimination, and retaliation and appropriate steps to ensure that remedial measures are taken to correct harassing behavior, including an effective process for investigation of a complaint**
- 5. The essential elements of the district's anti-harassment policy, including the limited confidentiality of the complaint process and resources for victims of unlawful sexual harassment, such as to whom they should report any alleged sexual harassment, and how to use the policy if a harassment complaint is filed**
- 4.6] A copy of the district's sexual harassment policy and administrative regulation, which each participant shall acknowledge in writing that he/she has received**
- ~~3.7] A component on~~ **The definition and prevention of abusive conduct that addresses the use of derogatory remarks, insults, or epithets, other verbal or physical conduct that a reasonable person would find threatening, intimidating, or humiliating, and the gratuitous sabotage or undermining of a person's work performance**
- ~~5. All other contents of mandated training specified in 2 CCR 11023~~

The Superintendent or designee shall retain for at least two years the records of any training provided to supervisory employees. Such records shall include the names of trained employees, date of the training, the type of training, and the name of the training provider. (2 CCR 11023 11024)

Notifications

Note: Education Code 231.5 requires that the district provide copies of its policy on sexual harassment to staff, as specified below. In addition, 2 CCR 110234 requires that supervisory employees undergoing mandatory training receive a copy of the district's policy and acknowledge receipt of the policy; see item #6 in the section "Training" above.

A copy of the Board policy and this administrative regulation shall: (Education Code 231.5)

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SEXUAL HARASSMENT (continued)

1. Be displayed in a prominent location in the main administrative building, district office, or other area of the school where notices of district rules, regulations, procedures, and standards of conduct are posted
2. Be provided to every district employee at the beginning of the first quarter or semester of the school year or whenever a new employee is hired

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

3. Appear in any school or district publication that sets forth the school's or district's comprehensive rules, regulations, procedures, and standards of conduct

Note: Government Code 12950 requires the Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH) to develop posters and information sheets on employment discrimination and the illegality of sexual harassment. These documents are available on DFEH's web site.

All employees shall receive either a copy of information sheets prepared by the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH) or a copy of district information sheets that contain, at a minimum, components on: (Government Code 12950)

1. The illegality of sexual harassment
2. The definition of sexual harassment under applicable state and federal law
3. A description of sexual harassment, with examples
4. The district's complaint process available to the employee
5. The legal remedies and complaint process available through DFEH and the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)
6. Directions on how to contact DFEH and the EEOC
7. The protection against retaliation provided by 2 CCR 11021 for opposing harassment prohibited by law or for filing a complaint with or otherwise participating in an investigation, proceeding, or hearing conducted by DFEH and the EEOC

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SEXUAL HARASSMENT (continued)

In addition, the district shall post, in a prominent and accessible location, DFEH's poster on discrimination in employment and the illegality of sexual harassment. (Government Code 12950)

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Administrative Regulation

Sexual Harassment

AR 4119.11
Personnel

Definitions

Prohibited sexual harassment includes, but is not limited to, unwelcome sexual advances, unwanted requests for sexual favors, or other unwanted verbal, visual, or physical conduct of a sexual nature made against another person of the same or opposite sex in the work or educational setting when: (Education Code 212.5; Government Code 12940; 5 CCR 4916)

1. Submission to the conduct is made explicitly or implicitly a term or condition of the individual's employment.
2. Submission to or rejection of such conduct by the individual is used as the basis for an employment decision affecting him/her.
3. The conduct has the purpose or effect of having a negative impact upon the individual's work or has the purpose or effect of creating an intimidating, hostile, or offensive work environment. Regardless of whether or not the alleged harasser was motivated by sexual desire, the conduct is sufficiently severe, persistent, pervasive, or objectively offensive as to create a hostile or abusive working environment or to limit the individual's ability to participate in or benefit from an education program or activity.
4. Submission to or rejection of the conduct by the other individual is used as the basis for any decision affecting him/her regarding benefits, services, honors, programs, or activities available at or through the district.

Other examples of actions that might constitute sexual harassment, whether committed by a supervisor, a co-worker, or a non-employee, in the work or educational setting include, but are not limited to:

1. Unwelcome verbal conduct such as sexual flirtations or propositions; graphic comments about an individual's body; overly personal conversations or pressure for sexual activity; sexual jokes or stories; unwelcome sexual slurs, epithets, threats, innuendoes, derogatory comments, sexually degrading descriptions, or the spreading of sexual rumors
2. Unwelcome visual conduct such as drawings, pictures, graffiti, or gestures; sexually explicit emails; displaying sexually suggestive objects

3. Unwelcome physical conduct such as massaging, grabbing, fondling, stroking, or brushing the body; touching an individual's body or clothes in a sexual way; cornering, blocking, leaning over, or impeding normal movements

Training

Every two years, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that supervisory employees receive at least two hours of classroom or other effective interactive training and education regarding sexual harassment. All such newly hired or promoted employees shall receive training within six months of their assumption of the new position. (Government Code 12950.1)

A supervisory employee is any employee with the authority to hire, transfer, suspend, lay off, promote, discharge, assign, reward, or discipline other employees, or to effectively recommend such action.

The district's sexual harassment training and education program for supervisory employees shall include the provision of: (Government Code 12950.1; 2 CCR 11023)

1. Information and practical guidance regarding federal and state laws on the prohibition against and the prevention and correction of sexual harassment, and the remedies available to the victims of sexual harassment in employment
2. Practical examples aimed at instructing supervisors in the prevention of harassment, discrimination, and retaliation
3. A component on the prevention of abusive conduct that addresses the use of derogatory remarks, insults, or epithets, other verbal or physical conduct that a reasonable person would find threatening, intimidating, or humiliating, and the gratuitous sabotage or undermining of a person's work performance
4. A copy of the district's sexual harassment policy and administrative regulation, which each participant shall acknowledge in writing that he/she has received
5. All other contents of mandated training specified in 2 CCR 11023

The Superintendent or designee shall retain for at least two years the records of any training provided to supervisory employees. Such records shall include the names of trained employees, date of the training, the type of training, and the name of the training provider. (2 CCR 11023)

Notifications

A copy of the Board policy and this administrative regulation shall: (Education Code 231.5)

1. Be displayed in a prominent location in the main administrative building, district office, or other area of the school where notices of district rules, regulations, procedures, and standards of conduct are posted

2. Be provided to every district employee at the beginning of the first quarter or semester of the school year or whenever a new employee is hired

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

3. Appear in any school or district publication that sets forth the school's or district's comprehensive rules, regulations, procedures, and standards of conduct

All employees shall receive either a copy of information sheets prepared by the California Department of Fair Employment and Housing (DFEH) or a copy of district information sheets that contain, at a minimum, components on: (Government Code 12950)

1. The illegality of sexual harassment
2. The definition of sexual harassment under applicable state and federal law
3. A description of sexual harassment, with examples
4. The district's complaint process available to the employee
5. The legal remedies and complaint process available through DFEH and the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)
6. Directions on how to contact DFEH and the EEOC
7. The protection against retaliation provided by 2 CCR 11021 for opposing harassment prohibited by law or for filing a complaint with or otherwise participating in an investigation, proceeding, or hearing conducted by DFEH and the EEOC

In addition, the district shall post, in a prominent and accessible location, DFEH's poster on discrimination in employment and the illegality of sexual harassment. (Government Code 12950)

CSBA Sample Board Policy

All Personnel

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EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION

Note: Districts that include provisions related to employee compensation in their collective bargaining agreements should modify or delete the following optional policy accordingly.

In order to recruit and retain employees committed to the district's goals for student learning, the Governing Board recognizes the importance of offering a competitive compensation package which includes salaries and health and welfare benefits.

(cf. 3100 - Budget)

(cf. 3400 - Management of Districts Assets/Accounts)

(cf. 4000 - Concepts and Roles)

(cf. 4154/4254/4354 - Health and Welfare Benefits)

Note: Education Code 45023 and 45162 requires the Governing Board to adopt and publish a certificated employee salary schedules for certificated and classified employees, respectively. Pursuant to Education Code 45028, every certificated employee, except persons employed in administrative or supervisory positions, must be classified on the salary schedule on the basis of a uniform allowance for years of training and years of experience. In addition, Education Code 45028 specifies that a certificated employee may not be classified or paid differently solely because of the grade level at which he/she serves. However, Government Code 2543.2 permits the district and exclusive bargaining representative to "mutually agree" to a salary schedule based on criteria other than training and years of experience. For districts operating under a merit system, Education Code 45268 specifies that the personnel commission will recommend a salary schedule for classified employees to the Board for approval and that the Board may not amend the schedule without first giving the commission an opportunity to respond to the amendments.

The Board shall adopt separate salary schedules for certificated, classified, and supervisory and administrative personnel. These schedules shall comply with law and negotiated collective bargaining agreements and shall be printed and made available for review at the district office. (Education Code 45022, 45023, 45160, 45162)

(cf. 4121 - Temporary/Substitute Personnel)

(cf. 4141/4241 - Collective Bargaining Agreement)

(cf. 4143/4243 - Negotiations/Consultation)

Each certificated employee, except an employee in an administrative or supervisory position, shall be classified on the salary schedule on the basis of uniform allowance for years of training and years of experience, unless the Board and employee organization negotiate and mutually agree to a salary schedule based on different criteria. Certificated employees shall not be placed in different classifications on the schedule, nor paid different salaries, solely on the basis of the grade levels at which they teach. (Education Code 45028)

(cf. 4030 - Nondiscrimination in Employment)

EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION (continued)

Salary schedules for staff who are not a part of a bargaining unit shall be determined by the Board at the recommendation of the Superintendent or designee.

(cf. 4140/4240/4340 - Bargaining Units)
(cf. 4312.1 - ~~Contracts~~ Contracts)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 45038, certificated employees may be paid once every two weeks, twice a month, or once every four weeks. The Board may also choose to pay certificated employees, or one or more individual employees, in 10, 11, or 12 equal payments instead of by the school month. Education Code 45039 provides that, if the Board arranges to pay certificated employees in 12 equal payments for the year, it may pay each monthly installment at the end of each calendar month, whether or not the employees are engaged in teaching during the month. Education Code 45165 addresses salary payments for classified employees who are employed 9-11 months per year.

~~Education Code 45038 and 45039 authorize a district to pay employees in either 10, 11, or 12 equal installments. In 2007, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) issued new rules. Pursuant to 26 CFR 1.409A-1, as amended by 72 Fed. Reg. 19234, regarding tax implications for the practice of paying employees who work 10 months per year but are paid over a 12-month period so that they receive a paycheck every month. This is a form of "deferred compensation." If the district allows employees to "elect" whether to receive their paychecks in such a manner, then according to the IRS, such employees must submit written election forms to the district in order to avoid any additional tax on the deferred compensation. If the district requires employees to receive their paychecks in such a manner without offering them an option, then the employees do not need to complete election forms, but the district must develop a written document describing how the employees will be paid, including the dates, schedule, and amounts of payment.~~

~~Education Code 45048 and 45165 specifies when salary payments must be made provide specific timelines for issuing salary payments depending on the frequency of payments. If payments are not made in a timely manner, the district is required to pay the employee interest on the unpaid amount.~~

~~The following paragraph may be revised to reflect the payroll schedule determined by the Board.~~

~~The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the district's payroll system complies with all applicable laws and bargaining agreements, including, but not limited to, timelines regarding payment of compensation and deductions of dues for employee organizations.~~
The Board shall determine the frequency and schedule of salary payments, including whether payments for employees who work less than 12 months per year will be made over the course of the school year or in equal installments over the calendar year. (Education Code 45038, 45039, 45048, 45165)

Note: Pursuant to 29 CFR 516.4, districts are required to post a notice of the minimum wage provisions of the Fair Labor Standards Act (29 USC 201-219) in a conspicuous place at all work sites. The poster that must be used by state and local governments is available on the web site of the U.S. Department of Labor's Wage and Hour Division.

EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION (continued)

The Superintendent or designee shall post a notice explaining the Fair Labor Standards Act's wage and hour provisions in a conspicuous place at each work site. (29 CFR 516.4)

Overtime Compensation

Note: Pursuant to the federal Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) (29 CFR 553.20), employees who are not specifically exempted by law must receive overtime pay at a rate not less than one and one-half times their regular rate of pay for hours worked in excess of 40 hours per work week. Furthermore, state law (Labor Code 510) entitles employees to an overtime pay rate after working eight hours in one day, unless an alternative schedule allowed by law is approved.

Pursuant to 29 CFR 541.0-541.710, employees are exempt from the FLSA overtime rules if they are executive, administrative, or professional staff, as defined, and their salary is at or above the salary level established in 29 CFR 541.600, as amended by 81 Fed. Reg. 32391. This salary level will automatically be updated every three years beginning January 1, 2020 according to the method specified in 29 CFR 541.607. Because the federal salary limit qualifying for exemption is higher than the California salary test, the federal limit prevails.

When calculating the overtime rate of pay, 29 USC 207 requires that all remuneration for employment paid to or on behalf of the employee, with specified exclusions, be considered as part of the employee's regular rate of pay. In *Flóres v. City of San Gabriel*, the appeals court ruled that cash payments made in lieu of benefits must be included in the calculation.

Overtime pay requirements are not applicable to school administrators or teachers in elementary or secondary schools under specific exemptions in 29 USC 213 and 29 CFR 541.303. Pursuant to 29 CFR 541.303 and 541.600, teachers do not need to meet the salary level requirement to be exempt from overtime rules. 29 CFR 541.204 provides that administrators must either meet the salary level requirement or be compensated on a salary basis that is at least equal to the entrance salary for teachers in the administrator's school to be exempt from overtime rules.

A district employee shall be paid an overtime rate of not less than one and one-half times his/her regular rate of pay for any hours worked in excess of eight hours in one day or 40 hours in one work week. However, employees shall be exempt from overtime rules if they are employed as teachers or school administrators or if they qualify as being employed in an executive, administrative, or professional capacity and are paid a fixed salary at or above the salary level established by federal regulations. (Labor Code 510; 29 USC 213; 29 CFR 541.0-541.710, 553.27, 553.32)

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that allow employees to take compensatory time off in lieu of overtime compensation as authorized by 29 USC 207 and 29 CFR 553.20-553.25. Time off in lieu of overtime compensation is allowed only if provided for in a collective bargaining agreement or other agreement and must be provided at the rate of at least one and one-half hours for each hour of overtime work.

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EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION (continued)

Pursuant to 29 CFR 553.21, an employee must be allowed to use earned compensatory time within a "reasonable period" after making the request. 29 CFR 553.25 provides that a "reasonable period" is determined on a case-by-case basis by considering customary work practices such as the normal work schedule, anticipated peak workloads based on past experience, emergency requirements for staff and services, and the availability of qualified substitute staff.

When authorized in a collective bargaining agreement or other agreement between the district and employees, an employee may take compensatory time off in lieu of overtime compensation, provided he/she has not accrued compensatory time in excess of the limits specified in 29 USC 207. An employee who has requested the use of compensatory time shall be allowed to use such time within a reasonable period after making the request if the use of the compensatory time does not unduly disrupt district operations. (29 USC 207; 29 CFR 553.20-553.25)

For each nonexempt employee, the Superintendent or designee shall maintain records on the employee's wages, hours, and other information specified in 29 CFR 516.5-516.6.

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

(cf. 4112.6/4212.6/4312.6 - Personnel Files)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

EMPLOYEE COMPENSATION (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 45022-45061.5 Salaries, especially:
- 45023 Availability of salary schedule
- 45028 Salary schedule for certificated employees
- 45160-45169 Salaries for classified employees
- 45268 Salary schedule for classified service in merit system districts

GOVERNMENT CODE

- 3540-3549 Meeting and negotiating, especially:
- 3543.2 Scope of representation
- 3543.7 Duty to meet and negotiate in good faith

LABOR CODE

- 226 Employee access to payroll records
- 232 Disclosure of wages
- 510 Overtime compensation; length of work day and week; alternative schedules

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 26

- 409A Deferred compensation plans

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 29

- 201-219 Fair Labor Standards Act, especially:
- 203 Definitions
- 207 Overtime
- 213 Exemptions from minimum wage and overtime requirements

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 26

- 1.409A-1 Definitions and covered plans

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 29

- 516.4 Notice of minimum wage and overtime provisions
- 516.5-516.6 Records
- 541.0-541.710 Exemptions for executive, administrative, and professional employees
- 553.1-553.51 Fair Labor Standards Act; applicability to public agencies

COURT DECISIONS

- Flores v. City of San Gabriel, 9th Cir., June 2, 2016, No. 14-56421

Management Resources:

NATIONAL SCHOOL BOARDS ASSOCIATION PUBLICATIONS

- NEA and NSBA Joint Guidance on the Tax Consequences of Deferred Compensation—Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code, January 2008

WEB SITES

- CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>
- Internal Revenue Service: <http://www.irs.gov>
- National School Boards Association: <http://www.nsba.org>
- School Services of California, Inc.: <http://www.sscal.com>
- U.S. Department of Labor, Wage and Hour Division: <https://www.dol.gov/whd>

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Board Policy

Employee Compensation

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Personnel

In order to recruit and retain employees committed to the district's goals for student learning, the Governing Board recognizes the importance of offering a competitive compensation package which includes salaries and health and welfare benefits.

(cf. 3100 - Budget)

(cf. 3400 - Management of Districts Assets/Accounts)

(cf. 4000 - Concepts and Roles)

(cf. 4154/4254/4354 - Health and Welfare Benefits)

The Board shall adopt separate salary schedules for certificated, classified, and supervisory and administrative personnel. These schedules shall comply with law and negotiated agreements and shall be printed and made available for review at the district office.
(Education Code 45023, 45028)

(cf. 4121 - Temporary/Substitute Personnel)

(cf. 4141/4241 - Collective Bargaining Agreement)

(cf. 4143/4243 - Negotiations/Consultation)

Salary schedules for staff who are not a part of a bargaining unit shall be determined by the Board at the recommendation of the Superintendent or designee.

(cf. 4312.1 - Contacts)

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the district's payroll system complies with all applicable laws and bargaining agreements, including, but not limited to, timelines regarding payment of compensation and deductions of dues for employee organizations.

(cf. 4140/4240 - Bargaining Units)

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1.409A-1 Definitions and covered plans

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NATIONAL SCHOOL BOARDS ASSOCIATION PUBLICATIONS

**NEA and NSBA Joint Guidance on the Tax Consequences of Deferred Compensation -
Section 409A of the Internal Revenue Code, January 2008**

WEB SITES

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

Internal Revenue Service: <http://www.irs.gov>

National School Boards Association: <http://www.nsba.org>

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Board Policy

Work-Related Injuries

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Personnel

The Governing Board desires to provide its employees with insurance and workers' compensation benefits in accordance with law. The Superintendent or designee shall develop an efficient claims handling process in order to reduce costs and facilitate employee recovery.

- (cf. 3320 - Claims and Actions Against the District)
- (cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)
- (cf. 4113.4/4213.4/4313.4 - Temporary Modified/Light-Duty Assignment)
- (cf. 4154/4254/4354 - Health and Welfare Benefits)
- (cf. 4157/4257/4357 - Employee Safety)
- (cf. 4157.2/4257.2/4357.2 - Ergonomics)
- (cf. 4161.11/4361.11 - Industrial Accident/Illness Leave)
- (cf. 4261.11 - Industrial Accident/Illness Leave)

An employee shall report any work-related injury or illness to his/her supervisor as soon as practicable. Upon learning of an injury, a supervisor shall promptly report the incident to the Superintendent or designee and the insurance carrier as appropriate.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that every new employee is notified of his/her right to receive workers' compensation if injured at work and that injured employees are given notice of rights in accordance with law.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that notifications regarding workers' compensation are posted in accordance with law.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

44984 Industrial accident and illness leaves, certificated employees

45192 Industrial accident and illness leaves, classified employees

LABOR CODE

3200-4855 Workers' compensation, especially:

3550-3553 Employee notice

3600-3605 Conditions of liability

3760 Report of injury to insurer

4600 Provision of medical and hospital treatment by employer

4906 Disclosures and statements

5400-5413 Notice of injury or death
6409.1 Reports
CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 8
15596 Notice of employee rights

Management Resources:

WEB SITES

California Department of Industrial Relations: <http://www.dir.ca.gov>

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CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

All Personnel

AR 4157.1(a)

4257.1

WORK-RELATED INJURIES

4357.1

~~The Governing Board desires to provide its~~ In order to provide medical benefits, temporary or permanent disability benefits, wage replacement, retraining or skill enhancement, and/or death benefits in the event that an employee becomes injured or ill in the course of employment, the district shall provide all employees with insurance and workers' compensation benefits in accordance with law. The Superintendent or designee shall develop an efficient claims handling process that ~~in order to~~ reduces costs and facilitates employee recovery.

(cf. 3320 - Claims and Actions Against the District)

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

(cf. 4113.4/4213.4/4313.4 - Temporary Modified/Light-Duty Assignment)

(cf. 4154/4254/4354 - Health and Welfare Benefits)

(cf. 4157/4257/4357 - Employee Safety)

(cf. 4157.2/4257.2/4357.2 - Ergonomics)

(cf. 4161.11/4261.11/4361.11 - Industrial Accident/Illness Leave)

~~Note: Pursuant to Labor Code 6409.1, the district must file a report concerning any work related injury within five days of learning of the injury and mail or fax the form to the district's insurer.~~

~~An employee shall report any work related injury or illness to his/her supervisor as soon as practicable. Upon learning of an injury, a supervisor shall promptly report the incident to the Superintendent or designee and the insurance carrier as appropriate. [MOVED DOWN]~~

~~Note: As amended by AB 749 (Ch. 6, Statutes of 2002), Labor Code 3550-3551 requires the district to give employees information about workers' compensation benefits at the time of hire and again once an injury occurs. AB 749 sets forth additional requirements, developed by the state Commission on Health and Safety on Workers' Compensation, to be included on the notice effective January 1, 2003. Most insurance carriers provide a brochure for this purpose or one can be obtained from the state Division of Workers' Compensation.~~

~~Pursuant to Labor Code 5401, the district must give or send by first class mail an employee claim form to an injured employee within one working day of finding out about the on-the-job injury. The insurance carrier will supply the district with forms for this purpose.~~

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that notify every new employee, at the time of hire or by the end of the first pay period, is notified of his/her right to receive workers' compensation benefits if injured at work and that injured employees are given notice of rights in accordance with law. (Labor Code 3551; 8 CCR 15596)

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

AR 4157.1(b)
4257.1
4357.1

WORK-RELATED INJURIES (continued)

Note: Labor Code 3550, 3553 and 8 CCR 15096 require employers to post a notice in a conspicuous place giving employees information on the district's workers' compensation benefits, including information as to where to get medical care for work injuries. Labor Code 3550 provides that failure to post this notice is a misdemeanor and may result in civil penalty. Most insurers provide a sample posting notice.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that notifications regarding workers' compensation are posted in accordance with law. In addition, a notice regarding workers' compensation benefits shall be posted in a conspicuous location frequented by employees, where the notice may be easily read during the workday. (Labor Code 3550)

In the event that an employee is injured or becomes ill in the course of employment, he/she shall report the An employee shall report any work-related injury or illness to his/her supervisor, the Superintendent or designee as soon as practicable.

Within one working day of receiving notice or knowledge of any injury to an employee in the course of employment, the Superintendent or designee shall provide a claim form and notice of potential eligibility for workers' compensation benefits to the employee or, in the case of the employee's death, to his/her dependents. The claim form and notice shall be provided personally or by first class mail. (Labor Code 5401)

The Superintendent or designee shall additionally ensure that any employee who is a victim of a crime that occurred at the place of employment is given written notice personally or by first class mail within one working day of the crime, or when the district reasonably should have known of the crime, that the employee is eligible for workers' compensation benefits for injuries, including psychiatric injuries, that may have resulted from the crime. (Labor Code 3553)

Note: Pursuant to Labor Code 3550, 3551, and 5401, all employee notices described above (i.e., the notice provided to all employees at the time of hire, the notice that must be posted in a conspicuous place, and the notice and claim form provided when an employee is injured) must be in a form prescribed by the California Department of Industrial Relations (DIR), Division of Workers' Compensation (DWC). These notices are available on the DWC's web site or through the district's insurer. For districts that employ Spanish-speaking employees, the information must be made available in English and Spanish.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that all employee notices described above are in the form prescribed by the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR), Division of Workers' Compensation.

WORK-RELATED INJURIES (continued)

Note: Pursuant to Labor Code 6409.1, the district must file a report concerning any work-related injury within five days of learning of the injury and mail or fax the form to the district's insurer injury or illness which has, or is alleged to have, arisen out of and in the course of employment. The report is required to be filed with the DIR or, if the district is insured through a third party insurer, with the insurer. The district should select the option below that corresponds to the manner in which it insures for workers' compensation.

OPTION 1: (Districts insured for workers' compensation through a third party insurer)

Upon learning of an a work-related injury or illness, or injury or illness alleged to have arisen out of and in the course of employment, a supervisor the Superintendent or designee shall promptly report the incident to the Superintendent or designee and the district's insurance carrier within five days after obtaining knowledge of the injury or illness, as appropriate. If a subsequent death arises as a result of the reported injury or illness, an amended report indicating the death must be filed with the insurance carrier within five days after being notified of or learning about the death. (Labor Code 6409.1)

OPTION 2: (Districts insured for workers' compensation through self insurance)

Upon learning of a work related injury or illness, or injury or illness alleged to have arisen out of and in the course of employment, the Superintendent or designee shall report the incident to the DIR within five days after obtaining knowledge of the injury or illness. If a subsequent death arises as a result of the reported injury or illness, an amended report indicating the death must be filed with the DIR within five days after being notified of or learning about the death. (Labor Code 6409.1)

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts that selected either Option 1 or 2 above.

In addition, in every case involving death or serious injury or illness, the Superintendent or designee shall immediately make a report by telephone or email to the Division of Occupational Safety and Health. (Labor Code 6409.1)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

AR 4157.1(d)
4257.1
4357.1

WORK-RELATED INJURIES (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

44984 *Industrial accident and illness leaves, certificated employees*

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5400-5413 *Notice of injury or death*

6409.1 *Reports*

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 8

15596 *Notice of employee rights*

Management Resources:

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS PUBLICATIONS

A Guidebook for Injured Workers; 2016

Notice to Employees – Injuries Caused by Work

Time of Hire Pamphlet

Workers' Compensation Claim Form (DWC 1) & Notice of Potential Eligibility

WEB SITES

California Department of Industrial Relations, Division of Occupational Safety and Health

<http://www.dir.ca.gov/dosh>

California Department of Industrial Relations, Division of Workers Compensation

<http://www.dir.ca.gov/dwc>

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Administrative Regulation

Work-Related Injuries

AR 4157.1 4257.1,4357.1
Personnel

Notifications

The Superintendent or designee shall post a notice of employee rights related to workers' compensation and shall provide this information in writing to new employees. (Labor Code 3550-3551)

This notice shall also include a statement of the district's policy requiring employees to report work-related injuries as soon as practicable.

Employees shall also be informed that pursuant to Labor Code 4906, it is a felony for an employee to make a false workers' compensation claim.

District Responsibilities

Supervisors receiving reports of a work-related employee injury shall gather appropriate information, including but not limited to:

1. The date, time and place of the injury
2. The name, occupation and signature of the injured employee
3. Details of how the injury occurred
4. The names of any witnesses

Supervisors shall promptly remit information about work-related injuries to the Superintendent or designee.

Whenever a work-related injury results in lost work time beyond the date of the injury or requires medical treatment beyond first aid, the employee shall be given a workers' compensation claim form and a notice of potential eligibility for benefits within one working day of the reported injury. (Labor Code 5401) In the case of stress claims, the claim form shall be provided only if the employee indicates that he/she is going to a physician or is unable to work.

Within five working days of obtaining knowledge of any injury which results in lost time beyond the date of the injury or which requires medical treatment beyond first aid, the

Superintendent or designee shall file a complete report of the injury with the district's insurer.
(Labor Code 6409.1)

Employee Responsibilities

Upon receiving treatment for a work-related injury, the employee shall obtain a medical verification of his/her condition, indicating any limitations on the employee's ability to work, the anticipated time needed for recovery from these limitations, and the type of work modification needed.

(cf. 4113.4/4213.4/4313.4 - Temporary Modified/Light-Duty Assignment)

To qualify for workers' compensation, employees must notify their supervisor of a work-related injury within 30 days. (Labor Code 5400)

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Certificated Personnel

AR 4161.1(a)
4361.1

PERSONAL ILLNESS/INJURY LEAVE

Note: The following administrative regulation is subject to collective bargaining. Education Code 44978 provides a minimum of 10 days of personal illness or injury leave (sick leave) per year for certificated employees working five days a week. The Governing Board may allow additional days at its discretion; if it does so, the following paragraph should be revised accordingly.

Labor Code 245-249 (the Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act), ~~as added by AB 1522 (Ch. 317, Statutes of 2014)~~, require districts to grant a minimum of one hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours worked to their employees who work for 30 days within a year of their employment, including temporary and substitute employees. Pursuant to Labor Code 246, ~~as amended by AB 304 (Ch. 67, Statutes of 2015)~~, a district may use a different sick leave accrual method which provides for the accrual to be on a regular basis so that an employee accrues at least 24 hours of sick leave or paid time off by the 120th calendar day of his/her employment or each calendar year or 12-month period. ~~Additional requirements of Labor Code 245-249 include, but are not limited to, display of a poster containing specified information at every workplace, provision of each employee's sick leave balance on his/her wage statements, and maintenance of leave usage documentation for three years.~~

The provisions of Labor Code 245-249 are very broad and only district employees covered by a valid collective bargaining agreement may be exempted from them, if the collective bargaining agreement expressly provides paid sick leave in an amount equal to or exceeding the amount of leave required pursuant to Labor Code 246, includes final and binding arbitration of disputes regarding the application of the paid sick days provisions, and provides premium wage rates for all overtime hours worked and a regular hourly rate of pay of not less than 30 percent more than the state minimum wage rate. Since many districts may not satisfy all the conditions for this exemption, this administrative regulation has been drafted to include the requirements of Labor Code 245-249. Any district whose collective bargaining agreement meets all the conditions for exemption may modify this administrative regulation accordingly.

For additional requirements of Labor Code 245-249, see the section titled "Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act Requirements" below. For paid sick leave for temporary and substitute certificated employees, see BP/AR 4121 - Temporary/Substitute Personnel. For sick leave for classified employees, see AR 4261.1 - Personal Illness/Injury Leave.

Certificated employees employed five school days a ~~per~~ week are entitled to 10 days' leave of absence with full pay for personal illness or injury (sick leave) ¹/₅ per school year of service. Employees who work less than five school days per week (part-time employees) shall be granted sick leave in proportion to the time they work. However, any part-time employee who is entitled to less than three days of paid sick leave ~~per year~~ due to the amount of time worked shall be granted sick leave pursuant to Labor Code 246, if he/she is eligible. (Education Code 44978; Labor Code 245-249)

(cf. 4161/4261/4361 - Leaves)

(cf. 4161.9/4261.9/4361.9 - Catastrophic Leave Program)

Use of Sick Leave

Certificated employees may use sick leave for absences due to:

PERSONAL ILLNESS/INJURY LEAVE (continued)

1. Accident or illness, whether or not the absence arises out of or in the course of employment; quarantine which results from contact with other persons having a contagious disease during the employee's performance of his/her duties; or temporary inability to perform assigned duties because of illness, accident, or quarantine (Education Code 44964)

(cf. 4157.1/4257.1/4357.1 - Work-Related Injuries)

2. Pregnancy, miscarriage, childbirth, and related recovery (Education Code 44965, 44978)

(cf. 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave)

3. Personal necessity (Education Code 44981)

(cf. 4161.2/4261.2/4361.2 - Personal Leaves)

Note: Optional item #4 below may be revised as desired to specify a different minimum increment for sick leave.

4. Medical and dental appointments, in increments of not less than one hour
5. Industrial accidents or illnesses when leave granted specifically for that purpose has been exhausted (Education Code 44984)

(cf. 4161.11/4261.11/4361.11 - Industrial Accident/Illness Leave)

Note: Pursuant to Labor Code 246.5, as added by AB 1522 (Ch. 317, Statutes of 2014), paid sick leave may be used for the purposes specified in item #6 below. Pursuant to Labor Code 233, as amended by SB 579 (Ch. 802, Statutes of 2015), any district that provides sick leave to its employees is required to permit them to use sick leave, in an amount not less than the sick leave that would be accrued during six months at the employee's then current rate of entitlement, for the purposes specified in items #6-7 below.

To attend to the illness of their family members, as specified in item #6 below, family members include, but are not limited to, an employee's grandparent, grandchild, and sibling, not just his/her child, parent, spouse, or domestic partner. In addition, the law defines child as a "biological, adopted, or foster child, stepchild, legal ward, or a child to whom the employee stands in loco parentis." For the purpose of using sick leave to attend to the health care needs of a family member, as specified in item #6 below, Labor Code 245.5 defines "family member" as an employee's spouse, registered domestic partner, child (biological, adopted, or foster child; stepchild; legal ward; or a child to whom the employee stands in loco parentis), parent (biological, adoptive, or foster parent; stepparent; legal guardian of an employee or the employee's spouse or registered domestic partner; or a person who stood in loco parentis when the employee was a minor child), grandparent, grandchild, or sibling.

For more details of AB 1522 requirements, see section "Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act

PERSONAL ILLNESS/INJURY LEAVE (continued)

~~Requirements" below.~~ For additional information about leaves for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking granted in accordance with item #7 below, see AR 4161.2/4261.2/4361.2 - Personal Leaves.

6. ~~In any calendar year, an employee may use the amount of sick leave he/she would accrue during six months at his/her current rate of entitlement for the following: (Labor Code 233, 246.5)~~
- a. Need of the employee or his/her family member, as defined in Labor Code 245.5, for the diagnosis, care, or treatment of an existing health condition or for preventive care **(Labor Code 233, 246.5)**
 - b.7] Need of the employee to seek or obtain any relief or medical attention specified in Labor Code 230(c) and/or 230.1(a) for the health, safety, or welfare of the employee or his/her child, when the employee has been a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking **(Labor Code 233, 246.5)**

~~For the purposes specified in items #6-7, an employee may use, in any calendar year, the amount of sick leave he/she would accrue during six months at his/her current rate of entitlement. (Labor Code 233)~~

An employee may take sick leave at any time during the school year, even if credit for sick leave has not yet been accrued. (Education Code 44978)

Note: The following paragraph is optional.

An employee shall reimburse the district for any unearned sick leave used as of the date of his/her termination.

Unused days of sick leave shall be accumulated from year to year without limitation. (Education Code 44978)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.

At the beginning of each school year, employees shall be notified of the amount of sick leave they have accumulated.

The district shall not require new employees to waive leave accumulated in a previous district. (Education Code 44979, 44980)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 44979-44980, a certificated employee is entitled to have his/her accumulated sick leave transferred with him/her in the circumstances specified in the following optional paragraph.

PERSONAL ILLNESS/INJURY LEAVE (continued)

The Superintendent or designee shall notify any certificated employee who leaves the district after at least one school year of employment that if the employee accepts a certificated position in another district, county office of education, or community college district within one year, he/she may request that the district transfer his/her accumulated sick leave to the new employer. (Education Code 44979, 44980)

Additional Leave for Disabled Military Veterans

Note: Education Code 44978.2, as added by SB 1180 (Ch. 728, Statutes of 2016), provides that an employee hired on or after January 1, 2017, who is a military veteran with a qualifying military service-connected disability (i.e., an injury or disease that occurred during active duty or was made worse by active military service and that has a disability rating by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs of 30 percent or higher) is entitled to additional sick leave with pay for up to 10 days. Such leave may only be taken during the first year of employment for the purpose of undergoing medical treatment, as specified below.

In addition to any other entitlement for sick leave with pay, a newly hired certificated employee who is a military veteran with a military service-connected disability rated at 30 percent or more by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs shall be entitled to sick leave with pay of up to 10 days for the purpose of undergoing medical treatment for his/her military service-connected disability. An eligible employee employed less than five days per week shall be entitled to such leave in proportion to the time he/she works. (Education Code 44978.2)

The amount of leave shall be credited to the employee on the first day of employment and shall remain available for the following 12 months of employment. Leave not used during the 12-month period shall not be carried over and shall be forfeited. (Education Code 44978.2)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 44978.2, the district may require proof that a leave granted under this law is used for treatment of a military service-connected disability. The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.

The Superintendent or designee may require verification, in accordance with the section "Verification Requirements" below, that the employee used the leave to obtain treatment of a military service-connected disability.

Notification of Absence

Note: The following optional section may be revised to reflect district practice.

An employee shall notify the district of his/her need to be absent as soon as such need is known, so that substitute services may be secured. This notification shall include an estimate

PERSONAL ILLNESS/INJURY LEAVE (continued)

of the expected duration of absence. If the absence becomes longer than estimated, the employee shall so notify the district. If the duration of absence becomes shorter than estimated, the employee shall notify the district not later than three o'clock in the afternoon of the day preceding the day on which he/she intends to return to work. If the employee fails to notify the district and the failure results in a substitute being secured, the cost of the substitute shall be deducted from the employee's pay.

(cf. 4121 - Temporary/Substitute Personnel)

Continued Absence After Available Sick Leave Is Exhausted/Differential Pay

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 44977, an employee who is absent for up to five months after exhausting all his/her available sick leave must receive his/her regular salary minus the cost of a substitute. Option 1 below reflects this requirement. However, Education Code 44983 provides that Education Code 44977 does not apply to those districts that adopt a rule that gives certificated employees 50 percent or more of their regular salary during the period of absence. Option 2 below is for use by districts that choose to specify such a level of compensation; these districts are mandated to adopt a rule to this effect.

When an employee is absent for a period of more than five months, or is absent for a cause other than illness, Education Code 44977 and 44983 provide that the amount deducted from his/her salary shall be determined according to the rules and regulations adopted by the Board as long as such rules are not in conflict with State Board of Education regulations. If not covered in the district's negotiated agreement, the district may add provisions in this section reflecting salary deductions for employees absent longer than five months.

OPTION 1:

During each school year, when a certificated employee has exhausted all available sick leave, including all accumulated sick leave, and, due to illness or ~~injury~~ ~~accident~~, continues to be absent from his/her duties for an additional period of up to five school months, the employee shall receive his/her regular salary minus the actual cost of a substitute to fill the position. If the district has made every reasonable effort to secure the services of a substitute and has been unable to do so, the amount that would have been paid to a substitute shall be deducted from the employee's salary. (Education Code 44977)

An employee shall not be provided more than one five-month period per illness or ~~injury~~ ~~accident~~. However, if the school year ends before the five-month period is exhausted, the employee may take the balance of the five-month period in a subsequent school year. (Education Code 44977)

Note: Option 2 below is mandated for use by districts that choose to provide employees at least 50 percent of their regular salary during the period of absence pursuant to Education Code 44983. The following paragraph specifies 50 percent and should be modified by districts that have set a higher percentage.

PERSONAL ILLNESS/INJURY LEAVE (continued)

OPTION 2:

~~After a certificated employee has exhausted all available sick leave, including all accumulated sick leave, and, due to illness or injury/accident, continues to be absent for an additional period of up to five months, he/she shall receive 50 percent of his/her regular salary during the additional period of absence. (Education Code 44983)~~

Absence Beyond Five-Month Period/Reemployment List

Note: The following paragraph is required for districts that select Option 1 (i.e., differential pay) in the section "Continued Absence After Available Sick Leave Is Exhausted/Differential Pay" above and should be carefully considered by districts that select Option 2 (i.e., 50 percent pay). Education Code 44978.1 requires the establishment of a reemployment list for employees who are unable to resume their duties after the five-month period provided pursuant to Education Code 44977. Although Education Code 44978.1 does not explicitly require a reemployment list for districts selecting Option 2, such districts should be aware that failure to establish a reemployment list may subject employees to termination following a five-month absence. Therefore, any district that selects Option 2 and currently maintains a reemployment list for employees who are absent beyond the five-month period or that wishes to establish such a list, should consult legal counsel before changing its policy or practices.

If a certificated employee is not medically able to resume his/her duties after the five-month period provided pursuant to Education Code 44977, the employee shall be placed either in another position or on a reemployment list. Placement on the reemployment list shall be for 24 months for probationary employees or 39 months for permanent employees and shall begin at the expiration of the five-month period. If during this time the employee becomes medically able, he/she shall be returned to employment in a position for which he/she is credentialed and qualified. (Education Code 44978.1)

(cf. 4116 - Probationary/Permanent Status)

Differential Pay for Parental Leave

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts that selected either Option 1 or Option 2, and section is subject to any conflicting provision in a collective bargaining agreement that provides greater parental leave rights entered into before January 1, 2016. Pursuant to Education Code 44977.5, as added by AB 375 (Ch. 400, Statutes of 2015) as amended by AB 2393 (Ch. 883, Statutes of 2016), the district is required to provide differential pay to a certificated employee when he/she has exhausted all available sick leave, including accumulated sick leave, and continues to be absent due to ~~maternity or paternity~~ parental leave for the birth of the employee's child or placement of a child with the employee for adoption or foster care (baby bonding), pursuant to Government Code 12945.2 (California Family Rights Act). Such an employee is entitled to receive differential pay, calculated in the same manner described in Option 1 or 2 in the section "Continued Absence After Available Sick Leave Is Exhausted/Differential Pay" above, for up to 12 work weeks. ~~Among the many questions generated by the new law are whether the 12 weeks differential pay for maternity/paternity leave would be in addition to the five months differential leave pay pursuant to Education Code 44977 (Option 1 above) and whether the law applies to districts that provide their employees at least 50 percent of their regular salary instead of differential pay during such period of~~

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~~absence, as permitted by Education Code 44983 (Option 2 above). The following paragraph reflects CSBA's interpretation of the law. Any district with a question regarding the interpretation to be given to this new law should consult its legal counsel.~~

As amended, Education Code 44977.5 provides that such parental leave will run concurrently with parental leave taken pursuant to Government Code 12945.2. However, unlike leave taken pursuant to Government Code 12945.2, leave taken pursuant to Education Code 44977.5 does not require an employee to have at least 1,250 hours of service with the district during the previous 12-month period in order to be eligible for parental leave. See AR 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave for further information on requirements related to the California Family Rights Act.

~~In addition, d~~During each school year, any certificated employee who has exhausted all available sick leave, including accumulated sick leave, and continues to be absent on account of ~~maternity or paternity,~~ parental leave (baby bonding) pursuant to Government Code 12945.2 shall receive ~~differential pay~~ for up to 12 ~~school-work~~ weeks, ~~his/her regular salary minus the actual cost of a substitute to fill the position or, if no substitute was employed, the amount that would have been paid had a substitute been employed.~~ The 12-week period shall be reduced by any period of sick leave, including accumulated sick leave, taken during a period of such ~~maternity or paternity-parental~~ leave. Such parental leave shall run concurrently with the parental leave taken pursuant to Government Code 12945.2 and the aggregate amount of parental leave shall not exceed 12 work weeks in a 12-month period. Eligibility for parental leave pursuant to Education Code 44977.5 shall not require 1,250 hours of service with the district during the previous 12 months. (Education Code 44977.5)

Verification Requirements

Note: Education Code 44978 mandates the Board to adopt regulations requiring proof of illness or injury and prescribing the means of verification. However, Education Code 44978 provides that these regulations shall not discriminate against evidence of treatment and the need for treatment by the practice of a well-recognized religion. For verification requirements for employees on leave pursuant to the Family and Medical Leave Act, see AR 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave. The following section should be modified to reflect district practice and any procedures which have been specified in negotiated agreements.

~~Previously, Labor Code 233 authorized a district to apply the same conditions and restrictions placed upon its employees' use of sick leave for their own illness to any use of sick leave for illnesses of an employee's family members. Pursuant to Labor Code 233, as amended by SB 579 (Ch. 802, Statutes of 2015), this authorization no longer exists. As amended, Labor Code 233 requires districts to allow their employees to use sick leave for the purposes specified in Labor Code 246.5, the paid sick leave law. Because the paid sick leave law is silent on requests for verification, and actually requires an employer to provide an employee with paid sick days upon oral or written request, districts should be cautious in requiring verification for sick leave used for the purposes specified in Labor Code 246.5 (items #6-7 in the section "Use of Sick Leave"; above). Although a district is permitted to require verification from an employee who is a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking, pursuant to Labor Code 230 and 230.1, a general insistence on verification could be deemed a violation of Labor Code 246.5. Any district with questions regarding its authority related to verification should consult legal counsel.~~

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After any absence due to illness or injury, the employee shall verify the absence by submitting a completed and signed district absence form to his/her immediate supervisor.

The Superintendent or designee may require verification whenever an employee's absence record shows chronic absenteeism or a pattern of absences immediately before or after weekends and/or holidays or whenever available evidence clearly indicates that an absence is not related to illness or injury.

In addition, the Superintendent or designee may require an employee to visit a physician selected by the district, at district expense, in order to receive a report on the medical condition of the employee. The report shall include a statement as to the employee's need for further leave of absence and a prognosis as to when the employee will be able to return to work. If the report concludes that the employee's condition does not warrant continued absence, the Superintendent or designee may, after giving notice to the employee, deny further leave.

Note: 42 USC 2000ff-1, the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act, and its implementing regulations, 29 CFR 1635.1-1635.12, specify that it is unlawful for a district to request, require, or purchase an employee's or his/her family member's individual genetic information except in complying with the medical certification requirements for family care and medical leave purposes or with the employee's prior written authorization. See AR 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave. Pursuant to 29 CFR 1635.9, any such information received by the district must be kept confidential as specified below.

Any district request for additional verification by an employee's physician or a district-selected physician shall be in writing and shall specify that the report to be submitted to the district should not contain the employee's genetic information.

Any genetic information received by the district on behalf of an employee shall be treated as a confidential medical record, maintained in a file separate from the employee's personnel file, and shall not be disclosed except in accordance with 29 CFR 1635.9.

Before returning to work, an employee who has been absent for surgery, hospitalization, or extended medical treatment may be asked to submit a letter from his/her physician stating that he/she is able to return to duty and stipulating any necessary restrictions or limitations.

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

(cf. 4113.4/4213.4/4313.4 - Temporary Modified/Light-Duty Assignment)

Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act Requirements

Note: Pursuant to Labor Code 245-249, as added by AB 1522 (Ch. 317, Statutes of 2014), all employers, including those that provide paid time off to their employees under existing policy or other law, must comply with the requirements specified in the following section. Pursuant to Labor Code 248.5, noncompliance with the Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act could result in enforcement action

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against the employer, including the imposition of civil and monetary penalties. Any district with questions regarding the applicability of this new law should consult its legal counsel.

No employee shall be denied the right to use accrued sick days, and the district shall not in any manner discriminate or retaliate against an employee for using or attempting to use sick leave, filing a complaint with the Labor Commissioner, or alleging district violation of Labor Code 245-249.

To ensure the district's compliance with Labor Code 245-249, the Superintendent or designee shall:

1. At a conspicuous location in each workplace, display a poster on paid sick leave that includes the following information:
 - a. That an employee is entitled to accrue, request, and use paid sick days
 - b. The amount of sick days provided by Labor Code 245-249
 - c. The terms of use of paid sick days
 - d. That discrimination or retaliation against an employee for requesting and/or using sick leave is prohibited by law and that an employee has the right to file a complaint with the Labor Commissioner if the district discriminates or retaliates against him/her
2. Provide at least 24 hours or three days of paid sick leave to each eligible employee to use per year and allow eligible employees to use accrued sick leave upon reasonable request
3. Provide eligible employees written notice, on their pay stub or other document issued with their pay check, of the amount of paid sick leave they have available
(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)
4. Keep a record documenting the hours worked and paid sick days accrued and used by each eligible employee for three years

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 44964 *Power to grant leave of absence in case of illness, accident, or quarantine*
- 44965 *Granting of leaves of absence for pregnancy and childbirth*
- 44976 *Transfer of leave rights when school is transferred to another district*
- 44977 *Salary deduction during absence from duties up to five months after sick leave is exhausted*
- 44977.5 *~~Salary deduction during absence from duties for maternity or paternity; Differential pay during parental leave up to 12 weeks after sick leave is exhausted~~*
- 44978 *Provisions for sick leave of certificated employees*
- 44978.1 *Inability to return to duty; placement in another position or on reemployment list*
- 44978.2 *Leave for military service connected disability*
- 44979 *Transfer of accumulated sick leave to another district*
- 44980 *Transfer of accumulated sick leave to a county office of education*
- 44981 *Leave of absence for personal necessity*
- 44983 *Exception to sick leave when district adopts specific rule*
- 44984 *Industrial accident or illness*
- 44986 *Leave of absence for disability allowance applicant*

LABOR CODE

- 220 *Sections inapplicable to public employees*
- 230 *Jury duty; legal actions by domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking victims, right to time off*
- 230.1 *Employers with 25 or more employees; domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking victims, right to time off*
- 233 *Illness of child, parent, spouse or domestic partner*
- 234 *Absence control policy*
- 245-249 *Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act of 2014*

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

- 5601 *Transfer of accumulated sick leave*

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

- 2000ff-2000ff-11 *Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008*

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 29

- 1635.1-1635.12 *Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008*

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Administrative Regulation

Personal Illness/Injury Leave

AR 4161.1, 4361.1

Certificated Personnel

Certificated employees employed five school days a week are entitled to 10 days' leave of absence with full pay for personal illness or injury (sick leave), per school year of service. Employees who work less than five school days per week (part-time employees) shall be granted sick leave in proportion to the time they work. However, any part-time employee who is entitled to less than three days of paid sick leave due to the amount of time worked shall be granted sick leave pursuant to Labor Code 246, if he/she is eligible. (Education Code 44978; Labor Code 245-249)

(cf. 4161/4261/4361 - Leaves)

(cf. 4161.9/4261.9/4361.9 - Catastrophic Leave Program)

Use of Sick Leave

Certificated employees may use sick leave for absences due to:

1. Accident or illness, whether or not the absence arises out of or in the course of employment; quarantine which results from contact with other persons having a contagious disease during the employee's performance of his/her duties; or temporary inability to perform assigned duties because of illness, accident, or quarantine (Education Code 44964)

(cf. 4157.1/4257.1/4357.1 - Work-Related Injuries)

2. Pregnancy, miscarriage, childbirth, and related recovery (Education Code 44965, 44978)

(cf. 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave)

3. Personal necessity (Education Code 44981)

(cf. 4161.2/4261.2/4361.2 - Personal Leaves)

4. Medical and dental appointments, in increments of not less than one hour

5. Industrial accidents or illnesses when leave granted specifically for that purpose has been exhausted (Education Code 44984)

(cf. 4161.11/4361.11 - Industrial Accident/Illness Leave)

6. In any calendar year, an employee may use the amount of sick leave he/she would accrue during six months at his/her current rate of entitlement for the following: (Labor Code 233, 246.5)
 - a. Need of the employee or his/her family member, as defined in Labor Code 245.5, for the diagnosis, care, or treatment of an existing health condition or for preventive care
 - b. Need of the employee to seek or obtain any relief or medical attention specified in Labor Code 230(c) and/or 230.1(a) for the health, safety, or welfare of the employee, or his/her child, when the employee has been a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking

An employee may take sick leave at any time during the school year, even if credit for sick leave has not yet been accrued. (Education Code 44978)

An employee shall reimburse the district for any unearned sick leave used as of the date of his/her termination.

Unused days of sick leave shall be accumulated from year to year without limitation. (Education Code 44978)

At the beginning of each school year, employees shall be notified of the amount of sick leave they have accumulated.

The district shall not require new employees to waive leave accumulated in a previous district. (Education Code 44979, 44980)

The Superintendent or designee shall notify any certificated employee who leaves the district after at least one school year of employment that if the employee accepts a certificated position in another district, county office of education, or community college district within one year, he/she may request that the district transfer his/her accumulated sick leave to the new employer. (Education Code 44979, 44980)

Notification of Absence

An employee shall notify the district of his/her need to be absent as soon as such need is known, so that substitute services may be secured. This notification shall include an estimate of the expected duration of absence. If the absence becomes longer than estimated, the employee shall so notify the district. If the duration of absence becomes shorter than estimated, the employee shall notify the district not later than three o'clock in the afternoon of the day preceding the day on which he/she intends to return to work. If the employee fails to notify the district and the failure results in a substitute being secured, the cost of the substitute shall be deducted from the employee's pay.

(cf. 4121 - Temporary/Substitute Personnel)

Continued Absence After Available Sick Leave Is Exhausted/Differential Pay

During each school year, when a certificated employee has exhausted all available sick leave, including all accumulated sick leave, and, due to illness or injury, continues to be absent from his/her duties for an additional period up to five school months, the employee shall receive his/her regular salary minus the actual cost of a substitute to fill the position. If the district has made every reasonable effort to secure the services of a substitute and has been unable to do so, the amount that would have been paid to a substitute shall be deducted from the employee's salary.

An employee shall not be provided more than one five-month period per illness or injury. However, if the school year ends before the five-month period is exhausted, the employee may take the balance of the five-month period in a subsequent school year. (Education Code 44977)

In addition, during each school year, any certificated employee who has exhausted all available sick leave, including accumulated sick leave, and continues to be absent on account of maternity or paternity leave (baby bonding) pursuant to Government Code 12945.2 shall receive, for up to 12 school weeks, his/her regular salary minus the actual cost of a substitute to fill the position or, if no substitute was employed, the amount that would have been paid had a substitute been employed. The 12-week period shall be reduced by any period of sick leave, including accumulated sick leave, taken during a period of such maternity or paternity leave. (Education Code 44977.5)

If a certificated employee is not medically able to resume his/her duties after the five-month period provided pursuant to Education Code 44977, the employee shall be placed either in another position or on a reemployment list. Placement on the reemployment list shall be for 24 months for probationary employees or 39 months for permanent employees and shall begin at the expiration of the five-month period. If during this time the employee becomes medically able, he/she shall be returned to employment in a position for which he/she is credentialed and qualified. (Education Code 44978.1)

(cf. 4116 - Probationary/Permanent Status)

Verification Requirements

After any absence due to illness or injury, the employee shall verify the absence by submitting a completed and signed district absence form to his/her immediate supervisor.

The Superintendent or designee may, at any time, require additional written verification by the employee's physician or other authorized health care provider. Such verification shall be required whenever an employee's absence record shows chronic absenteeism or a pattern of absences immediately before or after weekends and/or holidays or whenever available evidence clearly indicates that an absence is not related to illness or injury.

In addition, the Superintendent or designee may require an employee to visit a physician selected by the district, at district expense, in order to receive a report on the medical condition of the employee. The report shall include a statement as to the employee's need for further leave of absence and a prognosis as to when the employee will be able to return to work. If the report concludes that the employee's condition does not warrant continued absence, the Superintendent or designee may, after giving notice to the employee, deny further leave.

Any district request for additional verification by an employee's physician or a district-selected physician shall be in writing and shall specify that the report to be submitted to the district should not contain the employee's genetic information.

Any genetic information received by the district on behalf of an employee shall be treated as a confidential medical record, maintained in a file separate from the employee's personnel file, and shall not be disclosed except in accordance with 29 CFR 1635.9.

Before returning to work, an employee who has been absent for surgery, hospitalization, or extended medical treatment may be asked to submit a letter from his/her physician stating that he/she is able to return to duty and stipulating any necessary restrictions or limitations.

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

(cf. 4113.4/4213.4/4313.4 - Temporary Modified/Light-Duty Assignment)

Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act Requirements

No employee shall be denied the right to use accrued sick days, and the district shall not in any manner discriminate or retaliate against an employee for using or attempting to use sick leave, filing a complaint with the Labor Commissioner, or alleging district violation of Labor Code 245-249.

To ensure the district's compliance with Labor Code 245-249, the Superintendent or designee shall:

1. At a conspicuous location in each workplace, display a poster on paid sick leave that includes the following information:
 - a. That an employee is entitled to accrue, request, and use paid sick days
 - b. The amount of sick days provided by Labor Code 245-249
 - c. The terms of use of paid sick days
 - d. That discrimination or retaliation against an employee for requesting or using sick leave is prohibited by law and an employee has the right to file a complaint with the Labor Commissioner if the district discriminates or retaliates against him/her
2. Provide at least 24 hours or three days of paid sick leave to each eligible employee to use per year and allow eligible employees to use accrued sick leave upon reasonable request
3. Provide eligible employees written notice, on their pay stub or other document issued with their pay check, of the amount of paid sick leave they have available

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

4. Keep a record documenting the hours worked and paid sick days accrued and used by each eligible employee for three years

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 44964 Power to grant leave of absence in case of illness, accident, or quarantine
- 44965 Granting of leaves of absence for pregnancy and childbirth
- 44976 Transfer of leave rights when school is transferred to another district
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- 44984 Industrial accident or illness
- 44986 Leave of absence for disability allowance applicant

LABOR CODE

- 220 Sections inapplicable to public employees
- 230 Jury duty; legal actions by domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking victims, right to time off
- 230.1 Employers with 25 or more employees; domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking victims, right to time off
- 233 Illness of child, parent, spouse or domestic partner
- 234 Absence control policy
- 245-249 Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act of 2014

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

- 5601 Transfer of accumulated sick leave

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- 2000ff-2000ff-11 Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act of 2008

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Classified Personnel

AR 4261.1(a)

PERSONAL ILLNESS/INJURY LEAVE

Note: The following administrative regulation is subject to collective bargaining. Twelve days of paid personal illness or injury leave (sick leave) per year is the minimum prescribed by Education Code 45191 for classified employees employed five days a week in both merit and non-merit system districts. The Governing Board may allow more sick leave at its discretion; if it does so, the following paragraph should be revised accordingly.

Labor Code 245-249 (the Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act), ~~as added by AB 1522 (Ch. 317, Statutes of 2014)~~, require districts to grant a minimum of one hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours worked to their employees who work for 30 days within a year of their employment, including classified employees. Pursuant to Labor Code 246, ~~as amended by AB 304 (Ch. 67, Statutes of 2015)~~, a district may use a different sick leave accrual method which provides for the accrual to be on a regular basis so that an employee accrues at least 24 hours of sick leave or paid time off by the 120th calendar day of his/her employment or each calendar year or 12-month period. ~~Additional requirements of Labor Code 245-249 include, but are not limited to, display of a poster containing specified information at every workplace, provision of each employee's sick leave balance on his/her wage statements, and maintenance of leave usage documentation for three years.~~

The provisions of Labor Code 245-249 are very broad and only district employees covered by a valid collective bargaining agreement may be exempted from them, if the collective bargaining agreement expressly provides paid sick leave in an amount equal to or exceeding the amount of leave required pursuant to Labor Code 246, includes final and binding arbitration of disputes regarding the application of the paid sick days provisions, and provides premium wage rates for all overtime hours worked and a regular hourly rate of pay of not less than 30 percent more than the state minimum wage rate. Since many districts may not satisfy all the conditions for this exemption, this administrative regulation reflects the requirements of Labor Code 245-249. Any district whose collective bargaining agreement meets all the conditions for exemption may modify this administrative regulation accordingly.

~~For additional requirements of Labor Code 245-249, See sections titled "Short-Term and Substitute Employees" and "Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act Requirements" below for more details of AB 1522 requirements.~~ For sick leave for certificated employees, see AR 4161.1/4361.1 - Personal Illness/Injury Leave.

Classified employees employed five days a week are entitled to 12 days' leave of absence with full pay for personal illness or injury (sick leave) per fiscal year. Employees who work less than a full fiscal year or fewer than five days a week (part-time employees) shall be granted sick leave in proportion to the time they work. However, any part-time employee whose work hours are so few as to entitle him/her to less than 24 hours of paid sick leave per fiscal year shall be granted sick leave pursuant to Labor Code 246, if he/she is eligible. (Education Code 45191; Labor Code 245-249)

(cf. 4161/4261/4361 - Leaves)

(cf. 4161.9/4261.9/4361.9 - Catastrophic Leave Program)

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Use of Sick Leave

A classified employee may use sick leave for absences due to:

1. Accident or illness, whether or not the absence arises out of or in the course of employment, or by quarantine which results from contact with other persons having a contagious disease during the employee's performance of his/her duties (Education Code 45199)
2. Pregnancy, childbirth, and recovery (Education Code 45193)

(cf. 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave)

3. Personal necessity as specified in Education Code 45207

(cf. 4161.2/4261.2/4361.2 - Personal Leaves)

Note: Optional item #4 below may be revised to specify a different minimum increment.

4. Medical or dental appointments, in increments of not less than one hour
5. Industrial accident or illness when leave granted specifically for that purpose has been exhausted (Education Code 45192)

(cf. 4161.11/4261.11/4361.11 - Industrial Accident/Illness Leave)

Note: Pursuant to Labor Code 246.5, as added by AB 1522 (Ch. 317, Statutes of 2014), paid sick leave may also be used for the purposes specified in item #6 below. Pursuant to Labor Code 233, as amended by SB 579 (Ch. 802, Statutes of 2015), any district that provides sick leave to its employees is required to permit them to use sick leave, in an amount not less than the sick leave that would be accrued during six months at the employee's then current rate of entitlement, for the purposes specified in items #6-7 below.

To attend to the illness of their family members, as specified in item #6 below, family members include, but are not limited to, an employee's grandparent, grandchild, and sibling, not just his/her child, parent, spouse, or domestic partner. In addition, the law defines child as a "biological, adopted, or foster child, stepchild, legal ward, or a child to whom the employee stands in loco parentis." For the purpose of using sick leave to attend to the health care needs of a family member, as specified in item #6 below, Labor Code 245.5 defines "family member" as an employee's spouse, registered domestic partner, child (biological, adopted, or foster child; stepchild; legal ward; or a child to whom the employee stands in loco parentis), parent (biological, adoptive, or foster parent; stepparent; legal guardian of an employee or the employee's spouse or registered domestic partner; or a person who stood in loco parentis when the employee was a minor child), grandparent, grandchild, or sibling.

For additional information about leaves for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking granted in accordance with item #7 below, see AR 4161.2/4261.2/4361.2 - Personal Leaves.

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~~For more details of AB 1522 requirements, see sections titled "Short-Term and Substitute Employees" and "Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act Requirements" below. For additional information about leaves for victims of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking, see AR 4161.2/4261.2/4361.2. Personal Leaves.~~

6. ~~In any calendar year, an employee may use the amount of sick leave he/she would accrue during six months at his/her current rate of entitlement for the following: (Labor Code 233, 245.5, 246.5) a.~~ Need of the employee or his/her family member, as defined in Labor Code 245.5, for the diagnosis, care, or treatment of an existing health condition or for preventive care ~~(Labor Code 233, 246.5)~~
- b.7] Need of the employee to seek or obtain any relief or medical attention specified in Labor Code 230(c) and 230.1(a) for the health, safety, or welfare of the employee, or his/her child, when the employee has been a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking ~~(Labor Code 233, 246.5)~~

~~For the purposes specified in items #6-7, an employee may use, in any calendar year, the amount of sick leave he/she would accrue during six months at his/her current rate of entitlement. (Labor Code 233)~~

An employee may take leave for personal illness or injury at any time during the year, even if credit for such leave has not yet been accrued. However, a new full-time classified employee shall not be entitled to more than six days of sick leave until he/she has completed six months of active service with the district. (Education Code 45191)

Unused days of sick leave shall be accumulated from year to year without limitation. (Education Code 45191)

Note: The following paragraph is optional.

An employee shall reimburse the district for any unearned sick leave used as of the date of his/her termination.

The district shall not require newly employed classified employees to waive leave accumulated in a previous district. However, if the employee's previous employment was terminated for cause, the transfer of the accumulated leave shall be made only if approved by the Governing Board. (Education Code 45202)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 45202, a classified employee who is terminated after at least one year of employment for any reason unrelated to discipline is entitled to have his/her accumulated sick leave transferred with him/her in certain circumstances. The following paragraph, which provides for the notification of employees as a way to implement this provision, is optional and may be revised to reflect district practice.

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The Superintendent or designee shall notify any classified employee whose employment with the district is terminated after at least one calendar year for reasons other than for cause that, if he/she accepts employment in another district, county office of education, or community college district within one year of the termination of employment, he/she shall be entitled to request that the district transfer his/her accumulated sick leave to his/her new employer. (Education Code 45202)

Additional Leave for Disabled Military Veterans

Note: Education Code 45191.5, as added by SB 1180 (Ch. 728, Statutes of 2016), provides that an employee hired on or after January 1, 2017, who is a military veteran with a qualifying military service-connected disability (i.e., an injury or disease that occurred during active duty or was made worse by active military service and that has a disability rating by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs of 30 percent or higher) is entitled to additional sick leave with pay for up to 12 days. Such leave may only be taken during the first year of employment for the purpose of undergoing medical treatment, as specified below.

In addition to any other entitlement for sick leave with pay, a newly hired classified employee who is a military veteran with a military service-connected disability rated at 30 percent or higher by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs shall be entitled to sick leave with pay of up to 12 days for the purpose of undergoing medical treatment for his/her military service-connected disability. An eligible employee employed less than five days per week shall be entitled to such leave in proportion to the time he/she works. (Education Code 45191.5)

The amount of leave shall be credited to the employee on the first day of employment and shall remain available for the following 12 months of employment. Leave not used during the 12-month period shall not be carried over and shall be forfeited. (Education Code 45191.5)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 45191.5, the district may require proof that a leave granted under this law is used for treatment of a military service-connected disability. The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.

The Superintendent or designee may require verification, in accordance with the section "Verification Requirements" below, that the employee used the leave to obtain treatment of a military service-connected disability.

Notification of Absence

Note: The following optional section may be revised to reflect district practice.

An employee shall notify the Superintendent or the designated manager or supervisor of his/her need to be absent as soon as such need is known so that the services of a substitute

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may be secured as necessary. This notification shall include an estimate of the expected duration of absence. If the absence becomes longer than estimated, the employee shall so notify the district. If the duration of absence becomes shorter than estimated, the employee shall notify the district not later than three o'clock in the afternoon of the day preceding the day on which he/she intends to return to work. If the employee fails to notify the district and the failure results in a substitute being secured, the cost of the substitute shall be deducted from the employee's pay.

Continued Absence After Available Sick Leave Is Exhausted/Differential Pay

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 45196, a district is authorized to pay any employee who has exhausted his/her paid leaves his/her salary minus the actual pay received by a substitute for the remainder of a five-month absence to which the employee is entitled (Option 1 below). Alternatively, such an employee may be compensated at 50 percent or more of his/her salary for up to 100 working days, regardless of whether or not a substitute is hired (Option 2 below).

Districts that maintain a catastrophic leave program for their classified employees should specify how the program will affect the differential leave pay to which the employee may be entitled.

OPTION 1:

~~Note: In 53 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 111 (1970), the Attorney General clarified that a classified employee is entitled to a total period of five months, commencing with the first day of illness, during which the amount deducted from his/her salary may not exceed the sum which is actually paid a substitute. This five-month period runs concurrently with any other paid leave. After the employee has exhausted all paid leaves, he/she is entitled to differential pay for the balance of the five-month period.~~

~~In California School Employees Association v. Tustin Unified School District, the court ruled that a district could deduct from the absent employee's salary only the cost of an outside substitute employee, not the cost of existing classified employee(s) working additional hours to fill the position during the absence.~~

~~Pursuant to Education Code 45196, the amount paid to a substitute must be less than the absent employee's salary unless the Board has adopted a salary schedule for substitutes.~~

~~A classified employee who has exhausted all paid leaves, including sick leave, shall for the remainder of the five-month period of absence to which he/she is entitled, receive his/her salary minus the actual amount paid a substitute to fill the employee's position during his/her absence. (Education Code 45196)~~

~~The five-month period shall commence on the first day of the leave of absence and shall run concurrently with any other paid leave.~~

OPTION 2:

Note: Education Code 45196 authorizes, but does not require, a district to annually credit regular classified

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employees with at least 100 working days of paid sick leave, and to compensate any such employee at 50 percent or more of the employee's regular salary for the remainder of the 100 working days after the employee has exhausted all leaves for which he/she would be entitled to a full salary. Any district that chooses this option is mandated to adopt a rule to that effect. Such districts should note that this option is exclusive of other paid leave, holidays, or vacation. In California School Employees Association v. Colton Joint Unified School District, the court ruled that the district's practice of coordinating or combining vacation with the 100 days differential leave contradicts the express provision of Education Code 45196.

The following paragraph may be revised to specify more than 100 working days and/or the level of compensation the district will pay an employee, if it chooses to pay more than 50 percent of the employee's salary.

Each year, each regular classified employee shall be credited with no fewer than 100 working days of paid leave for personal illness or ~~injury~~ ~~accident~~, including current year and accumulated days of leave. When the current year and accumulated days at full pay are exhausted, the remainder of the 100 days shall be compensated at 50 percent of the employee's regular salary. Any of the 100 days of leave not used during the year in which they are credited shall be forfeited and shall not accumulate from year to year. This paid leave shall be exclusive of any other paid leave, holidays, vacation, or compensatory time to which the employee may be entitled. (Education Code 45196)

Differential Pay for Parental Leave

Note: The following section is subject to any conflicting provision in a collective bargaining agreement that provides greater parental leave rights. Pursuant to Education Code 45196.1, as added by AB 2393 (Ch. 883, Statutes of 2016), the district is required to provide differential pay to a classified employee when he/she has exhausted all available sick leave, including accumulated sick leave, and continues to be absent due to parental leave for the birth of the employee's child or placement of a child with the employee for adoption or foster care (baby bonding), pursuant to Government Code 12945.2 (California Family Rights Act). Such an employee is entitled to receive differential pay, calculated in the same manner described in Option 1 or 2 in the section "Continued Absence After Available Sick Leave Is Exhausted/Differential Pay" above, for up to 12 work weeks.

Education Code 45196.1 provides that such parental leave will run concurrently with parental leave taken pursuant to Government Code 12945.2. However, unlike leave taken pursuant to Government Code 12945.2, leave taken pursuant to Education Code 45196.1 does not require an employee to have at least 1,250 hours of service with the district during the previous 12-month period in order to be eligible for parental leave. See AR 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave for further information on requirements related to the California Family Rights Act.

During each school year, any classified employee who has exhausted all available sick leave, including accumulated sick leave, and continues to be absent on account of parental leave (baby bonding) pursuant to Government Code 12945.2 shall receive differential pay for up to 12 work weeks. The 12-week period shall be reduced by any period of sick leave, including accumulated sick leave, taken during a period of such parental leave. Such parental leave shall run concurrently with the parental leave

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taken pursuant to Government Code 12945.2 and the aggregate amount of parental leave shall not exceed 12 work weeks in a 12-month period. Eligibility for parental leave pursuant to Education Code 45196.1 shall not require 1,250 hours of service with the district during the previous 12 months. (Education Code 45196.1)

Extension of Leave

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 45195, the following extension of leave may be either paid or unpaid, and the Board may grant full pay for the full 18 months' allowable absence, if desired.

A permanent employee who is absent because of a personal illness or injury and who has exhausted all available sick leave, vacation, compensatory overtime, and any other paid leave shall be so notified, in writing, and offered an opportunity to request additional leave. The Board may grant the employee additional leave, paid or unpaid, for a period not to exceed six months and may renew this leave for two additional six-month periods or for lesser periods. The total additional leave granted shall not exceed 18 months. (Education Code 45195)

(cf. 4216 - Probationary/Permanent Status)

If the employee is still unable to resume his/her duties after all available paid and unpaid leaves have been exhausted, the employee shall be placed on a reemployment list for a period of 39 months. If during this time the employee becomes able to resume the duties of his/her position, he/she shall be offered reemployment in the first vacancy in the classification of his/her previous assignment. During the 39 months, the employee's reemployment shall take preference over all other applicants except those laid off for lack of work or lack of funds, in which case the employee shall be ranked according to his/her seniority. (Education Code 45195)

Verification Requirements

Note: Education Code 45191 mandates the Board to adopt regulations that require proof of illness or injury and prescribe the means of verification. However, Education Code 45191 provides that these regulations shall not discriminate against evidence of treatment and the need for treatment by the practice of a well-recognized religion. The following section should be modified to reflect district practice and any procedures that have been specified in negotiated agreements.

~~Previously, Labor Code 233 authorized a district to apply the same conditions and restrictions placed upon its employees' use of sick leave for their own illness to any use of sick leave for illnesses of an employee's family members. Pursuant to Labor Code 233, as amended by SB 579 (Ch. 802, Statutes of 2015), this authorization no longer exists. As amended, Labor Code 233 requires districts to allow their employees to use sick leave for the purposes specified in Labor Code 246.5, the paid sick leave law. Because the paid sick leave law is silent on requests for verification, and actually requires an employer to provide an employee with paid sick days upon oral or written request, districts should be cautious in requiring verification for sick leave used for the purposes specified in Labor Code 246.5 (items #6-7 in the section "Use of Sick Leave" above). Although a district is permitted to require verification from an employee who~~

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is a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking, pursuant to Labor Code 230 and 230.1, a general insistence on verification could be deemed a violation of Labor Code 246.5. Any district with questions regarding its authority related to verification should consult legal counsel.

After any absence due to illness or injury, the employee shall submit a completed and signed district absence form to his/her immediate supervisor.

The Superintendent or designee may require verification whenever an employee's absence record shows chronic absenteeism or a pattern of absences immediately before or after weekends and/or holidays or whenever available evidence clearly indicates that an absence is not related to illness or injury.

In addition, the Superintendent or designee may require an employee to visit a physician selected by the district, at district expense, in order to receive a report on the medical condition of the employee. The report shall include a statement as to the employee's need for additional leave of absence and a prognosis as to when the employee will be able to return to work. If the report concludes that the employee's condition does not warrant continued absence, the Superintendent or designee may, after giving notice to the employee, deny the request for additional leave.

Note: 42 USC 2000ff-1, the Genetic Information Nondiscrimination Act, and its implementing regulations, 29 CFR 1635.1-1635.12, specify that it is unlawful for a district to request, require, or purchase an employee's or his/her family member's individual genetic information except in complying with the medical certification requirements for family care and medical leave purposes or with the employee's prior written authorization. See AR 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave. Pursuant to 29 CFR 1635.9, any such information received by the district must be kept confidential as specified below.

Any district request for additional verification by an employee's physician or a district-selected physician shall be in writing and shall specify that the report to be submitted to the district should not contain the employee's genetic information.

Any genetic information received by the district on behalf of an employee shall be treated as a confidential medical record, maintained in a file separate from the employee's personnel file, and shall not be disclosed except in accordance with 29 CFR 1635.9.

Before returning to work, an employee who has been absent for surgery, hospitalization, or extended medical treatment may be asked to submit a letter from his/her physician stating that he/she is able to return to work and stipulating any recommended restrictions or limitations.

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

(cf. 4113.4/4213.4/4313.4 - Temporary Modified/Light-Duty Assignment)

PERSONAL ILLNESS/INJURY LEAVE (continued)**Short-Term and Substitute Employees**

Note: Pursuant to Labor Code 245-249, as added by AB 1522 (Ch. 317, Statutes of 2014), the district is required to grant a minimum of one hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours worked by an employee who works for 30 days within a year of his/her employment. In implementing this requirement, Labor Code 246, as amended by AB 304 (Ch. 67, Statutes of 2015), permits the district to use any of the options specified below. Option 1 provides for paid leave accrual based on one hour for every 30 hours worked. Option 2 allows an accrual method that provides for a regular accrual basis and ensures that the employee receives 24 hours of paid sick leave by the 120th calendar day of his/her employment. Option 3 is for any district that credits employees with 24 hours of paid sick leave at the beginning of each year and does not allow unused sick leave to carry over to the next year. In addition, pursuant to Labor Code 245.5, as amended by AB 304, retired annuitants who have not reinstated to the applicable public retirement system are excluded from participation in these leave benefit provisions. The district should select the option below which corresponds to its approach under Labor Code 246.

See section below titled "Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act Requirements" for additional details of AB 1522 requirements.

OPTION 1:

Except for a retired annuitant who is not reinstated to the retirement system, any short-term or substitute employee who works for 30 or more days within a year of his/her employment shall be entitled to one hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours worked. Accrued paid sick days shall carry over to the following year of employment, up to a maximum of 48 hours. (Labor Code 246)

OPTION 2:

~~Except for a retired annuitant who is not reinstated to the retirement system, any short-term or substitute employee who works for 30 or more days within a year of his/her employment shall accrue, on a regular basis, paid sick leave of up to 24 hours by the 120th calendar day of his/her employment or each calendar year or 12-month period. Accrued paid sick days shall carry over to the following year of employment, up to a maximum of 48 hours. (Labor Code 246)~~

OPTION 3:

~~Except for a retired annuitant who is not reinstated to the retirement system, any short-term or substitute employee who works for 30 or more days within a year of his/her employment shall be credited with 24 hours of paid sick leave for that year. Unused sick leave shall not carry over to the following year of employment. (Labor Code 246)~~

Note: The following paragraph applies to all the above options.

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Any short-term or substitute employee may begin to use accrued paid sick days on the 90th day of his/her employment, after which he/she may use the sick days as they are accrued. (Labor Code 246)

Note: The following paragraph applies to all of the above options and reflects the intent of the Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act to enable California workers to address their own and their family's health needs and to provide them with economic security when they need to take time off work for reasons of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. The following paragraph may be revised to include additional reasons for which short-term or substitute employees may use sick leave, pursuant to district policy or practice. Pursuant to Labor Code 247.5, ~~as amended by AB 304 (Ch. 67, Statutes of 2015)~~, a district is not required to inquire into the purposes for which an employee uses paid leave.

A short-term or substitute employee may use accrued sick leave for absences due to: (Labor Code 246.5)

1. His/her own need or the need of a family member, as defined in Labor Code 245.5, for the diagnosis, care, or treatment of an existing health condition or for preventive care
2. Need of the employee to obtain or seek any relief or medical attention specified in Labor Code 230(c) and 230.1(a) for the health, safety, or welfare of the employee, or his/her child, when the employee has been a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking

Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act Requirements

Note: Pursuant to Labor Code 245-249, ~~as added by AB 1522 (Ch. 317, Statutes of 2014)~~, all employers, including those that provide paid time off to their employees under existing policy or other law, must comply with the requirements specified in the following section. Pursuant to Labor Code 248.5, noncompliance with the Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act could result in enforcement action against the employer, including the imposition of civil and monetary penalties. Any district with questions regarding the applicability of this new law should consult its legal counsel.

No employee, including a short-term or substitute employee, shall be denied the right to use accrued sick days and the district shall not in any manner discriminate or retaliate against an employee for using or attempting to use sick leave, filing a complaint with the Labor Commissioner, or alleging district violation of Labor Code 245-249.

To ensure the district's compliance with Labor Code 245-249, the Superintendent or designee shall:

1. At a conspicuous location in each workplace, display a poster on paid sick leave that includes the following information:

a. That an employee is entitled to accrue, request, and use paid sick days

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- b. The amount of sick days provided by Labor Code 245-249
 - c. The terms of use of paid sick days
 - d. That discrimination or retaliation against an employee for requesting **and/or** using sick leave is prohibited by law and **that** an employee has the right to file a complaint with the Labor Commissioner if the district discriminates or retaliates against him/her
2. Provide at least 24 hours or three days of paid sick leave to each eligible employee to use per year and allow eligible employees to use accrued sick leave upon reasonable request
 3. Provide eligible employees written notice, on their pay stub or other document issued with their pay check, of the amount of paid sick leave they have available
- (cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)*
4. Keep a record documenting the hours worked and paid sick days accrued and used by each eligible employee for three years

Legal Reference: (see next page)

PERSONAL ILLNESS/INJURY LEAVE (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

45103 Substitute employees

45190 Leaves of absence and vacations

45191 Leaves of absence for illness and injury

45191.5 Leave for military service connected disability

45193 Leave of absence for pregnancy (re use of sick leave under certain circumstances)

45195 Additional leave for nonindustrial accident or illness; reemployment preference

45196 Salary; deductions during sick leave

45196.1 Differential pay during parental leave up to 12 weeks after sick leave is exhausted

45202 Transfer of accumulated sick leave and other benefits

LABOR CODE

230 Jury duty; legal actions by domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking victims, right to time off

230.1 Employers with 25 or more employees; domestic violence, sexual assault and stalking victims, right to time off

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Personal Illness/Injury Leave

AR 4261.1

Classified Personnel

Classified employees employed five days a week are entitled to 12 days leave of absence with full pay for personal illness or injury (sick leave) per fiscal year. Employees who work less than a full fiscal year or fewer than five days a week (part-time employees) shall be granted sick leave in proportion to the time they work. However, any part-time employee whose work hours are so few as to entitle him/her to less than 24 hours of paid sick leave per fiscal year shall be granted sick leave pursuant to Labor Code 246, if he/she is eligible. (Education Code 45191; Labor Code 245-249)

(cf. 4161/4261/4361 - Leaves)

Use of Sick Leave

A classified employee may use sick leave for absences due to:

1. Accident or illness, whether or not the absence arises out of or in the course of employment, or by quarantine which results from contact with other persons having a contagious disease during the employee's performance of his/her duties (Education Code 45199)

2. Pregnancy, childbirth, and recovery (Education Code 45193)

(cf. 4161.8/4261.8/4361.8 - Family Care and Medical Leave)

3. Personal necessity as specified in Education Code 45207

(cf. 4161.2/4261.2/4361.2 - Personal Leaves)

4. Medical or dental appointments, in increments of not less than one hour

5. Industrial accident or illness when leave granted specifically for that purpose has been exhausted (Education Code 45192)

(cf. 4261.11 - Industrial Accident/Illness Leave)

6. In any calendar year, an employee may use the amount of sick leave he/she would accrue during six months at his/her current rate of entitlement for the following: (Labor Code 233, 245.5, 246.5)

a. Need of the employee or his/her family member, as defined in Labor Code 245.5, for the diagnosis, care, or treatment of an existing health condition or for preventive care

- b. Need of the employee to seek or obtain any relief or medical attention specified in Labor Code 230(c) and 230.1(a) for the health, safety, or welfare of the employee, or his/her child, when the employee has been a victim of domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking

An employee may take leave for personal illness or injury at any time during the year, even if credit for such leave has not yet been accrued. However, a new full-time classified employee shall not be entitled to more than six days of sick leave until he/she has completed six months of active service with the district. (Education Code 45191)

Unused days of sick leave shall be accumulated from year to year without limitation. (Education Code 45191)

An employee shall reimburse the district for any unearned sick leave used as of the date of his/her termination.

The district shall not require newly employed classified employees to waive leave accumulated in a previous district. However, if the employee's previous employment was terminated for cause, the transfer of the accumulated leave shall be made only if approved by the Governing Board. (Education Code 45202)

The Superintendent or designee shall notify any classified employee whose employment with the district is terminated after at least one calendar year for reasons other than for cause that, if he/she accepts employment in another district, county office of education, or community college district within one year of the termination of employment, he/she shall be entitled to request that the district transfer his/her accumulated sick leave to his/her new employer. (Education Code 45202)

Notification of Absence

An employee shall notify the Superintendent or the designated manager or supervisor of his/her need to be absent as soon as such need is known so that the services of a substitute may be secured as necessary. This notification shall include an estimate of the expected duration of absence. If the absence becomes longer than estimated, the employee shall so notify the district. If the duration of absence becomes shorter than estimated, the employee shall notify the district not later than three o'clock in the afternoon of the day preceding the day on which he/she intends to return to work. If the employee fails to notify the district and the failure results in a substitute being secured, the cost of the substitute shall be deducted from the employee's pay.

Continued Absence After Available Sick Leave Is Exhausted/Differential Pay

Each year, each regular classified employee shall be credited with no fewer than 100 working days of paid leave for personal illness or injury, including current year and accumulated days of leave. When the current year and accumulated days at full pay are exhausted, the remainder of the 100 days shall be compensated at 50 percent of the employee's regular salary. Any of the 100 days of leave not used during the year in which they are credited shall be forfeited and shall not accumulate from year to year. This paid leave shall be exclusive of

any other paid leave, holidays, vacation, or compensatory time to which the employee may be entitled. (Education Code 45196)

Extension of Leave

A permanent employee who is absent because of a personal illness or injury and who has exhausted all available sick leave, vacation, compensatory overtime, and any other paid leave shall be so notified, in writing, and offered an opportunity to request additional leave. The Board may grant the employee additional leave, paid or unpaid, for a period not to exceed six months and may renew this leave for two additional six-month periods or for lesser periods. The total additional leave granted shall not exceed 18 months. (Education Code 45195)

(cf. 4216 - Probationary/Permanent Status)

If the employee is still unable to resume his/her duties after all available paid and unpaid leaves have been exhausted, the employee shall be placed on a reemployment list for a period of 39 months. If during this time the employee becomes able to resume the duties of his/her position, he/she shall be offered reemployment in the first vacancy in the classification of his/her previous assignment. During the 39 months, the employee's reemployment shall take preference over all other applicants except those laid off for lack of work or lack of funds, in which case the employee shall be ranked according to his/her seniority. (Education Code 45195)

Verification Requirements

After any absence due to illness or injury, the employee shall submit a completed and signed district absence form to his/her immediate supervisor.

The Superintendent or designee may, at any time, require additional written verification by the employee's physician or medical practitioner. Such verification shall be required whenever an employee's absence record shows chronic absenteeism or a pattern of absences immediately before or after weekends and/or holidays or whenever available evidence clearly indicates that an absence is not related to illness or injury.

In addition, the Superintendent or designee may require an employee to visit a physician selected by the district, at district expense, in order to receive a report on the medical condition of the employee. The report shall include a statement as to the employee's need for additional leave of absence and a prognosis as to when the employee will be able to return to work. If the report concludes that the employee's condition does not warrant continued absence, the Superintendent or designee may, after giving notice to the employee, deny the request for additional leave.

Any district request for additional verification by an employee's physician or a district-selected physician shall be in writing and shall specify that the report to be submitted to the district should not contain the employee's genetic information.

Any genetic information received by the district on behalf of an employee shall be treated as a confidential medical record, maintained in a file separate from the employee's personnel file, and shall not be disclosed except in accordance with 29 CFR 1635.9.

Before returning to work, an employee who has been absent for surgery, hospitalization, or extended medical treatment may be asked to submit a letter from his/her physician stating that he/she is able to return to work and stipulating any recommended restrictions or limitations.

(cf. 4032 - Reasonable Accommodation)

(cf. 4113.4/4213.4/4313.4 - Temporary Modified/Light-Duty Assignment)

Healthy Workplaces, Healthy Families Act Requirements

No employee, including a short-term or substitute employee, shall be denied the right to use accrued sick days and the district shall not in any manner discriminate or retaliate against an employee for using or attempting to use sick leave, filing a complaint with the Labor Commissioner, or alleging district violation of Labor Code 245-249.

To ensure the district's compliance with Labor Code 245-249, the Superintendent or designee shall:

1. At a conspicuous location in each workplace, display a poster on paid sick leave that includes the following information:
 - a. That an employee is entitled to accrue, request, and use paid sick days
 - b. The amount of sick days provided by Labor Code 245-249
 - c. The terms of use of paid sick days
 - d. That discrimination or retaliation against an employee for requesting or using sick leave is prohibited by law and an employee has the right to file a complaint with the Labor Commissioner if the district discriminates or retaliates against him/her
 2. Provide at least 24 hours or three days of paid sick leave to each eligible employee to use per year and allow eligible employees to use accrued sick leave upon reasonable request
 3. Provide eligible employees written notice, on their pay stub or other document issued with their pay check, of the amount of paid sick leave they have available
- (cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)*
4. Keep a record documenting the hours worked and paid sick days accrued and used by each eligible employee for three years

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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BP 5030(a)

STUDENT WELLNESS

Note: The Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 (42 USC 1758b) mandates each district participating in the National School Lunch Program (42 USC 1751-1769) or any program in the Child Nutrition Act of 1966 (42 USC 1771-1794), including the School Breakfast Program, to adopt a districtwide school wellness policy. The following policy fulfills this mandate and should be revised to reflect district practice. Other policies in the district's policy manual will likely contain additional provisions supporting this wellness policy, such as BP 3312 - Contracts, BP/AR 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program, BP/AR 3552 - Summer Meal Program, BP/AR 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals, BP/AR 3554 - Other Food Sales, BP/AR 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity, and BP/AR 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education.

Although the Governing Board has discretion under 42 USC 1758b to determine specific policies appropriate for its schools, ~~the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) is required to develop regulations 7 CFR 210.30, as added by 81 Fed. Reg. 50151, that provides a framework and guidelines to assist districts in establishing their student wellness policies, including minimum content requirements, assurance of stakeholder participation in the development and updates, and periodic assessment and disclosure of compliance with the district's wellness policy, and to provide technical assistance through the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).~~ Currently, ~~The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)~~ provide resources and implementation tools on their web sites. In addition, CSBA's Student Wellness: A Healthy Food and Physical Activity Policy Resource Guide summarizes research on the relationship between nutrition and physical activity and student achievement, provides worksheets for policy development, and contains other resources that may be useful in the development of the wellness policy.

The following paragraph links student wellness with the components of a coordinated school health approach recommended in the California Department of Education's (CDE) Health Framework for California Public Schools and may be revised to reflect district practice.

The Governing Board recognizes the link between student health and learning and desires to provide a comprehensive program promoting healthy eating and physical activity for district students. The Superintendent or designee shall coordinate and align district efforts to support student wellness through health education, physical education and activity, health services, nutrition services, psychological and counseling services, and a safe and healthy school environment. In addition, the Superintendent or designee shall develop strategies for promoting staff wellness and for involving parents/guardians and the community in reinforcing students' understanding and appreciation of the importance of a healthy lifestyle.

- (cf. 1020 - Youth Services)*
- (cf. 3513.3 - Tobacco-Free Schools)*
- (cf. 3514 - Environmental Safety)*
- (cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)*
- (cf. 5131.61 - Drug Testing)*
- (cf. 5131.62 - Tobacco)*
- (cf. 5131.63 - Steroids)*
- (cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)*
- (cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)*

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- (cf. 5141.3 - Health Examinations)
 (cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)
 (cf. 5141.32 - Health Screening for School Entry)
 (cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)
 (cf. 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Education)
 (cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)

School ~~Health~~ Wellness Council/~~Committee~~

Note: 42 USC 1758b and 7 CFR 210.30, as added by 81 Fed. Reg. 50151, required that districts permit specified stakeholders ~~be permitted~~ to participate in the development, implementation, and periodic review and update of the district's wellness policy. One method to achieve continuing involvement of those groups and other key stakeholders is ~~could be~~ through the creation of a school wellness ~~health~~ council, as recommended in the CDE's Health Framework for California Public Schools. Pursuant to Government Code 54952, committees created by formal action of the Board are subject to open meeting laws (the Brown Act); see AR 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees.

The Superintendent or designee shall encourage parents/guardians, students, food service employees, physical education teachers, school health professionals, Board members, school administrators, and members of the public to participate in the development, implementation, and periodic review and update of the district's student wellness policy. (42 USC 1758b; 7 CFR 210.30)

Note: The remainder of this section is optional and may be revised to reflect district practice.

To fulfill this requirement, the Superintendent or designee may appoint a school wellness ~~health~~ council or other district committee, ~~whose membership shall include representatives of these groups and a wellness council coordinator. The council may include representatives of the groups listed above, as well as He/she also may invite participation of other groups or individuals, such as~~ health educators, curriculum directors, counselors, before- and after-school program staff, health practitioners, and/or others interested in school health issues.

- (cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)
 (cf. 9140 - Board Representatives)

The Superintendent or designee may make available to the public and school community a list of the names, position titles, and contact information of the wellness council members.

The school ~~health~~ wellness council/~~committee~~ shall advise the district on health-related issues, activities, policies, and programs. At the discretion of the Superintendent or designee, the duties of the council/~~committee~~ may also include the planning, implementation, and evaluation of activities to promote health within the school or community.

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Goals for Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Other Wellness Activities

Note: 42 USC 1758b and 7 CFR 210.30, as added by 81 Fed. Reg. 50151, mandates that the district's wellness policy include goals for the activities specified below.

The Board shall adopt **specific** goals for nutrition promotion and education, physical activity, and other school-based activities that promote student wellness. **In developing such goals, the Board shall review and consider evidence-based strategies and techniques.** (42 USC 1758b; 7 CFR 210.30)

(cf. 0000 - Vision)

(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)

Note: The remainder of this section provides policy language to address this mandated topic and should be revised to reflect district practice.

The district's nutrition education and physical education programs shall be based on research, shall be consistent with the expectations established in the state's curriculum frameworks and content standards, and shall be designed to build the skills and knowledge that all students need to maintain a healthy lifestyle.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)

(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

The nutrition education program shall include, but is not limited to, information about the benefits of healthy eating for learning, disease prevention, weight management, and oral health. Nutrition education shall be provided as part of the health education program and, as appropriate, shall be integrated into other academic subjects in the regular educational program, before- and after-school programs, summer learning programs, and school garden programs.

(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)

(cf. 6177 - Summer Learning Programs)

~~To reinforce the district's nutrition education program, the Board prohibits the marketing and advertising of non-nutritious foods and beverages through signage, vending machine fronts, logos, scoreboards, school supplies, advertisements in school publications, coupon or incentive programs, free give-aways, or other means.~~

~~*(cf. 1325 - Advertising and Promotion)*~~

All students shall be provided opportunities to be physically active on a regular basis. Opportunities for moderate to vigorous physical activity shall be provided through physical

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education and recess and may also be provided through school athletic programs, extracurricular programs, before- and after-school programs, summer learning programs, programs encouraging students to walk or bicycle to and from school, in-class physical activity breaks, and other structured and unstructured activities.

(cf. 5142.2 - Safe Routes to School Program)
(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)
(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

The Board may enter into a joint use agreement or memorandum of understanding to make district facilities or grounds available for recreational or sports activities outside the school day and/or to use community facilities to expand students' access to opportunity for physical activity.

(cf. 1330.1 - Joint Use Agreements)

Professional development ~~shall may~~ be regularly offered to ~~the nutrition program director, managers, and staff, as well as~~ health education teachers, ~~and~~ physical education teachers, coaches, activity supervisors, ~~food services staff,~~ and other staff as appropriate to enhance their ~~health~~ knowledge and skills ~~related to student health and wellness.~~

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

~~The Superintendent or designee may disseminate health information and/or the district's student wellness policy to parents/guardians through district or school newsletters, handouts, parent/guardian meetings, district and school web sites, and other communications. Outreach to parents/guardians shall emphasize the relationship between student health and academic performance.~~

~~*(cf. 1100 - Communication with the Public)*~~
~~*(cf. 1112 - Media Relations)*~~
~~*(cf. 1113 - District and School Web Sites)*~~
~~*(cf. 1114 - District Sponsored Social Media)*~~
~~*(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)*~~

In order to ensure that students have access to comprehensive health services, the district may provide access to health services at or near district schools and/or may provide referrals to community resources.

The Board recognizes that a safe, positive school environment is also conducive to students' physical and mental health and thus prohibits bullying and harassment of all students, including bullying on the basis of weight or health condition.

STUDENT WELLNESS (continued)*(cf. 5131.2 - Bullying)**(cf. 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment)*

The Superintendent or designee shall encourage staff to serve as positive role models for healthy eating and physical fitness. He/she shall promote work-site wellness programs and may provide opportunities for regular physical activity among employees.

Nutritional Guidelines for All Foods Available at School

Note: 42 USC 1758b mandates that the district's wellness policy include nutritional guidelines that are consistent with federal nutrition standards, as specified below. Also see AR 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program.

For all foods and beverages available on each campus during the school day, the district shall adopt nutritional guidelines which are consistent with 42 USC 1758, 1766, 1773, and 1779 and federal regulations and which support the objectives of promoting student health and reducing childhood obesity. (42 USC 1758b)

Note: The remainder of this section provides policy language to address this mandated topic and should be revised to reflect district practice.

In order to maximize the district's ability to provide nutritious meals and snacks, all district schools shall participate in available federal school nutrition programs, including the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs and after-school snack programs, to the extent possible. When approved by the California Department of Education, the district may sponsor a summer meal program.

*(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)**(cf. 3552 - Summer Meal Program)**(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)**(cf. 5141.27 - Food Allergies/Special Dietary Needs)**(cf. 5148 - Child Care and Development)**(cf. 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education)*

Note: Pursuant to 42 USC 1758, schools participating in the National School Lunch Program are required to make free drinking water available for consumption at locations where meals are served during meal service. In addition, Education Code 38086 requires all California schools to make free drinking water available during school meal times, unless the Board adopts a resolution demonstrating that the district is unable to comply due to fiscal constraints or health or safety concerns. See AR 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program for policy language related to these requirements. Also see CSBA's policy brief [Increasing Access to Drinking Water in Schools](#) for further information and sample strategies for providing water and encouraging consumption. Information on potential funding sources to comply with the potable water requirement is available on the CDE web site.

The Superintendent or designee shall provide access to free, potable water during meal times in the food service area during meal times in accordance with Education Code 38086 and 42

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USC 1758, and shall encourage students' consumption of water by educating them about the health benefits of water and by serving water in an appealing manner.

Note: Pursuant to 7 CFR 210.30, as added by 81 Fed. Reg. 50151, districts are mandated to include, within the wellness policy, standards for all foods and beverages which are made available to students outside the district's food services program (e.g., sales through vending machines, student stores, and fundraisers). Nutrition standards and other requirements pertaining to such food sales outside the food services program (e.g., sales through vending machines, student stores, and fundraisers) are addressed in AR 3554 - Other Food Sales. Pursuant to 42 USC 1758b, the USDA is required to establish nutrition standards for all foods sold and served in school at any time during the school day, although exemptions may be allowed for school sponsored fundraisers if the fundraisers are approved by the school and are infrequent. Districts will be required to implement the standards beginning one school year following the approval of the federal rule.

The Board believes that all foods and beverages sold to students at district schools, including those available outside the district's reimbursable food services program, should support the health curriculum and promote optimal health. Nutritional standards adopted by the district for foods and beverages provided through student stores, vending machines, or other venues shall meet or exceed state and federal nutritional standards.

(cf. 3312 - Contracts)

(cf. 3554 - Other Food Sales)

The Superintendent or designee shall encourage school organizations to use healthy food items or non-food items for fundraising purposes.

He/she also shall encourage school staff to avoid the use of non-nutritious foods as a reward for students' academic performance, accomplishments, or classroom behavior.

School staff shall encourage parents/guardians or other volunteers to support the district's nutrition education program by considering nutritional quality when selecting any snacks which they may donate for occasional class parties. Class parties or celebrations shall be held after the lunch period when possible.

Note: Pursuant to 7 CFR 210.30, as added by 81 Fed. Reg. 50151, only those foods and beverages that are allowed for sale on campus during the school day may be marketed within the district. The Analysis of Comments to the federal regulations, 81 Fed. Reg. 50151 pg. 50159-50160, clarifies that this includes, but is not limited to, marketing by way of signage, vending machine exteriors, menu boards, coolers, trash cans, cups and scoreboards, but does not apply to materials for educational purposes. It also states that existing items do not need to be immediately replaced, but as new contracts are signed and/or durable equipment replaced, these guidelines should be followed.

To reinforce the district's nutrition education program, the Board prohibits the marketing and advertising of foods and beverages that do not meet nutrition standards for the sale of foods and beverages on campus during the school day. (7 CFR 210.30)

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(cf. 1325 - Advertising and Promotion)

Program Implementation and Evaluation

Note: 42 USC 1758b and 7 CFR 210.30 require the district to identify an individual with the authority and responsibility to ensure that each district school complies with the wellness policy. The Analysis of Comments to the federal regulations, 81 Fed. Reg. 50151 pg. 50155, recommends that districts provide a means of contacting the designated individual by providing a district or school phone number and/or email address.

The Superintendent shall designate the individual(s) identified below as the individual(s) responsible for ensuring one or more district or school employees, as appropriate, to ensure that each school site complies with this the district's wellness policy. (42 USC 1758b; 7 CFR 210.30)

Nutritional Services Supervisor
8408 Watt Avenue, Antelope, CA 95843
(916) 338-6416

Categoricals Coordinator
8408 Watt Avenue, Antelope, CA 95843
(916) 338-6343

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

(cf. 3555 - Nutrition Program Compliance)

Note: 42 USC 1758b requires assessment of the implementation of the wellness policy but does not define any specific timeline. CSBA's publication *Monitoring for Success: A Guide for Assessing and Strengthening Student Wellness Policies* recommends that a report on the implementation of the wellness policy be provided to the Board at least once every two years. The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice: 42 USC 1758b and 7 CFR 210.30, as added by 81 Fed. Reg. 50151, require an assessment of the implementation and compliance of the wellness policy as specified in the paragraph below. At its discretion, the district may revise the following paragraph to reflect a more frequent schedule.

The Superintendent or designee shall assess the implementation and effectiveness of this policy at least once every two three years. (42 USC 1758b; 7 CFR 210.30)

Note: 42 USC 1758b requires that the district assessment include a comparison of the district's policy with model wellness policies. See the USDA's web site for model policies and best practices recommended by federal and state agencies and nongovernmental organizations.

The assessment shall include the extent to which district schools are in compliance with this policy, the extent to which this policy compares to model wellness policies available from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, and a description of the progress made in attaining the goals of the wellness policy. (42 USC 1758b)

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The Superintendent or designee shall invite feedback on district and school wellness activities from food service personnel, school administrators, the school health wellness council, parents/guardians, students, teachers before and after-school program staff, and/or other appropriate persons.

Note: Items #1-89 below are optional and may be revised to reflect district practice. For further information about the following indicators and a list of other possible indicators, see CSBA's Monitoring for Success: A Guide for Assessing and Strengthening Student Wellness Policies. The guide also describes possible data sources that may be used for each indicator and includes a sample report format. Indicators selected by the district may include a mix of process measures (e.g., level of student participation, number of classes, staffing, and costs) as well as outcome measures that assess the policy's impact on students (e.g., physical fitness test results, Body Mass Index, and food choices).

The Board and the Superintendent or designee shall establish indicators that will be used to measure the implementation and effectiveness of the district activities related to student wellness. Such indicators may include, but are not limited to:

1. Descriptions of the district's nutrition education, physical education, and health education curricula and the extent to which they align with state academic content standards and legal requirements
2. An analysis of the nutritional content of school meals and snacks served in all district programs, based on a sample of menus and production records
3. Student participation rates in all school meal and/or snack programs, including the number of students enrolled in the free and reduced-price meals program compared to the number of students eligible for that program
4. Extent to which foods and beverages sold on campus outside the food services program, such as through vending machines, student stores, or fundraisers, comply with nutritional standards
5. Extent to which other foods and beverages that are available on campus during the school day, such as foods and beverages for classroom parties, school celebrations, and rewards/incentives, comply with nutrition standards
- 5-6. Results of the state's physical fitness test at applicable grade levels
- 6-7. Number of minutes of physical education offered at each grade span, and the estimated percentage of class time spent in moderate to vigorous physical activity
- 7-8. A description of district efforts to provide additional opportunities for physical activity outside of the physical education program

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8.9] A description of other districtwide or school-based wellness activities offered, including the number of sites and/or students participating, as appropriate

~~The Superintendent or designee shall invite feedback on district and school wellness activities from food service personnel, school administrators, the school health council, parents/guardians, students, teachers, before and after school program staff, and/or other appropriate persons.~~ **[MOVED UP]**

As feasible, the assessment report may include a comparison of results across multiple years, a comparison of district data with county, statewide, or national data, and/or a comparison of wellness data with other student outcomes such as academic indicators or student discipline rates.

~~The Superintendent or designee shall inform and update the public, including parents/guardians, students, and others in the community, about the content and implementation of this policy and assessment results. (42 USC 1758b)~~ **[MOVED TO "NOTIFICATIONS" SECTION]**

Note: In addition to the district self-assessment described above, 7 CFR 210. 18, as amended by 81 Fed. Reg. 50151, requires that the CDE conduct administrative reviews of all districts at least once every three years to ensure that districts are complying with their wellness policy. See section "Records" below for information about records that may be required for this assessment. The USDA's Food and Nutrition Service may grant a one-year extension to the CDE's three-year review cycle if needed for efficient state management of the program.

In addition, the Superintendent or designee shall prepare and maintain the proper documentation and records needed for the administrative review of the district's wellness policy conducted by the California Department of Education (CDE) every three years.

~~In addition,~~ **†The assessment results of both the district and state evaluations shall be submitted to the Board for the purposes of evaluating policy and practice, recognizing accomplishments, and making policy adjustments as needed to focus district resources and efforts on actions that are most likely to make a positive impact on student health and achievement.**

Posting Requirements]

~~Each school shall post the district's policies and regulations on nutrition and physical activity in public view within all school cafeterias or in other central eating areas. (Education Code 49432)~~

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Notifications

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 49432, as amended by SB 1169 (Ch. 280, Statutes of 2016), 42 USC 1758b, and 7 CFR 210.30, as added by 81 Fed. Reg. 50151, the district is required to inform the public of the content and implementation of the wellness policy and the district's progress towards meeting the goals of the policy, as described below:

The Superintendent or designee shall inform the public about the content and implementation of the district's wellness policy and shall make the policy, and any updates to the policy, available to the public on an annual basis. He/she shall also inform the public of the district's progress towards meeting the goals of the wellness policy, including the availability of the triennial district assessment. (Education Code 49432; 42 USC 1758b; 7 CFR 210.30)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice:

The Superintendent or designee ~~may disseminate health information and/or the district's student wellness policy to parents/guardians through~~ shall distribute this information through the most effective methods of communication, including district or school newsletters, handouts, parent/guardian meetings, district and school web sites, and other communications. Outreach to parents/guardians shall emphasize the relationship between student health and wellness and academic performance.

(cf. 1100 - Communication with the Public)
(cf. 1112 - Media Relations)
(cf. 1113 - District and School Web Sites)
(cf. 1114 - District-Sponsored Social Media)
(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

Note: As amended by SB 1169 (Ch. 280, Statutes of 2016), Education Code 49432 no longer requires schools to post the district's policies and regulations on nutrition and physical activity in public view within all school cafeterias or other central eating areas. Education Code 49432 continues to authorize, but does not require, schools to post a summary of nutrition and physical activity laws and regulations. The following paragraph is optional.

Each school ~~shall also may~~ post a summary of nutrition and physical activity laws and regulations prepared by the California Department of Education CDE.

Records

Note: 7 CFR 210.30, as added by 81 Fed. Reg. 50151, requires the district to retain records to document compliance with the federal regulation. The following paragraph outlines the records that at a minimum must be retained by the district:

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The Superintendent or designee shall retain records that document compliance with 7 CFR 210.30, including, but not limited to, the written student wellness policy, documentation of the triennial assessment of the wellness policy for each school site, and documentation demonstrating compliance with the community involvement requirements, including requirements to make the policy and assessment results available to the public. (7 CFR 210.30)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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 51222 Physical education
 51223 Physical education, elementary schools
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California Project LEAN (Leaders Encouraging Activity and Nutrition):

<http://www.californiaprojectlean.org>California School Nutrition Association: <http://www.calsna.org>Center for Collaborative Solutions: <http://www.ccscenter.org>Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: <http://www.cdc.gov>Dairy Council of California: <http://www.dairycouncilofca.org>National Alliance for Nutrition and Activity: <http://www.cspinet.org/nutritionpolicy/nana.html>National Association of State Boards of Education: <http://www.nasbe.org>School Nutrition Association: <http://www.schoolnutrition.org>Society for Nutrition Education: <http://www.sne.org>

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Food Nutrition Service, wellness policy:

<http://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/Healthy/wellnesspolicy.html>U.S. Department of Agriculture, Healthy Meals Resource System: <http://healthymeals.fns.usda.gov>

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Student Wellness

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Students

The Governing Board recognizes the link between student health and learning and desires to provide a comprehensive program promoting healthy eating and physical activity for district students. The Superintendent or designee shall coordinate and align district efforts to support student wellness through health education, physical education and activity, health services, nutrition services, psychological and counseling services, and a safe and healthy school environment. In addition, the Superintendent or designee shall develop strategies for promoting staff wellness and for involving parents/guardians and the community in reinforcing students' understanding and appreciation of the importance of a healthy lifestyle.

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 3513.3 - Tobacco-Free Schools)

(cf. 3514 - Environmental Safety)

(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)

(cf. 5131.61 - Drug Testing)

(cf. 5131.62 - Tobacco)

(cf. 5131.63 - Steroids)

(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)

(cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)

(cf. 5141.3 - Health Examinations)

(cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)

(cf. 5141.32 - Health Screening for School Entry)

(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)

(cf. 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Education)

(cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)

School Health Council/Committee

The Superintendent or designee shall encourage parents/guardians, students, food service employees, physical education teachers, school health professionals, Board members, school administrators, and members of the public to participate in the development, implementation, and periodic review and update of the district's student wellness policy. (42 USC 1758b)

To fulfill this requirement, the Superintendent or designee may appoint a school health council or other district committee whose membership shall include representatives of these groups. He/she also may invite participation of other groups or individuals, such as health educators, curriculum directors, counselors, before- and after-school program staff, health practitioners, and/or others interested in school health issues.

(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)

(cf. 9140 - Board Representatives)

The school health council/committee shall advise the district on health-related issues,

activities, policies, and programs. At the discretion of the Superintendent or designee, the duties of the council/committee may also include the planning, implementation, and evaluation of activities to promote health within the school or community.

Goals for Nutrition, Physical Activity, and Other Wellness Activities

The Board shall adopt goals for nutrition promotion and education, physical activity, and other school-based activities that promote student wellness. (42 USC 1758b)

(cf. 0000 - Vision)

(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)

The district's nutrition education and physical education programs shall be based on research, shall be consistent with the expectations established in the state's curriculum frameworks and content standards, and shall be designed to build the skills and knowledge that all students need to maintain a healthy lifestyle.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)

(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

The nutrition education program shall include, but is not limited to, information about the benefits of healthy eating for learning, disease prevention, weight management, and oral health. Nutrition education shall be provided as part of the health education program and, as appropriate, shall be integrated into other academic subjects in the regular educational program, before- and after-school programs, summer learning programs, and school garden programs.

(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)

(cf. 6177 - Summer Learning Programs)

To reinforce the district's nutrition education program, the Board prohibits the marketing and advertising of non-nutritious foods and beverages through signage, vending machine fronts, logos, scoreboards, school supplies, advertisements in school publications, coupon or incentive programs, free give-aways, or other means.

(cf. 1325 - Advertising and Promotion)

All students shall be provided opportunities to be physically active on a regular basis. Opportunities for moderate to vigorous physical activity shall be provided through physical education and recess and may also be provided through school athletic programs, extracurricular programs, before- and after-school programs, summer learning programs, programs encouraging students to walk or bicycle to and from school, in-class physical activity breaks, and other structured and unstructured activities.

(cf. 5142.2 - Safe Routes to School Program)

(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)

(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

The Board may enter into a joint use agreement or memorandum of understanding to make district facilities or grounds available for recreational or sports activities outside the school day and/or to use community facilities to expand students' access to opportunity for physical activity.

(cf. 1330.1 - Joint Use Agreements)

Professional development shall be regularly offered to health education and physical education teachers, coaches, activity supervisors, food services staff, and other staff as appropriate to enhance their health knowledge and skills.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

The Superintendent or designee may disseminate health information and/or the district's student wellness policy to parents/guardians through district or school newsletters, handouts, parent/guardian meetings, district and school web sites, and other communications. Outreach to parents/guardians shall emphasize the relationship between student health and academic performance.

(cf. 1100 - Communication with the Public)

(cf. 1112 - Media Relations)

(cf. 1113 - District and School Web Sites)

(cf. 1114 - District-Sponsored Social Media)

(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

In order to ensure that students have access to comprehensive health services, the district may provide access to health services at or near district schools and/or may provide referrals to community resources.

The Board recognizes that a safe, positive school environment is also conducive to students' physical and mental health and thus prohibits bullying and harassment of all students, including bullying on the basis of weight or health condition.

(cf. 5131.2 - Bullying)

(cf. 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment)

The Superintendent or designee shall encourage staff to serve as positive role models for healthy eating and physical fitness. He/she shall promote work-site wellness programs and may provide opportunities for regular physical activity among employees.

Nutritional Guidelines for Foods Available at School

For all foods available on each campus during the school day, the district shall adopt nutritional guidelines which are consistent with 42 USC 1773 and 1779 and federal regulations and which support the objectives of promoting student health and reducing childhood obesity. (42 USC 1758b)

In order to maximize the district's ability to provide nutritious meals and snacks, all district

schools shall participate in available federal school nutrition programs, including the National School Lunch and School Breakfast Programs and after-school snack programs, to the extent possible. When approved by the California Department of Education, the district may sponsor a summer meal program.

(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)
(cf. 3552 - Summer Meal Program)
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The Superintendent or designee shall provide access to free, potable water during meal times in the food service area in accordance with Education Code 38086 and 42 USC 1758, and shall encourage students' consumption of water by educating them about the health benefits of water and serving water in an appealing manner.

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(cf. 1230 - School-Connected Organizations)

School staff shall encourage parents/guardians or other volunteers to support the district's nutrition education program by considering nutritional quality when selecting any snacks which they may donate for occasional class parties. Class parties or celebrations shall be held after the lunch period when possible.

Program Implementation and Evaluation

The Superintendent shall designate one or more district or school employees, as appropriate, to ensure that each school site complies with this policy. (42 USC 1758b)

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)
(cf. 3555 - Nutrition Program Compliance)

The Superintendent or designee shall assess the implementation and effectiveness of this policy at least once every two years.

The assessment shall include the extent to which district schools are in compliance with this policy, the extent to which this policy compares to model wellness policies available from

the U.S. Department of Agriculture, and a description of the progress made in attaining the goals of the wellness policy. (42 USC 1758b)

The Board and the Superintendent or designee shall establish indicators that will be used to measure the implementation and effectiveness of the district activities related to student wellness. Such indicators may include, but are not limited to:

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6. Number of minutes of physical education offered at each grade span, and the estimated percentage of class time spent in moderate to vigorous physical activity
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8. A description of other districtwide or school-based wellness activities offered, including the number of sites and/or students participating, as appropriate

The Superintendent or designee shall invite feedback on district and school wellness activities from food service personnel, school administrators, the school health council, parents/guardians, students, teachers, before- and after-school program staff, and/or other appropriate persons.

As feasible, the assessment report may include a comparison of results across multiple years, a comparison of district data with county, statewide, or national data, and/or a comparison of wellness data with other student outcomes such as academic indicators or student discipline rates.

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In addition, the assessment results shall be submitted to the Board for the purposes of evaluating policy and practice, recognizing accomplishments, and making policy adjustments

as needed to focus district resources and efforts on actions that are most likely to make a positive impact on student health and achievement.

Posting Requirements

Each school shall post the district's policies and regulations on nutrition and physical activity in public view within all school cafeterias or in other central eating areas. (Education Code 49432)

Each school shall also post a summary of nutrition and physical activity laws and regulations prepared by the California Department of Education.

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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- 51220 Course of study, grades 7-12
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California Department of Public Health: <http://www.cdph.ca.gov>

California Healthy Kids Resource Center: <http://www.californiahealthykids.org>

California Project LEAN (Leaders Encouraging Activity and Nutrition):

<http://www.californiaprojectlean.org>

California School Nutrition Association: <http://www.calsna.org>

Center for Collaborative Solutions: <http://www.ccscenter.org>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: <http://www.cdc.gov>

Dairy Council of California: <http://www.dairycouncilofca.org>

National Alliance for Nutrition and Activity: <http://www.cspinet.org/nutritionpolicy/nana.html>

National Association of State Boards of Education: <http://www.nasbe.org>

School Nutrition Association: <http://www.schoolnutrition.org>

Society for Nutrition Education: <http://www.sne.org>

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<http://www.fns.usda.gov/m/Healthy/wellnesspolicy.html>

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Students

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ADMISSION

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48200, all children ages 6-18 years are subject to compulsory full-time education, unless specifically exempted. See BP/AR 5112.1 - Exemptions from Attendance for further information about such exemptions.

The Governing Board encourages the enrollment and appropriate placement of all school-aged children in school. The Superintendent or designee shall inform parents/guardians of children entering a district school at any grade level about admission requirements and shall assist them with enrollment procedures.

Note: Admission requirements include age criteria for grades K-1; see the accompanying administrative regulation. Other admission requirements are addressed in AR 5111.1 - District Residency, BP/AR 5141.31 - Immunizations, and AR 5141.32 - Health Screening for School Entry.

Before enrolling any child in a district school, the Superintendent or designee shall verify the child's age, residency, immunization, and other applicable eligibility criteria specified in law, the accompanying administrative regulation, or other applicable Board policy or administrative regulation.

(cf. 5111.1 - District Residency)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

(cf. 5141.3 - Health Examinations)

(cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)

(cf. 5141.32 - Health Screening for School Entry)

Note: State and federal law require the immediate enrollment of homeless youth (Education Code 48850; 48852.7; 42 USC 11432) and foster youth (Education Code 48853.5), regardless of their ability to provide the school with records normally required for enrollment; see BP/AR 6173 - Education for Homeless Children and AR 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth. In addition, Education Code 49701 requires the district to facilitate the enrollment of children of military families and to ensure that they are not placed at a disadvantage due to difficulty in the transfer of their records from previous school districts and/or variations in entrance or age requirements; see BP/AR 6173.2 - Education of Children of Military Families.

The Office for Civil Rights, U.S. Department of Education, has issued a "Dear Colleague" letter to clarify that districts may not adopt enrollment procedures that discourage the participation of students based on the actual or perceived citizenship or immigration status of the student or parent/guardian, as such practices would violate federal laws granting all students equal access to education. Thus, the district may not inquire into a student's citizenship or immigration status as a condition of enrollment.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the enrollment of a homeless or foster child or a child of a military family is not delayed because of outstanding fees or fines owed to the child's last school or for his/her inability to produce previous academic, medical, or other records normally required for enrollment.

ADMISSION (continued)*(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)**(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)**(cf. 6173.2 - Education of Children of Military Families)*

Note: Education Code 48645.5 prohibits the district from denying enrollment to a child solely for reason of his/her contact with the juvenile justice system as specified in the following paragraph. Also see AR 6173.3 - Education for Juvenile Court School Students. Pursuant to Education Code 48647, as added by AB 2276 (Ch. 901, Statutes of 2014), districts are strongly encouraged to work together with other agencies, including, but not limited to, the county office of education and the county probation department, to facilitate smooth transition of children from the juvenile court schools into regular schools.

In addition, no child shall be denied enrollment in a district school solely on the basis of his/her arrest, adjudication by a juvenile court, formal or informal supervision by a probation officer, detention in a juvenile facility, enrollment in a juvenile court school, or other contact with the juvenile justice system. (Education Code 48645.5)

*(cf. 5119 - Students Expelled from Other Districts)**(cf. 6173.3 - Education for Juvenile Court School Students)*

Note: In *Plyler v. Doe*, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that, under the Fourteenth Amendment of the U.S. Constitution, students cannot be denied a free public education on the basis of their citizenship or immigration status, including their status as undocumented children. As discussed in a joint Dear Colleague Letter and joint fact sheet, Information on the Rights of All Children to Enroll in School issued by the U.S. Department of Justice's Civil Rights Division and U.S. Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights, it may be a violation of federal law for districts to adopt a policy or procedure that prohibits or discourages children from enrolling in school because they or their parents/guardians are not United States citizens or are undocumented.

Undocumented children in California not only have a right to attend school, but are mandated to do so under state compulsory education laws (Education Code 48200). Furthermore, every student has a right to attend school free from discrimination, harassment, violence, intimidation, and bullying; see BP 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities and BP/AR 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment.

Although districts may require proof of residency within the district (e.g., utility or phone bill, property tax payment receipt, rental property lease agreement, etc.), they should not request visas, passports, or other documentation that would discourage undocumented children from enrolling in school; see BP/AR 5111.1 - District Residency.

If the district becomes aware of the citizenship or immigration status of any student, it is prohibited from disclosing such information to U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement, as such disclosure is not among the limited exceptions specified in law for which student records may be released without parental consent or a lawful judicial order.

For further discussion of these issues, see CSBA's Legal Guidance on Providing All Children Equal Access to Education, Regardless of Immigration Status. The legal guidance also includes a sample board resolution that may be used to inform students, parents/guardians, and the community of students' rights under current law to attend a district school regardless of their citizenship or immigration status.

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The Superintendent or designee shall not inquire into or request documentation of a student's citizenship or immigration status, and shall not deny a student enrollment in a district school on the basis of the citizenship or immigration status of the student or his/her parents/guardians. Any information obtained about a student's or parent/guardian's citizenship or immigration status shall not be shared without parent/guardian consent or a lawful judicial order, in accordance with laws pertaining to the confidentiality of student records.]

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

(cf. 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment)

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that request the social security number of a student or his/her parent/guardian for enrollment purposes. 5 USC 552a Note provides that a district may not deny enrollment to a student if he/she or his/her parent/guardian chooses not to provide a social security number. Thus, while CSBA's Legal Guidance of Providing All Children Equal Access to Education, Regardless of Immigration Status recommends against requesting social security numbers, a district that chooses to do so must inform the enrolling student or parent/guardian that the disclosure is voluntary.]

A student shall not be denied enrollment based on the parent/guardian's refusal to provide the student's or parent/guardian's social security number. During the enrollment process, a student and parent/guardian shall be informed that disclosure of their social security number is voluntary. (5 USC 552a Note)]

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Education Code 48354 requires the district to give priority for enrollment to students residing in the district, including students applying for intradistrict open enrollment, over students transferring from a school identified under the Open Enrollment Act (Education Code 48350-48361). Thus, the district needs to align the application windows for various attendance options in a manner that will allow the district to meet legal requirements pertaining to admissions priorities. See BP/AR 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment and BP/AR 5118 - Open Enrollment Act Transfers for application windows applicable to those options.

When enrolling in any district school, including a school in their attendance area, children whose parents/guardians reside within district boundaries shall be subject to the timelines established by the Board for open enrollment. Children whose parents/guardians do not reside within the district or who are not otherwise eligible for enrollment in the district may apply for interdistrict attendance in accordance with the timelines specified in applicable Board policies and administrative regulations.

(cf. 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment)

(cf. 5117 - Interdistrict Attendance)

(cf. 5118 - Open Enrollment Act Transfers)

Note: Education Code 49452.9, as added by AB 2706 (Ch. 827, Statutes of 2014) amended by AB 2308 (Ch. 570, Statutes of 2016), extends beyond the 2017-18 school year the requirement that requires the district's

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enrollment forms ~~for the 2015-16, 2016-17, and 2017-18 school years to~~ include an informational item about affordable health care options and available enrollment assistance. Pursuant to Education Code 49452.9, the district could accomplish this by developing an informational item or amending its existing forms, or by using a template or attaching a fact sheet to be developed by the California Department of Education.

The district's enrollment application shall include information about the health care options and enrollment assistance available to families within the district. The district shall not discriminate against any child for not having health care coverage and shall not use any information relating to a child's health care coverage or his/her interest in learning about health care coverage in any manner that would harm the child or his/her family. (Education Code 49452.9)

*Legal Reference:***EDUCATION CODE**

46300 Computation of average daily attendance, inclusion of kindergarten and transitional kindergarten
 46600 Agreements for admission of students desiring interdistrict attendance
 48000 Minimum age of admission (kindergarten)
 48002 Evidence of minimum age required to enter kindergarten or first grade
 48010 Minimum age of admission (first grade)
 48011 Admission from kindergarten or other school; minimum age
 48050-48053 Nonresidents
 48200 Children between ages of 6 and 18 years (compulsory full-time education)
 48350-48361 Open Enrollment Act
 48850-48859 Educational placement of homeless and foster youth
 48645.5 Enrollment of former juvenile court school students
 49076 Access to records by persons without written consent or under judicial order
 49408 Information of use in emergencies
 49452.9 Health care coverage options and enrollment assistance
 49700-49704 Education of children of military families

HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE

120325-120380 Education and child care facility immunization requirements
 121475-121520 Tuberculosis tests for students

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

200 Promotion from kindergarten to first grade
 201 Admission to high school

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 17

6000-6075 School attendance immunization requirements

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 5

552a Note Refusal to disclose social security number

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

11431-11435 McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act

COURT DECISIONS

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OFFICE FOR CIVIL RIGHTS PUBLICATIONS

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION AND U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION OFFICE FOR CIVIL RIGHTS JOINT PUBLICATIONS

Fact Sheet: Information on the Rights of All Children to Enroll in School

Dear Colleague Letter: School Enrollment Procedures, May 6, 2017, May 8, 2017

WEB SITES

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

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

U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights: <http://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr>

U.S. Department of Justice: <https://www.justice.gov>

ADMISSION

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Before enrolling any child in a district school, the Superintendent or designee shall verify the child's age, residency, immunization, and other applicable eligibility criteria specified in law, the accompanying administrative regulation, or other applicable Board policy or administrative regulation.

(cf. 5111.1 - District Residency)

(cf. 5111.12 - Residency Based on Parent/Guardian Employment)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

(cf. 5141.3 - Health Examinations)

(cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)

(cf. 5141.32 - Health Screening for School Entry)

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the enrollment of a homeless or foster child or a child of a military family is not delayed because of outstanding fees or fines owed to the child's last school or for his/her inability to produce previous academic, medical, or other records normally required for enrollment.

(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

(cf. 6173.2 - Education of Children of Military Families)

In addition, no child shall be denied enrollment in a district school solely on the basis of his/her arrest, adjudication by a juvenile court, formal or informal supervision by a probation officer, detention in a juvenile facility, enrollment in a juvenile court school, or other contact with the juvenile justice system. (Education Code 48645.5)

(cf. 5119 - Students Expelled from Other Districts)

When enrolling in any district school, including a school in their attendance area, children whose parents/guardians reside within district boundaries shall be subject to the timelines established by the Board for open enrollment. Children whose parents/guardians do not reside within the district or who are not otherwise eligible for enrollment in the district may apply for interdistrict attendance in accordance with the timelines specified in applicable Board policies and administrative regulations.

(cf. 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment)

(cf. 5117 - Interdistrict Attendance)

(cf. 5118 - Open Enrollment Act Transfers)

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(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

Legal Reference:

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48000 *Minimum age of admission (kindergarten)*

48002 *Evidence of minimum age required to enter kindergarten or first grade*

48010 *Minimum age of admission (first grade)*

48011 *Admission from kindergarten or other school; minimum age*

48050-48053 *Nonresidents*

48200 *Children between ages of 6 and 18 years (compulsory full-time education)*

48350-48361 *Open Enrollment Act*

48850-48859 *Educational placement of homeless and foster youth*

49076 *Access to records by persons without written consent or under judicial order*

49408 *Information of use in emergencies*

49452.9 *Health care coverage options and enrollment assistance*

49700-49704 *Education of children of military families*

HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE

120325-120380 *Education and child care facility immunization requirements*

121475-121520 *Tuberculosis tests for students*

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

200 *Promotion from kindergarten to first grade*

201 *Admission to high school*

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 17

6000-6075 *School attendance immunization requirements*

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

11431-11435 *McKinney Homeless Assistance Act*

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Students

BP 5111.1(a)

DISTRICT RESIDENCY

Note: Education Code 48200 requires the district to provide an education to any student who resides within the district's attendance area. Education Code 48204, as amended by AB 224 (Ch. 554, Statutes of 2015), specifies additional circumstances under which students will be deemed to meet the residency requirements for school attendance, including, but not limited to, through parent/guardian employment within district boundaries under certain conditions and interdistrict transfers; see the accompanying administrative regulation.

If the Governing Board elects to authorize investigations to verify students' residency, it is mandated to adopt policy with specified components pursuant to Education Code 48204.2, as added by AB 1101 (Ch. 170, Statutes of 2015). See sections "Investigation of Residency" and "Appeal of Enrollment Denial" below.

The Governing Board desires to admit all students who reside within district boundaries or who fulfill the district residency requirements through other means as allowed by law. The Superintendent or designee shall develop procedures to facilitate the receipt and verification of students' proof of residency.

(cf. 5116 - School Attendance Boundaries)

The Superintendent or designee shall annually notify parents/guardians of all existing attendance options available in the district, including, but not limited to, all options for meeting residency requirements for school attendance. (Education Code 48980)

(cf. 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment)

(cf. 5117 - Interdistrict Attendance)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

The Superintendent or designee shall require parents/guardians to provide documentation of the student's residency upon admission to a district school. A copy of the document or written statement offered as verification of residency shall be maintained in the student's mandatory permanent record. (5 CCR 432)

(cf. 5111 - Admission)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

Note: ~~The U.S. Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights, in its publication Information on the Rights of All Children to Enroll in School: Questions and Answers for States, School Districts and Parents, states that districts may not adopt enrollment procedures that discourage the participation of students based on the student's or the parent/guardian's actual or perceived citizenship or immigration status, as such practices would violate federal laws granting all students equal access to education. In Plyler v. Doe, the U.S. Supreme Court ruled that, under the Fourteenth Amendment of the U.S. Constitution, students cannot be denied a free public education on the basis of their citizenship or immigration status, including their status as undocumented children. As discussed in a joint Dear Colleague Letter and joint fact sheet, Information~~

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on the Rights of All Children to Enroll in School, issued by the U.S. Department of Justice's Civil Rights Division and U.S. Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights, it may be a violation of federal law for districts to adopt a policy or procedure that prohibits or discourages children from enrolling in school because they or their parents/guardians are not United States citizens or are undocumented. Thus, while the district may require proof that a student resides within the district (see accompanying administrative regulation for allowable evidence of residency), it should not request visas, passports, or other documentation that would discourage undocumented children from enrolling in school. Also see BP 5111 - Admission and CSBA's **Legal Guidance on Providing All Children Equal Access to Education, Regardless of Immigration Status**.

When establishing a student's residency for enrollment purposes, the Superintendent or designee shall not inquire into a student's citizenship or immigration status.

Note: When a district chooses to grant residency status to students whose parent/guardian is employed within district boundaries for at least 10 hours per school week (see section "Residency Based on Parent/Guardian Employment (Allen Bill Transfers)" in the accompanying administrative regulation), Education Code 48204 encourages the district to notify the parent/guardian in writing when admission is denied and to provide reasons for the denial. The following optional paragraph provides that written notice will be provided to parents/guardians whenever enrollment is denied on any basis related to residency and may be revised to reflect district practice.

A student's enrollment may be denied when the submitted documentation is insufficient to establish district residency. In any such case, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the parent/guardian in writing, including specific reasons for the denial.

Investigation of Residency

Note: The following section should be revised to reflect district practice. To conduct an investigation into the residency claim of a student as authorized by Education Code 48204.1, a district is mandated, pursuant to Education Code 48204.2, as added by AB 1101 (Ch. 170, Statutes of 2015), to adopt a policy with specified components. The policy must (1) identify the circumstances under which the district may initiate an investigation, including, at a minimum, a requirement that the district is able to identify specific, articulable facts supporting the belief that the parent/guardian has provided false or unreliable evidence of residency; (2) describe the investigatory methods that may be used, including whether the district may employ the services of a private investigator; (3) require staff to make reasonable efforts to determine whether the student resides in the district before hiring a private investigator (if allowed at all); (4) prohibit surreptitious photographing or video-recording of students who are being investigated; and (5) provide for an appeals process.

The district should consult legal counsel if questions arise regarding the appropriateness of efforts to verify residency.

When the Superintendent or designee reasonably believes that a student's parent/guardian has provided false or unreliable evidence of residency, he/she may make reasonable efforts to determine that the student meets district residency requirements. An investigation may be initiated when the Superintendent or designee is able to identify specific, articulable facts supporting the belief that the parent/guardian has provided false or unreliable evidence of residency. (Education Code 48204.1, 48204.2)

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The Superintendent or designee may assign a trained district employee to conduct the investigation. The investigation may include the examination of records, including public records, and/or interviews of persons who may have knowledge of the student's residency.

If necessary, the Superintendent or designee may employ the services of a private investigator to conduct the investigation. Before hiring a private investigator, the Superintendent or designee shall make other reasonable efforts to determine whether the student resides in the district. (Education Code 48204.2)

The investigation shall not include the surreptitious collection of photographic or videographic images of persons or places subject to the investigation. However, the use of technology is not prohibited if done in open and public view. (Education Code 48204.2)

Any employee or contractor engaged in the investigation shall truthfully identify himself/herself as an investigator to individuals contacted or interviewed during the course of the investigation. (Education Code 48204.2)

Appeal of Enrollment Denial

Note: If the district chooses to authorize investigations into the residency claim of a student as described in the section "Investigation of Residency" above, it is mandated pursuant to Education Code 48204.2, as added by AB 1101 (Ch. 170, Statutes of 2015), to adopt a policy which provides for an appeals process. The timelines specified in the following section may be revised to reflect district practice.

If the Superintendent or designee, upon investigation, determines that a student does not meet district residency requirements and denies the student's enrollment in the district, he/she shall provide the student's parent/guardian an opportunity to appeal that determination. (Education Code 48204.2)

The Superintendent or designee shall send the student's parent/guardian written notice specifying the basis for the district's determination. This notice shall also inform the parent/guardian that he/she may, within 10 school days, appeal the decision and provide new evidence of residency.

The burden shall be on the parent/guardian to show why the district's determination to deny enrollment should be overruled. (Education Code 48204.2)

A student who is currently enrolled in the district shall be allowed to remain in attendance at his/her school pending the results of the appeal. A student who is not currently enrolled in the district shall not be permitted to attend any district school unless his/her appeal is successful.

Note: The district may select and/or revise either of the following options to indicate who will be responsible for making the final decision regarding the student's residency claim. Option 1 is for use by districts that assign

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a district employee other than the Superintendent to make the initial residency determination, and provides that the Superintendent will make the final decision following the appeals process. Option 2 is for use by districts in which the Superintendent is responsible for the initial residency determination, and provides that the decision may be appealed to the Governing Board.

OPTION 1: In an appeal to the Superintendent of a determination that district residency requirements were not met, the Superintendent shall review any evidence provided by the parent/guardian or obtained during the district's investigation and shall make a decision within 10 school days of receipt of the parent/guardian's request for the appeal. The Superintendent's decision shall be final.

~~**OPTION 2:** In an appeal of the Superintendent's determination that district residency requirements were not met, the Board shall review any evidence provided by the parent/guardian or obtained during the district's investigation and shall make a decision at its next regularly scheduled meeting following the parent/guardian's request for the appeal. The Board's decision shall be final.~~

Enrollment Not Requiring District Residency

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by any district maintaining grades 9-12 that (1) has petitioned for certification from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's Student and Exchange Visitor Program to enroll a nonimmigrant foreign student who is in the United States on an F-1 visa and/or (2) admits high school students from other countries through an international exchange program under the sponsorship of a government-approved agency. For further information about enrollment of nonresident foreign students, see AR 5111.2 - Nonresident Foreign Students, BP/AR 6145.6 - International Exchange, and CSBA's Legal Guidance Regarding International Student Exchange Placement Organizations.

When approved by the Board and the appropriate agency, the district may enroll students from other countries who are in the United States on an F-1 visa or are participating in an international exchange program under the sponsorship of a government-approved agency.

(cf. 5111.2 - Nonresident Foreign Students)
(cf. 6145.6 - International Exchange)

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by any district adjacent to another state or foreign country from which students may commute to the district and should be revised to reflect district circumstances. Pursuant to Education Code 48050 and 48052, any district that admits such students must be reimbursed by the parents/guardians of the students or by the district of residence for the total cost of educating the student and may not include such students in computing average daily attendance for purpose of obtaining apportionment of state funds.

The district may enroll a nonresident student living in an adjoining state or foreign country in accordance with Education Code 48050-48052.

District residency is not required for enrollment in a regional occupational center or program
if the student resides in the program or class. (Education Code 52317)

DISTRICT RESIDENCY (continued)*(cf. 6178.2 - Regional Occupational Center/Program)***Legal Reference:****EDUCATION CODE**

- 220 Prohibition of discrimination
- 35160.5 Intradistrict open enrollment
- 35351 Assignment of students to particular schools
- 46600-46611 Interdistrict attendance permits
- 48050-48054 Nonresidents
- 48200-48208 Compulsory education law, especially:
- 48204 Residency requirements
- 48204.1-48204.2 Evidence of residency
- 48300-48316 Student attendance alternatives, school district of choice program
- 48350-48361 Open Enrollment Act transfers
- 48852.7 Education of homeless students; immediate enrollment
- 48853.5 Education of foster youth; immediate enrollment
- 48980 Notifications at beginning of term
- 52317 Regional occupational program, admission of persons including nonresidents

FAMILY CODE

- 6550-6552 Caregivers

GOVERNMENT CODE

- 6205-6210 Confidentiality of residence for victims of domestic violence

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

- 432 Retention of student records

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

- 11431-11435 McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act

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Legal Guidance on Providing All Children Equal Access to Education, Regardless of Immigration Status, February 2017

Legal Guidance Regarding International Student Exchange Placement Organizations, April 2014

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District Residency

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Students

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(cf. 5116 - School Attendance Boundaries)

The Superintendent or designee shall annually notify parents/guardians of all existing attendance options available in the district, including, but not limited to, all options for meeting residency requirements for school attendance. (Education Code 48980)

(cf. 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment)

(cf. 5117 - Interdistrict Attendance)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

The Superintendent or designee shall require parents/guardians to provide documentation of the student's residency upon admission to a district school. A copy of the document or written statement offered as verification of residency shall be maintained in the student's mandatory permanent record. (5 CCR 432)

(cf. 5111 - Admission)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

When establishing a student's residency for enrollment purposes, the Superintendent or designee shall not inquire into a student's citizenship or immigration status.

A student's enrollment may be denied when the submitted documentation is insufficient to establish district residency. In any such case, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the parent/guardian in writing, including specific reasons for the denial.

Investigation of Residency

When the Superintendent or designee reasonably believes that a student's parent/guardian has provided false or unreliable evidence of residency, he/she may make reasonable efforts to determine that the student meets district residency requirements. An investigation may be initiated when the Superintendent or designee is able to identify specific, articulable facts supporting the belief that the parent/guardian has provided false or unreliable evidence of residency. (Education Code 48204.1, 48204.2)

The Superintendent or designee may assign a trained district employee to conduct the investigation. The investigation may include the examination of records, including public records, and/or interviews of persons who may have knowledge of the student's residency.

If necessary, the Superintendent or designee may employ the services of a private investigator to conduct the investigation. Before hiring a private investigator, the Superintendent or designee shall make other reasonable efforts to determine whether the student resides in the district. (Education Code 48204.2)

The investigation shall not include the surreptitious collection of photographic or videographic images of persons or places subject to the investigation. However, the use of technology is not prohibited if done in open and public view. (Education Code 48204.2)

Any employee or contractor engaged in the investigation shall truthfully identify himself/herself as an investigator to individuals contacted or interviewed during the course of the investigation. (Education Code 48204.2)

Appeal of Enrollment Denial

If the Superintendent or designee, upon investigation, determines that a student does not meet district residency requirements and denies the student's enrollment in the district, he/she shall provide the student's parent/guardian an opportunity to appeal that determination. (Education Code 48204.2)

The Superintendent or designee shall send the student's parent/guardian written notice specifying the basis for the district's determination. This notice shall also inform the parent/guardian that he/she may, within 10 school days, appeal the decision and provide new evidence of residency.

The burden shall be on the parent/guardian to show why the district's determination to deny enrollment should be overruled. (Education Code 48204.2)

A student who is currently enrolled in the district shall be allowed to remain in attendance at his/her school pending the results of the appeal. A student who is not currently enrolled in the district shall not be permitted to attend any district school unless his/her appeal is successful.

In an appeal to the Superintendent of a determination that district residency requirements were not met, the Superintendent shall review any evidence provided by the parent/guardian or obtained during the district's investigation and shall make a decision within 10 school days of receipt of the parent/guardian's request for the appeal. The Superintendent's decision shall be final.

Enrollment Not Requiring District Residency

When approved by the Board and the appropriate agency, the district may enroll students from other countries who are in the United States on an F-1 visa or are participating in an international exchange program under the sponsorship of a government-approved agency.

(cf. 5111.2 - Nonresident Foreign Students)

(cf. 6145.6 - International Exchange)

The district may enroll a nonresident student living in an adjoining state or foreign country in accordance with Education Code 48050-48052.

District residency is not required for enrollment in a regional occupational center or program if there are openings in the program or class. (Education Code 52317)

(cf. 6178.2 - Regional Occupational Center/Program)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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48204 Residency requirements
48204.1-48204.2 Evidence of residency
48300-48316 Student attendance alternatives, school district of choice program
48350-48361 Open Enrollment Act transfers
48852.7 Education of homeless students; immediate enrollment
48853.5 Education of foster youth; immediate enrollment
48980 Notifications at beginning of term
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DISTRICT RESIDENCY

Criteria for Residency

A student shall be deemed to have complied with district residency requirements for enrollment in a district school if he/she meets any of the following criteria:

1. The student's parent/guardian resides within district boundaries. (Education Code 48200)
2. The student is placed within district boundaries in a regularly established licensed children's institution, a licensed foster home, or a family home pursuant to a court-ordered commitment or placement. (Education Code 48204)

Note: State law provides a number of options under which a student may attend school in a district other than the district where he/she resides. For instance, a student attending a school identified as low achieving on the state's Open Enrollment List may transfer to a school in any other district in the state subject to certain conditions, pursuant to Education Code 48350-48361; see BP/AR 5118 - Open Enrollment Act Transfer. If the district chooses to enter into an interdistrict attendance agreement pursuant to Education Code 46600-46611, a student may request a permit to attend school in a different district when both the district of residence and the district of proposed attendance have agreed to allow interdistrict attendance. If the Governing Board has declared the district to be a "school district of choice" pursuant to Education Code 48300-48316, the district may accept a specific number of interdistrict transfers into the district through a random, unbiased selection process. See BP/AR 5117 - Interdistrict Attendance for further information about these options. Pursuant to Education Code 48204, 48301, and 48356, students admitted under any of these options are deemed to have met district residency requirements. The district should revise item #3 as appropriate to reflect options provided by the district.

3. The student ~~has been~~ is admitted through an interdistrict attendance option, such as an interdistrict attendance agreement, "school district of choice" transfer, or Open Enrollment Act transfer. (Education Code 46600, 48204, 48301, 48356)

(cf. 5117 - Interdistrict Attendance)

(cf. 5118 - Open Enrollment Act Transfers)

4. The student is an emancipated minor residing within district boundaries. (Education Code 48204)
5. The student lives with a caregiving adult within district boundaries and the caregiving adult submits an affidavit to that effect. (Education Code 48204)
6. The student resides in a state hospital located within district boundaries. (Education Code 48204)

DISTRICT RESIDENCY (continued)

7. The student is confined to a hospital or other residential health facility within district boundaries for treatment of a temporary disability. (Education Code 48204, 48207)

(cf. 6183 - Home and Hospital Instruction)

Note: Education Code 48204, as amended by SB 200 (Ch. 174, Statutes of 2015) and AB 224 (Ch. 554, Statutes of 2015), provides that a student can meet residency requirements based on the location of his/her parent/guardian's employment under the circumstances described in item #8 below.

8. The student's parent/guardian resides outside district boundaries but is employed within district boundaries and lives with the student at the place of employment for a minimum of three days during the school week. (Education Code 48204)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48204.3, as added by SB 1455 (Ch. 312, Statutes of 2016), a student will be deemed to meet district residency requirements if his/her parent/guardian is transferred or is pending transfer to a military installation (i.e., a base, camp, post, station, yard, center, homeport facility for any ship, or other activity under the jurisdiction of the Department of Defense or the U.S. Coast Guard) within district boundaries.

9. The student's parent/guardian, while on active military duty pursuant to an official military order, is transferred or is pending transfer to a military installation within district boundaries. (Education Code 48204.3)

(cf. 6173.2 - Education of Children of Military Families)

Residency Based on Parent/Guardian Employment (Allen Bill Transfers)

Note: The following section is optional. Education Code 48204 permits, but does not require, districts to admit a student whose parent/guardian is employed within district boundaries for a minimum of 10 hours during the school week (so-called "Allen bill transfers"). If the district chooses to grant residency status to such students, it may nevertheless deny enrollment to students under the circumstances identified in items #1-3 below. SB 200 (Ch. 174, Statutes of 2015) and AB 224 (Ch. 554, Statutes of 2015) amended Education Code 48204 to provide that this option will become inoperative on July 1, 2017 unless extended by future legislation. AB 2537 (Ch. 106, Statutes of 2016) amended Education Code 48204 to indefinitely extend the district's authority to grant residency under these circumstances.

District residency status may be granted to a student if at least one of his/her parents/guardians is physically employed within district boundaries for a minimum of 10 hours during the school week. No student seeking residency on this basis shall be denied enrollment based on race, ethnicity, sex, parental income, scholastic achievement, or any of the individual characteristics set forth in Education Code 220. However, the Superintendent or designee may deny enrollment into the district if any of the following circumstances is present: (Education Code 48204)

DISTRICT RESIDENCY (continued)

1. The additional cost of educating the student would exceed the amount of additional state aid received as a result of the transfer.
2. Enrollment of the student would adversely affect the district's court-ordered or voluntary desegregation plan as determined by the Governing Board.
3. Other circumstances exist that are not arbitrary.

Note: The following paragraph is optional. In 84 Ops.Cal.Attv.Gen. 198 (2001), the Attorney General opined that overcrowding is not an "arbitrary consideration" within the meaning of Education Code 48204. Therefore, a district may deny an application when the district's school facilities are overcrowded at the relevant grade level. The Attorney General also clarified that, once a student is admitted, he/she must be allowed to continue to attend school in the district through the highest grade level offered by the district, even if the school subsequently becomes overcrowded at the relevant grade level. Although Attorney General opinions are not binding on the courts, they are generally afforded deference when there is no specific statutory or case law to the contrary. The following paragraph is based on this Attorney General opinion.

Such circumstances may include, but are not limited to, overcrowding of school facilities at the relevant grade level.

Once a student establishes residency on this basis, he/she shall not be required to reapply for enrollment in subsequent years. The student may continue to attend school in the district through the highest grade level offered by the district if the parent/guardian so chooses and if at least one parent/guardian of the student continues to be physically employed by an employer situated within district boundaries, subject to the exceptions in items #1-3 above. (Education Code 48204)

Note: Education Code 48204 prescribes limits on the number of net Allen bill transfers out of the district (the difference between the number of students entering and exiting the district) that a district may allow each fiscal year, unless waived by the sending district. The limits are based on the average daily attendance (ADA) of the district, as follows: five percent of ADA for districts with 500 or less ADA; three percent of ADA or 25 students, whichever is greater, for districts with an ADA of 501-2,500; and one percent of ADA or 75 students, whichever is greater, for districts with an ADA of 2,501 or more. The following paragraph may be modified to specify the percentage that applies to the district's ADA.

Even if the district has not authorized Allen bill transfers into the district, Education Code 48204 provides that the district may disallow transfers out of the district, within the specified limits, by students whose parent/guardian is employed within the boundaries of another district.

The Superintendent or designee may deny a transfer out of the district by a student whose parent/guardian is employed within the boundaries of another district if the difference between the number of students entering and exiting the district on the basis of parent/guardian employment exceeds the limits prescribed in Education Code 48204. (Education Code 48204)

DISTRICT RESIDENCY (continued)

Proof of Residency

Evidence of residency may be established by documentation showing the name and address of the parent/guardian within the district, including, but not limited to, any of the following: (Education Code 48204.1)

1. Property tax payment receipt
2. Rental property contract, lease, or payment receipt
3. Utility service contract, statement, or payment receipt
4. Pay stub
5. Voter registration
6. Correspondence from a government agency
7. Declaration of residency executed by the student's parent/guardian
8. If the student is an unaccompanied youth as defined in 42 USC 11434a, a declaration of residency executed by the student

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48204, a student shall be deemed a resident of the district if he/she lives with a caregiving adult within district boundaries; see item #5 in section "Criteria for Residency" above. Family Code 6552 provides an affidavit which authorizes a caregiver 18 years of age or older to enroll a minor in school and requires the caregiver's attestation that the student lives with the caregiver. If the student stops living with the caregiver, Family Code 6550 requires the caregiver to so notify the school.

9. If the student is residing in the home of a caregiving adult within district boundaries, an affidavit executed by the caregiving adult in accordance with Family Code 6552

(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)

A parent/guardian seeking residency status on the basis of his/her employment within district boundaries shall submit proof of the employment which may include, but not be limited to, a paycheck stub or letter from his/her employer listing a physical address within district boundaries. Such evidence shall also indicate the number of hours or days per school week that the parent/guardian is employed at that location.

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts in which there is a military installation within district boundaries. Pursuant to Education Code 48204.3, as added by SB 1455 (Ch. 312, Statutes of

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2016), a parent/guardian who is seeking residency status based on his/her transfer or pending transfer to a military installation within district boundaries may provide any of the following types of proof of residence:

A parent/guardian who is transferred or pending transfer into a military installation within district boundaries shall provide proof of residence within 10 days after the published arrival date provided on official documentation. For this purpose, he/she may use as his/her address a temporary on-base billeting facility, a purchased or leased home or apartment, or federal government or public-private venture off-base military housing. (Education Code 48204.3)

Note: Federal and state law require the immediate enrollment of homeless youth (Education Code 48852.7; 42 USC 11432), and foster youth (Education Code 48853.5), or student who has had contact with the juvenile justice system (Education Code 48645.5) regardless of their his/her ability to provide the school with records normally required for enrollment, including proof of residency. If a dispute arises over the enrollment of a homeless or foster youth, the student must be allowed to attend school while the district liaison conducts a dispute resolution process. See BP/AR/E 6173 - Education for Homeless Children and AR 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth.

The California Department of Education's web site provides sample forms to obtain a declaration and affidavit from the parent/guardian or other qualified adult relative of a homeless child attesting that the family does not have a fixed, regular, adequate nighttime residence and indicating the current location where the family lives.

~~The Superintendent or designee shall make a reasonable effort to secure evidence that a homeless or foster youth resides within the district, including, but not limited to, a utility bill, letter from a homeless shelter, hotel/motel receipt, or affidavit from the student's parent/guardian or other qualified adult relative.~~

~~However, any homeless or foster youth or student who has had contact with the juvenile justice system shall not be required immediately enrolled in school even if he/she is unable to provide proof of residency as a condition of enrollment in district schools. (Education Code 48645.5; 48852.7, 48853.5; 42 USC 11432)~~

(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

(cf. 6173.3 - Education for Juvenile Court School Students)

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DISTRICT RESIDENCY (continued)

Safe at Home/Confidential Address Program

Note: Government Code 6205-6210 authorize the Secretary of State to provide victims of domestic violence, stalking, or sexual assault with a substitute address to use in place of their residence, work, or school address in all public records. Under this program, the Secretary of State receives any mail sent to the substitute address and forwards it to the program participant's confidential address. Pursuant to Government Code 6207, the district must accept and use the substitute address designated by the Secretary of State as a participant's substitute address for all communication and correspondence with program participants. The participant will present a laminated identification card containing his/her substitute address and a four-digit authorization number. The district may verify the enrollment of a student in the program by contacting the Safe At Home program.

Program participants have been advised by the Secretary of State to provide administrators with their actual residence location only for school emergency purposes and to establish residency within the district.

When a student or parent/guardian participating in the Safe at Home program requests that the district use the substitute address designated by the Secretary of State, the Superintendent or designee may request the actual residence address for the purpose of establishing residency within district boundaries but shall use the substitute address for all future communications and correspondence and shall not include the actual address in the student's file or any other public record. (Government Code 6206, 6207)

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

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3. The student has been admitted through an interdistrict attendance option, such as an interdistrict attendance agreement, "school district of choice" transfer, or Open Enrollment Act transfer. (Education Code 46600, 48204, 48301, 48356)

(cf. 5117 - Interdistrict Attendance)

(cf. 5118 - Open Enrollment Act Transfers)

4. The student is an emancipated minor residing within district boundaries. (Education Code 48204)
5. The student lives with a caregiving adult within district boundaries and the caregiving adult submits an affidavit to that effect. (Education Code 48204)
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(cf. 6183 - Home and Hospital Instruction)

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hours during the school week. No student seeking residency on this basis shall be denied enrollment based on race, ethnicity, sex, parental income, scholastic achievement, or any of the individual characteristics set forth in Education Code 220. However, the Superintendent or designee may deny enrollment into the district if any of the following circumstances is present: (Education Code 48204)

1. The additional cost of educating the student would exceed the amount of additional state aid received as a result of the transfer.
2. Enrollment of the student would adversely affect the district's court-ordered or voluntary desegregation plan as determined by the Governing Board.
3. Other circumstances exist that are not arbitrary.

Such circumstances may include, but are not limited to, overcrowding of school facilities at the relevant grade level.

Once a student establishes residency on this basis, he/she shall not be required to reapply for enrollment in subsequent years. The student may continue to attend school in the district through the highest grade level offered by the district if the parent/guardian so chooses and if at least one parent/guardian of the student continues to be physically employed by an employer situated within district boundaries, subject to the exceptions in items #1-3 above. (Education Code 48204)

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(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)

The Superintendent or designee shall make a reasonable effort to secure evidence that a homeless or foster youth resides within the district, including, but not limited to, a utility bill, letter from a homeless shelter, hotel/motel receipt, or affidavit from the student's parent/guardian or other qualified adult relative.

However, a homeless or foster youth shall not be required to provide proof of residency as a condition of enrollment in district schools. (Education Code 48852.7, 48853.5; 42 USC 11432)

(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

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(cf. 3580 - District Records)

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ABSENCES AND EXCUSES

Note: The following optional policy may be revised to reflect district practice. Pursuant to Education Code 48200, children ~~between~~ ages 6-18 years ~~and 18~~ are subject to compulsory, full-time education, except when otherwise exempted.

~~Pursuant to Education Code 42238.8, the determination of an absence as excused or unexcused is irrelevant for accounting purposes. However, verification of excused absences is still relevant necessary for purposes of enforcement of compulsory education laws and for the determination of whether a student is truant. Pursuant to Education Code 48260, students with a valid excused absence are not truant. In addition, this classification is important since California's welfare system (CalWORKS), Welfare and Institutions Code 11253.5, sets family grant eligibility requirements based upon whether a child is "regularly attending school." See BP/AR 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy.~~

For examples of strategies for reducing chronic absences, see BP/AR 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy and CSBA's policy brief, *Improving Student Achievement by Addressing Chronic Absence*. For information about the impact of absences on a student's grades, see BP 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement.

The Governing Board believes that regular attendance plays an important role in student achievement. The Board shall work with parents/guardians and students to ensure their compliance with all state attendance laws and may use appropriate legal means to correct problems of chronic absence or truancy.

(cf. 5112.1 - Exemptions from Attendance)
(cf. 5112.2 - Exclusions from Attendance)
(cf. 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy)
(cf. 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement)
(cf. 6154 - Homework/Makeup Work)

Excused Absences

Absence from school shall be excused only for health reasons, family emergencies, and justifiable personal reasons, as permitted by law, Board policy, and administrative regulations. (Education Code 48205)

Note: The following paragraph is optional. Pursuant to Education Code 46014, the Governing Board may allow students to be absent for religious exercises or instruction. If the Board allows such absences, it must first adopt a resolution permitting an excused absence for this purpose. The Board is also mandated to adopt regulations governing students' attendance, at such exercises or instruction and the reporting of these absences; see accompanying administrative regulation.

Student absence for religious instruction or participation in religious exercises away from school property may be considered excused subject to law and administrative regulation. (Education Code 46014)

ABSENCES AND EXCUSES (continued)

Inasmuch as **school attendance and** class participation **is an are** integral **part of to** students' learning experiences, parents/guardians and students shall be encouraged to schedule medical **and other** appointments during non-school hours.

Note: The following paragraph applies to all districts. ~~Districts that maintain only elementary grades should delete the reference to grades 7-12 students in the paragraph.~~

~~At the beginning of each school year, the Superintendent or designee shall send a notification to the parents/guardians of all students, and to all students in grades 7-12, informing them that school authorities may excuse any student from school to obtain confidential medical services without the consent of the student's parent/guardian. (Education Code 46010.1)~~
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~~(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)~~

Note: The California Supreme Court (*American Academy of Pediatrics et al v. Lundgren et al*) has clarified that students do not need parent/guardian consent before receiving confidential medical services. The Attorney General reached the same conclusion in *87 Ops. Cal. Atty. Gen. 168 (2004)*. Pursuant to Education Code 46010.1 and the California Supreme Court in *American Academy of Pediatrics et al v. Lundgren et al* (1997), minor students do not need parent/guardian consent to obtain confidential medical services, and schools are authorized to excuse a student from school to obtain such services.

Students shall not be absent from school without their parents/guardians' knowledge or consent, except in cases of medical emergency or, **as authorized pursuant to Education Code 46010.1, for a** confidential medical appointment.

Note: 5 CCR 421 requires the Board to approve reasonable methods for verifying student absences due to illness or quarantine. See the accompanying administrative regulation for examples of methods of verification.

The Board shall, by resolution entered into its minutes, approve reasonable methods that may be used to verify student absences due to illness or quarantine. **(5 CCR 421)**

~~Effect of Absence on Grades/Credits~~ **[SECTION DELETED]**

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The Governing Board believes that regular attendance plays an important role in student achievement. The Board recognizes its responsibility under the law to ensure that students attend school regularly. Parents/guardians of children aged 6 to 18 are obligated to send their children to school unless otherwise provided by law. The Board shall abide by all state attendance laws and may use appropriate legal means to correct the problems of excessive absence or truancy.

(cf. 5112.1 - Exemptions from Attendance)

(cf. 5112.2 - Exclusions from Attendance)

(cf. 5113.1 - Truancy)

Excused Absences

Absence from school shall be excused only for health reasons, family emergencies and justifiable personal reasons, as permitted by law, Board policy and administration regulations. (Education Code 46010, 48216, 48205)

Inasmuch as class participation is an integral part of students' learning experiences, parents/guardians and students shall be encouraged to schedule medical appointments during nonschool hours.

At the beginning of each academic year, notifications shall be sent to the parents/guardians of all students, and to all students in grades 7 through 12, informing them that school authorities may excuse any student from school to obtain confidential medical services without the consent of the student's parent/guardian. (Education Code 46010.1)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Students in grades K-6 shall not be absent from school without their parents/guardians' knowledge or consent except in cases of medical emergency. Students in grades 7-12 shall not be absent from school without their parents/guardians' knowledge or consent except in cases of medical emergency or confidential medical appointment.

Student absence for religious instruction or participation in religious exercises away from school property may be considered excused subject to law and administrative regulations. (Education Code 46014)

A student's grades may be affected by excessive unexcused absences in accordance with Board policy.

(cf. 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement)
(cf. 6154 - Homework/Makeup Work)

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ABSENCES AND EXCUSES

Excused Absences

Note: Items #1-11 below reflect absences that are authorized by law to be considered as excused absences. Pursuant to Education Code 42238.8, the determination of an absence as "excused" or "unexcused" is not relevant for accounting purposes. However, verification of excused absences is relevant for purposes of enforcing the compulsory state attendance laws, determining the grant eligibility of a student's family for the CalWORKS program, and, when authorized by the Governing Board, assignment of a failing grade to a student for excessive absences; see accompanying Board policy.

A student's absence shall be excused for any of the following reasons:

1. Personal illness (Education Code 48205)
2. Quarantine under the direction of a county or city health officer (Education Code 48205)

(cf. 5112.2 - Exclusions from Attendance)

3. Medical, dental, optometrical, or chiropractic appointment (Education Code 48205)
4. Attendance at funeral services for a member of the immediate family, which shall be limited to one day if the service is conducted in California or three days if the service is conducted out of state (Education Code 48205)

Immediate family shall be defined as mother, father, grandmother, grandfather, spouse, son/son-in-law, daughter/daughter-in-law, brother, sister, or any relative living in the student's immediate household. (Education Code 45194, 48205)

5. Jury duty in the manner provided by law (Education Code 48205)
6. The illness or medical appointment ~~during school hours~~ of a child to whom the student is the custodial parent (Education Code 48205)

(cf. 5146 - Married/Pregnant/Parenting Students)

7. Upon advance written request by the parent/guardian and the approval of the principal or designee, justifiable personal reasons including, but not limited to: (Education Code 48205)
 - a. Appearance in court

ABSENCES AND EXCUSES (continued)

- b. Attendance at a funeral service
- c. Observation of a holiday or ceremony of his/her religion
- d. Attendance at religious retreats ~~for no more than~~ ~~net to exceed~~ four hours per semester
- e. Attendance at an employment conference
- f. Attendance at an educational conference offered by a nonprofit organization on the legislative or judicial process

~~Note: Education Code 48205 allows excused absences for service on a precinct board as specified in item #8 below. Elections Code 12302, as amended by AB 554 (Ch. 150, Statutes of 2015), authorizes an elections official to appoint a maximum of five students per precinct to serve under the direct supervision of precinct board members if the students possess specified qualifications (e.g., at least 16 years old, a United States citizen or lawfully admitted for permanent residence in the United States, grade point average of 2.5) and their appointment is approved by the Board.~~

- 8. Service as a member of a precinct board for an election pursuant to Elections Code 12302 (Education Code 48205)

(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)

~~Note: AB 387 (Ch. 610, Statutes of 2011) amended Education Code 48205 to include student absence due to the reason described in item #9 below as a type of excused absence.~~

- 9. To spend time with an ~~his/her~~ immediate family member who is an active duty member of the uniformed services, as defined in Education Code 49701, and has been called to duty for deployment to a combat zone or a combat support position or is on leave from or has immediately returned from such deployment (Education Code 48205)

(cf. 6173.2 - Education of Children of Military Families)

~~Note: AB 1593 (Ch. 92, Statutes of 2016) amended Education Code 48205 to add attendance at the student's own naturalization ceremony as an excused absence.~~

- 10. ~~To attend his/her naturalization ceremony to become a United States citizen (Education Code 48205)~~

~~Note: Item #10-11 below should be listed only if the Governing Board has chosen to allow absences for religious instruction or exercises. See the accompanying Board policy. If these absences are allowed, Education Code 46014 mandates that the Board adopt regulations governing students' attendance at~~

ABSENCES AND EXCUSES (continued)

religious exercises or instruction and the reporting of such absences. These regulations should be included here and should include all of items #a and #b #11a-d below.

1011. Participation in religious exercises or to receive moral and religious instruction in accordance with district policy, **subject to the following conditions:** (Education Code 46014)

a. **The student's parent/guardian shall provide written consent for the absence.**

a.b. **In such instances, the student shall attend at least the minimum school day.**

b.c. The student shall be excused from school for this purpose on no more than four days per school month.

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)

Method of Verification

Note: 5 CCR 420-421 provide guidelines for verifying absences due to illness; quarantine; medical, dental, or eye appointments; or attending funeral service of a member of ~~the a student's~~ immediate family. 5 CCR 421 authorizes a student's absence to be verified by a school or public health nurse, attendance supervisor, physician, principal, teacher, or any other qualified district employee assigned to make such verification. The following section should be revised to reflect district-adopted methods of verification and to specify employee(s) assigned to verify absences.

When a student who has been absent returns to school, he/she shall present a satisfactory explanation verifying the reason for the absence. Absences shall be verified by the student's parent/guardian, other person having control of the minor, or the student if age 18 or older. (Education Code 46012; 5 CCR 306)

The following methods may be used to verify student absences:

1. Written note, fax, email, or voice mail from parent/guardian or parent representative.
2. Conversation, in person or by telephone, between the verifying employee and the student's parent/guardian or parent representative. The employee shall subsequently record the following:
 - a. Name of student
 - b. Name of parent/guardian or parent representative
 - c. Name of verifying employee

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- d. Date(s) of absence
 - e. Reason for absence
3. Visit to the student's home by the verifying employee, or any other reasonable method which establishes the fact that the student was absent for the reasons stated. The employee shall document the verification and include the information specified in item #2 above.
 4. Physician's verification.

Note: The following optional paragraph provides a means of verifying an excuse for confidential medical services without inquiring into the nature of the medical services.

- a. When excusing students for confidential medical services or verifying such appointments, district staff shall not ask the purpose of such appointments but may request a note from the contact a medical office to confirm the time of the appointment.

Note: The following optional paragraph provides that, after a specified number of absences for illness on multiple occasions, verified by methods listed in #1-3 above, the student may be required to must bring a note from a physician to verify his/her illness. If a student does not have access to medical services in order to obtain such verification, the district may need to provide financial assistance or assist the student in obtaining the medical consultation if it is required. The district should modify the number of absences below to reflect district practice.

- b. When If a student shows a pattern of chronic absenteeism due to illness, district staff may require physician verification of any further student absences. has had 14 absences in the school year for illness verified by methods listed in #1-3 above, any further absences for illness shall be verified by a physician.

Parental Notifications

At the beginning of each school year, the Superintendent or designee shall:

Note: The requirement in item #1 below is for use by districts that have chosen to allow absences for religious instruction or exercises. If the Board allows such absences to be excused, it must first adopt a resolution permitting an excused absence for this purpose. See the accompanying Board policy.

1. **Notify parents/guardians of the right to excuse a student from school in order to participate in religious exercises or to receive moral and religious instruction at their places of worship, or at other suitable places away from school property.**

ABSENCES AND EXCUSES (continued)

designated by a religious group, church, or denomination (Education Code 46014, 48980)

Note: The requirement in item #2 applies to all districts. Districts that maintain only elementary grades should delete the reference to students in grades 7-12 below

- 2. Notify students in grades 7-12 and the parents/guardians of all students that school authorities may excuse any student from school to obtain confidential medical services without the consent of the student's parent/guardian (Education Code 46010.1)**

- 3. Notify parents/guardians that a student shall not have his/her grade reduced or lose academic credit for any excused absence if missed assignments and tests that can reasonably be provided are satisfactorily completed within a reasonable period of time, and include the full text of Education Code 48205 in the notice (Education Code 48980)**

(cf. 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement)
(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)
(cf. 6154 - Homework/Makeup Work)

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Administrative Regulation

Absences And Excuses

AR 5113
Students

Excused Absences

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2. Quarantine under the direction of a county or city health officer (Education Code 48205)

(cf. 5112.2 - Exclusions from Attendance)

3. Medical, dental, optometrical, or chiropractic appointment (Education Code 48205)
4. Attendance at funeral services for a member of the immediate family, which shall be limited to one day if the service is conducted in California or three days if the service is conducted out of state. (Education Code 48205)

Immediate family shall be defined as mother, father, grandmother, grandfather, spouse, son/son-in-law, daughter/daughter-in-law, brother, sister, or any relative living in the student's immediate household. (Education Code 45194, 48205)

5. Jury duty in the manner provided by law (Education Code 48205)
6. The illness or medical appointment during school hours of a child to whom the student is the custodial parent (Education Code 48205)

(cf. 5146 - Married/Pregnant/Parenting Students)

7. Upon advance written request by the parent/guardian and the approval of the principal or designee, justifiable personal reasons including, but not limited to: (Education Code 48205)
 - a. Appearance in court
 - b. Attendance at a funeral service
 - c. Observation of a holiday or ceremony of his/her religion
 - d. Attendance at religious retreats not to exceed four hours per semester
 - e. Attendance at an employment conference

- f. Attendance at an educational conference on the legislative or judicial process offered by a nonprofit organization
- 8. Service as a member of a precinct board for an election pursuant to Elections Code 12302 (Education Code 48205)

(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)

- 9. Participation in religious exercises or to receive moral and religious instruction in accordance with district policy (Education Code 46014)
 - a. In such instances, the student shall attend at least the minimum school day.
 - b. The student shall be excused for this purpose on no more than four days per school month.

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)

Method of Verification

When a student who has been absent returns to school, he/she shall present a satisfactory explanation verifying the reason for the absence. Absences shall be verified by the student's parent/guardian, other person having control of the minor, or the student if age 18 or older. (Education Code 46012; 5 CCR 306)

The following methods may be used to verify student absences:

- 1. Written note, fax, or email from parent/guardian or parent representative.
- 2. Conversation, in person or by telephone, between the verifying employee and the student's parent/guardian or parent representative. The employee shall subsequently record the following:
 - a. Name of student
 - b. Name of parent/guardian or parent representative
 - c. Name of verifying employee
 - d. Date(s) of absence
 - e. Reason for absence
- 3. Visit to the student's home by the verifying employee, or any other reasonable method which establishes the fact that the student was absent for the reasons stated. The employee shall document the verification and include the information specified in item #2 above.

4. Physician's verification.

- a. When excusing students for confidential medical services or verifying such appointments, district staff shall not ask the purpose of such appointments but may contact a medical office to confirm the time of the appointment.
- b. When a student has had 14 absences in the school year for illness verified by methods listed in #1-3 above, any further absences for illness shall be verified by a physician.

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CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
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Students

BP 5116.2(a)

INVOLUNTARY STUDENT TRANSFERS

The Governing Board desires to enroll students in the school of their choice, but recognizes that circumstances sometimes necessitate the involuntary transfer of some students to another school or program in the district. The Superintendent or designee shall develop procedures to facilitate the transition of such students into their new school of enrollment.

(cf. 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy)

(cf. 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment)

(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process)

(cf. 5144.2 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process (Students with Disabilities))

(cf. 6173.3 - Education for Juvenile Court School Students)

As applicable, when determining the best placement for a student who is subject to involuntary transfer, the Superintendent or designee shall review all educational options for which the student is eligible, the student's academic progress and needs, the enrollment capacity at district schools, and the availability of support services and other resources.

Whenever a student is involuntarily transferred, the Superintendent or designee shall provide timely written notification to the student and his/her parent/guardian and an opportunity for the student and parent/guardian to meet with the Superintendent or designee to discuss the transfer.

Students Convicted of Violent Felony or Misdemeanor

Note: Education Code 48929, as added by SB 1343 (Ch. 154, Statutes of 2016), authorizes a district to involuntarily transfer a student who has been convicted of a violent felony as defined in Penal Code 667.5(c) (including, but not limited to, attempted murder, rape, assault, kidnapping, and robbery) or a misdemeanor associated with possession of a firearm as specified in Penal Code 29805, whenever the student is enrolled at the same school as a student who was a victim of the crime.

In order to exercise this authority, Education Code 48929 mandates the Governing Board to adopt, at a regularly scheduled meeting, policy that contains the following provisions: (1) a requirement that the student and his/her parent/guardian be notified of the right to request a meeting with the principal or designee; (2) a requirement that the school first attempt to resolve the conflict using restorative justice, counseling, or other services; (3) whether the decision to transfer a student is subject to periodic review and the procedure for conducting the review; and (4) the process to be used by the Board to consider and approve or disapprove the recommendation of the principal or designee to transfer the student. Education Code 48929 also requires the district to provide notice of the policy to parents/guardians as part of the annual parental notification required by Education Code 48980.

A student may be transferred to another district school if he/she is convicted of a violent felony, as defined in Penal Code 667.5(c), or a misdemeanor listed in Penal Code 29805 and is enrolled at the same school as the victim of the crime for which he/she was convicted. (Education Code 48929)

INVOLUNTARY STUDENT TRANSFERS (continued)

Before transferring such a student, the Superintendent or designee shall attempt to resolve the conflict using restorative justice, counseling, or other such services. He/she shall also notify the student and his/her parents/guardians of the right to request a meeting with the principal or designee. (Education Code 48929)

(cf. 5138 - Conflict Resolution/Peer Mediation)
(cf. 5144 - Discipline)
(cf. 6164.2 - Guidance and Counseling Services)

Participation of the victim in any conflict resolution program shall be voluntary, and he/she shall not be subjected to any disciplinary action for his/her refusal to participate in conflict resolution.

Note: The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Education Code 48929 mandates that the Board adopt policy describing the process to be used by the Board to consider and take action on the recommendation to transfer a student under this law, but does not prescribe any such process.

Education Code 35146 provides that the Board must meet in closed session to address any student matter that may involve disclosure of confidential student information, or to consider a suspension, disciplinary action, or any other action against a student except expulsion. If a written request for open session is received from the parent/guardian or adult student, it will be honored to the extent that it does not violate the privacy rights of any other student. See BB 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas.

The principal or designee shall submit to the Superintendent or designee a recommendation as to whether or not the student should be transferred. If the Superintendent or designee determines that a transfer would be in the best interest of the students involved, he/she shall submit such recommendation to the Board for approval.

The Board shall deliberate in closed session to maintain the confidentiality of student information, unless the parent/guardian or adult student submits a written request that the matter be addressed in open session and doing so would not violate the privacy rights of any other student. The Board's decision shall be final.

(cf. 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas)

The decision to transfer a student shall be subject to periodic review by the Superintendent or designee.

The Superintendent or designee shall annually notify parents/guardians of the district's policy authorizing the transfer of a student pursuant to Education Code 48929. (Education Code 48980)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

INVOLUNTARY STUDENT TRANSFERS (continued)

Other Involuntary Transfers

Students may be involuntarily transferred under either of the following circumstances:

Note: Item #1 below is for use by districts that maintain high schools. Education Code 48432 requires such districts to establish and maintain continuation education schools or classes whenever there are any students residing in the district who are subject to compulsory continuation education. Pursuant to Education Code 48432.5, districts that assign students to continuation schools are mandated to adopt rules and regulations governing procedures for involuntary transfer of students to continuation schools. See BP/AR 6184 - Continuation Education for language fulfilling this mandate.

1. If a high school student commits an act enumerated in Education Code 48900 or is habitually truant or irregular in school attendance, he/she may be transferred to a continuation school. (Education Code 48432.5)

(cf. 6184 - Continuation Education)

Note: Education Code 48660-48666 authorize districts to establish community day schools for expelled students, certain probation-referred students pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code 300 or 602, and students referred by a school attendance review board or through another formal district process. Pursuant to Education Code 48662, districts establishing a community day school are mandated to adopt policy that provides procedures for the involuntary transfer of students to the school. See BP/AR 6185 - Community Day Schools for language fulfilling this mandate.

2. If a student is expelled from school for any reason, is probation-referred pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code 300 or 602, or is referred by a school attendance review board or another formal district process, he/she may be transferred to a community day school. (Education Code 48662)

(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

(cf. 6185 - Community Day School)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

INVOLUNTARY STUDENT TRANSFERS (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

35146 *Closed sessions; student matters*

48430-48438 *Continuation classes, especially:*

48432.5 *Involuntary transfer to continuation school*

48660-48666 *Community day schools, especially:*

48662 *Involuntary transfer to community day school*

48900 *Grounds for suspension and expulsion*

48929 *Transfer of student convicted of violent felony or misdemeanor*

48980 *Notice at beginning of term*

PENAL CODE

667.5 *Violent felony, definition*

29805 *Misdemeanors involving firearms*

WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE

300 *Minors subject to jurisdiction*

602 *Minors violating laws defining crime; ward of court*

Management Resources:

WEB SITES

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

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

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Students

AR 5125.3(a)

CHALLENGING STUDENT RECORDS

Note: The following administrative regulation provides a process by which, pursuant to Education Code 49070, parents/guardians and students who are 18 years old or attending a postsecondary institution may request an amendment to any incorrect, inaccurate, or misleading information in student records maintained by the district. For details of student records that the district may maintain, see BP/AR 5125 - Student Records.

At the beginning of each school year or, for a student enrolled after the beginning of the school year, at the time of enrollment, parents/guardians shall be notified of the availability of the above following procedures for challenging the contents of student records. Any student who is 18 years of age or attends a postsecondary institution shall have the sole right to challenge the contents of his/her records. (Education Code 49061, 49063)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Procedures for Challenging Records

The custodial parent/guardian of any student may submit to the Superintendent or designee a written request to correct or remove from his/her child's records any information concerning the child which he/she alleges to be any of the following: (Education Code 49070; 34 CFR 99.20)

1. Inaccurate
2. An unsubstantiated personal conclusion or inference
3. A conclusion or inference outside of the observer's area of competence
4. Not based on the personal observation of a named person with the time and place of the observation noted
5. Misleading
6. In violation of the privacy or other rights of the student

Within 30 days of receiving a request to correct or remove any information from a record, the Superintendent or designee shall meet with the parent/guardian and with the district employee (if still employed) who recorded the that information in question, if he/she is presently employed by the district. The Superintendent shall then sustain or deny the allegations. (Education Code 49070)

CHALLENGING STUDENT RECORDS (continued)

~~If the parent/guardian's allegations are sustained, the Superintendent shall order the correction or removal and destruction of the information. (Education Code 49070)~~ **MOVED TO SECTION: RESOLUTION OF CHALLENGE/APPEALS**

~~When a student grade is challenged,~~ **If the challenge involves a student's grade,** the teacher who gave the grade shall be given an opportunity to state, orally, and/or in writing, or both, the reasons for which the grade was given. Insofar as practicable, ~~he/she the teacher~~ shall be included in all discussions related to any grade change. In the absence of clerical or mechanical error, fraud, bad faith, or incompetency, ~~the a~~ student's grade as determined by the teacher shall be final. (Education Code 49066)

(cf. 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement)

Resolution of Challenge/Appeals

~~After considering all relevant information,~~ **The Superintendent or designee shall then** sustain or deny the ~~parent/guardian's~~ allegations. (Education Code 49070)

If the parent/guardian's allegations are sustained, the Superintendent or designee shall order the correction or removal and destruction of the information. (Education Code 49070)

If the Superintendent or designee denies the allegations, the parent/guardian may, ~~write~~ within 30 days, ~~to~~ appeal the decision **in writing** to the Governing Board. Within 30 days of receiving the written appeal, the Board shall meet in closed session with the parent/guardian and the ~~district~~ employee ~~(if still employed)~~ who recorded the information ~~in question,~~ **if he/she is presently employed by the district.** The Board shall then decide whether ~~or not~~ to sustain or deny the allegations. ~~The decision of the Board shall be final.~~ (Education Code 49070)

(cf. 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas)
(cf. 9321.1 - Closed Session Actions and Reports)

~~If the Board sustains any or all of the allegations,~~ the Superintendent or designee shall immediately order ~~the correction or removal and destroy~~ destruction of the pertinent information from the student's records and shall ~~inform the parent/guardian in writing that the information has been corrected or destroyed.~~ (Education Code 49070)

~~The decision of the Board shall be final.~~ **If the parent/guardian does not file an appeal, or if the appeal is denied by the Board, decision of the Superintendent or Board is unfavorable to the parent/guardian,** the parent/guardian shall be informed of his/her ~~have the~~ right to submit a written statement of objections to the information. ~~This statement shall become a part of the student's record.~~ Any statement submitted by the parent/guardian shall be maintained with the contested part of the record for as long as the record is maintained and shall be disclosed whenever the related part of the record is disclosed. (Education Code 49070: 34 CFR 99.21)

CHALLENGING STUDENT RECORDS (continued)**Hearing Panel**

Note: The following optional section is for use by districts that choose to use a hearing panel to assist in making determinations regarding challenges to student records, as authorized by Education Code 49071.

Both The Superintendent or designee and/or the Board have the option of appointing may appoint a hearing panel to assist in making the decision determinations regarding a challenge to student records or an appeal, as applicable. The hearing panel may be used at the discretion of the Superintendent or the Board provided that the parent/guardian gives written consents to releasing relevant student record information to the panel members. Such a hearing panel shall consist of the following persons: (Education Code 49070, 49071)

- 1. A chairperson who is a principal of a public school other than the school at which the record is on file**

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 49071, the hearing panel must include a certificated employee appointed by the chair of the district's certificated employee council or, if no such council exists, a certificated employee appointed by the parent/guardian. Item #2 below may be revised to reflect district practice.

- 2. A certificated employee appointed by the district's certificated employee council or, if no such council exists, by a parent/guardian**
- 3. A parent/guardian appointed by the Superintendent or designee or the Board, whoever convenes the panel**

If possible, the members of the hearing panel shall not be acquainted with the student, his/her parent/guardian, or the employee who recorded the information, except when the parent/guardian appoints the certificated employee pursuant to item #2, above. (Education Code 49071)

The panel shall be provided with verbatim copies of the information that is the subject of the controversy. The panel shall, in closed session, hear the parent/guardian's objections to the student record and, if the employee is presently employed by the district, the employee's testimony. The proceedings of the hearing shall not be disclosed or discussed by panel members except in their official capacities. The panel shall submit, to the Superintendent or designee or the Board as applicable, its written findings setting forth the facts and decisions of the panel. (Education Code 49071)

CHALLENGING STUDENT RECORDS (continued)

~~The right to challenge a record becomes the sole right of the student when the student becomes 18 or attends a postsecondary institution. (Education Code 49061) [MOVED TO TOP OF AR]~~

~~At the beginning of each school year, parents/guardians shall be notified of the availability of the above procedures for challenging student records. (Education Code 49063) [MOVED TO TOP OF AR]~~

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

49061 Definitions

49063 Notification of parents of their rights

49066 Grades; change of grade; physical education grade

49070 Challenging content of records

49071 Hearing panel

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

1232g Family Educational and Privacy Rights Act

1681-1688 Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34

99.1-99.67 Family Educational Rights and Privacy, especially

99.20-99.22 Procedures for amending educational records

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Administrative Regulation

Challenging Student Records

AR 5125.3
Students

The custodial parent/guardian of any student may submit to the Superintendent or designee a written request to correct or remove from his/her child's records any information concerning the child which he/she alleges to be any of the following: (Education Code 49070)

1. Inaccurate
2. An unsubstantiated personal conclusion or inference
3. A conclusion or inference outside of the observer's area of competence
4. Not based on the personal observation of a named person with the time and place of the observation noted
5. Misleading
6. In violation of the privacy or other rights of the student

(cf. 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement)
(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

When a student grade is challenged, the teacher who gave the grade shall be given an opportunity to state orally, in writing, or both, the reasons for which the grade was given. Insofar as practicable, he/she shall be included in all discussions related to any grade change. In the absence of clerical or mechanical error, fraud, bad faith or incompetency, the student's grade as determined by the teacher shall be final. (Education Code 49066)

Within 30 days of receiving a request to correct or remove information from a record, the Superintendent or designee shall meet with the parent/guardian and with the employee (if still employed) who recorded the information in question. The Superintendent shall then sustain or deny the allegations. (Education Code 49070)

If the parent/guardian's allegations are sustained, the Superintendent shall order the correction or removal and destruction of the information. (Education Code 49070)

If the Superintendent denies the allegations, the parent/guardian may write within 30 days to appeal the decision to the Governing Board. Within 30 days of receiving the written appeal, the Board shall meet in closed session with the parent/guardian and the employee (if still

employed) who recorded the information in question. The Board shall then decide whether or not to sustain or deny the allegations. If it sustains any or all of the allegations, the Superintendent shall immediately correct or remove and destroy the information from the student's records. (Education Code 49070)

The decision of the Board shall be final. If the decision of the Superintendent or Board is unfavorable to the parent/guardian, the parent/guardian shall have the right to submit a written statement of objections. This statement shall become a part of the student's record. (Education Code 49070)

Both the Superintendent and the Board have the option of appointing a hearing panel to assist in making the decision. The hearing panel may be used at the discretion of the Superintendent or the Board provided that the parent/guardian consents to releasing record information to panel members. (Education Code 49070, 49071)

The right to challenge a record becomes the sole right of the student when the student becomes 18 or attends a postsecondary institution. (Education Code 49061)

At the beginning of each school year, parents/guardians shall be notified of the availability of the above procedures for challenging student records. (Education Code 49063)

(cf. 1312 - Complaints Concerning the Schools)
(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Legal Reference:

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UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

1232g Family Educational and Privacy Rights Act of 1974

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CSBA Sample Board Policy

Students

BP 5141.21(a)

ADMINISTERING MEDICATION AND MONITORING HEALTH CONDITIONS

Note: The following optional policy and accompanying administrative regulation apply to the administration of medication to students pursuant to Education Code 49414, ~~49414.3~~, 49414.5, ~~49414.7~~, 49423, and 49423.1, and the permissive guidelines in 5 CCR 600-611, and guidelines related to the training and supervision of nonmedical employees providing emergency medical assistance to students who suffer epileptic seizures (~~5 CCR 620-627~~). Education Code 49414.3, as added by AB 1748 (Ch. 557 Statutes of 2016), authorizes districts to make emergency naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist available to school nurses or trained personnel who have volunteered to provide emergency medical aid to persons suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from an opioid overdose.

Education Code 49414.7, which authorized trained, unlicensed school personnel to administer medication to students with epilepsy suffering from seizures, is repealed on its own terms effective January 1, 2017. Although the procedures in Education Code 49414.7 are no longer required, health providers may train unlicensed school personnel to administer medication, including emergency anti-seizure medication, pursuant to the general authority in Education Code 49423 and 5 CCR 600-611, as interpreted by the California Supreme Court in American Nurses Association v. Torlakson.

~~For students identified as qualified for services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 USC 1400-1482) or Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC 794), prescribed medication must be administered in accordance with the student's individualized education program or Section 504 services plan. See also BP/AR 5141.24 - Specialized Health Care Services, BP/AR 6159 - Individualized Education Program, and BP/AR 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504.~~

This policy and regulation do not address situations in which a district might be engaged in a collaborative arrangement with another entity for the provision of school health services to students; see BP/AR 5141.6 - School Health Services.

The Governing Board believes that regular school attendance is critical to student learning and that students who need to take medication prescribed or ordered for them by their authorized health care providers should have an opportunity to participate in the educational program.

(cf. 5113 - Absences and Excuses)
(cf. 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy)

Any medication prescribed for a student with a disability who is qualified to receive services under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 shall be administered in accordance with the student's individualized education program or Section 504 services plan, as applicable.

(cf. 5141.24 - Specialized Health Care Services)
(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)
(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)

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Note: 5 CCR 604 authorizes a parent/guardian to administer medication to his/her child or designate an individual to administer the medication, as specified below. In addition, California law allows students to carry and self-administer medication needed for the treatment or management of certain medical conditions, when the district has received a written request from the student's parent/guardian and written authorization from the student's authorized health care provider, as specified in the accompanying administrative regulation. Students have legal authorization to self-administer diabetes medication pursuant to Education Code 49414.5, auto-injectable epinephrine for anaphylactic reactions pursuant to Education Code 49423, and inhaled asthma medication pursuant to Education Code 49423.1. Pursuant to 5 CCR 605, districts may choose to allow students to carry and self-administer other types of medication beyond those specifically authorized by the Education Code.

For the administration of medication to other students during school or school-related activities, the Superintendent or designee shall develop protocols which shall include options for allowing a parent/guardian to administer medication to his/her child at school, designate other individuals to do so on his/her behalf, and, with the child's authorized health care provider's approval, request the district's permission for his/her child to self-administer a medication or self-monitor and/or self-test for a medical condition. Such processes shall be implemented in a manner that preserves campus security, minimizes instructional interruptions, and promotes student safety and privacy.

(cf. 1250 - Visitors/Outsiders)

(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)

(cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)

(cf. 5141.23 - Asthma Management)

(cf. 5141.27 - Food Allergies/Special Dietary Needs)

(cf. 6116 - Classroom Interruptions)

The Superintendent or designee shall make available epinephrine auto-injectors at each school for providing emergency medical aid to any person suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from an anaphylactic reaction. (Education Code 49414)

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by any district that, at its discretion, chooses to make emergency naloxone hydrochloride or other opioid antagonist available at its schools for the purpose of providing emergency medical aid, pursuant to Education Code 49414.3, as added by AB 1748 (Ch. 557, Statutes of 2016). In choosing to make such medications available, the district should be aware of the possibility of increased liability and should consult legal counsel accordingly.

~~The Board authorizes the Superintendent or designee to make available naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist for emergency medical aid to any person suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from an opioid overdose. (Education Code 49414.3)~~

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention recommend that a district's emergency and disaster preparedness plan include procedures for dealing with medical emergencies, such as

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~~In addition,~~ The Superintendent or designee shall collaborate with city and county emergency responders, including local public health administrators, to design procedures or measures for addressing an emergency such as a public disaster or epidemic.

(cf. 3516 - Emergencies and Disaster Preparedness Plan)

Administration of Medication by School Personnel

Note: Various provisions of state law allow districts to train nonmedical district employees (i.e., those who do not possess a medical license) to provide medical assistance to students at school when a credentialed school nurse or other licensed individual is unavailable. For example, Education Code 49414, 49414.3, 49414.5, 49423, and 49423.1, ~~and 49414.7~~ specifically authorize the use of trained, unlicensed school employees to administer ~~emergency~~ medications to students suffering from allergic reactions, opioid overdose, severe hypoglycemia, or asthma, ~~and epileptic seizures~~. Moreover, in American Nurses Association v. Torlakson, the California Supreme Court held that, as with other prescription medications, state law permits trained, unlicensed school personnel to administer insulin to students ~~in school in accordance with a written health care provider statement and parental consent~~ where a physician has determined that unlicensed school personnel may safely and appropriately administer the medication. ~~The medication must be administered in accordance with a written health care provider statement and parental consent.~~

~~Any medication prescribed by an authorized health care provider, including, but not limited to, emergency antiseizure medication for a student who suffers epileptic seizures, auto-injectable epinephrine, insulin, or glucagon, may be administered by the school nurse or other designated school personnel only when the Superintendent or designee has received written statements from both the student's parent/guardian and authorized health care provider. (Education Code 49414.7, 49423; 5 CCR 600)~~

When allowed by law, medication prescribed to a student by an authorized health care provider may be administered by a school nurse or, when a school nurse or other medically licensed person is unavailable and the physician has authorized administration of medication by unlicensed personnel for a particular student, by other designated school personnel with appropriate training. School nurses and other designated school personnel shall administer medications to students in accordance with law, Board policy, and administrative regulation, and, ~~as applicable,~~ the written statement provided by the student's parent/guardian and authorized health care provider. ~~and~~ Such personnel shall be afforded appropriate liability protection.

(cf. 3530 - Risk Management/Insurance)

(cf. 4119.42/4219.42/4319.42 - Exposure Control Plan for Bloodborne Pathogens)

(cf. 4119.43/4219.43/4319.43 - Universal Precautions)

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~~Note: Certain medication-specific statutes that authorize unlicensed district employees to administer medication to students require that such employees be trained. For example, Education Code 49414.7 requires training by qualified medical personnel for unlicensed district employees who volunteer to administer emergency antiseizure medications to students who suffer epileptic seizures. Guidelines for the training and supervision of such unlicensed school employees have been adopted as 5 CCR 620-627 and are specified in the accompanying administrative regulation.~~

~~When medically unlicensed school personnel are authorized by law to administer any medication to students, such as emergency antiseizure medication, auto-injectable epinephrine, insulin, or glucagon, †The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that school personnel designated to administer any medication receive appropriate training and, as necessary, retraining from qualified medical personnel before any medication is administered. At a minimum, the training shall cover how and when such medication should be administered, the recognition of symptoms and treatment, emergency follow-up procedures, and the proper documentation and storage of medication. Such trained, unlicensed designated school personnel shall be supervised by, and provided with immediate communication access to, a school nurse, physician, or other appropriate individual. (Education Code 49414, 49414.3, 49414.5, 49414.7, 49423, 49423.1)~~

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain documentation of the training and ongoing supervision, as well as annual written verification of competency of other designated school personnel.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

48980 Notification at beginning of term

49407 Liability for treatment

49408 Emergency information

49414 Emergency epinephrine auto-injectors

49414.3 Emergency medical assistance; administration of medication for opioid overdose

49414.5 Providing school personnel with voluntary emergency training

49414.7 Emergency medical assistance; administration of epilepsy medication

49422-49427 Employment of medical personnel, especially:

49423 Administration of prescribed medication for student

49423.1 Inhaled asthma medication

49480 Continuing medication regimen; notice

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BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE

2700-2837 Nursing, especially:

2726 Authority not conferred

2727 Exceptions in general

3501 Definitions

4119.2 Acquisition of epinephrine auto-injectors

~~4119.8 Acquisition of naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist~~

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

600-611 Administering medication to students

~~620-627 Administration of emergency antiseizure medication by trained volunteer nonmedical school personnel~~

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

1232g Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974

1400-1482 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act

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Board Policy

Administering Medication And Monitoring Health Conditions

BP 5141.21

Students

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(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)

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(cf. 3516 - Emergencies and Disaster Preparedness Plan)

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injectable epinephrine, insulin, or glucagon, may be administered by the school nurse or other designated school personnel only when the Superintendent or designee has received written statements from both the student's parent/guardian and authorized health care provider. (Education Code 49414.7, 49423; 5 CCR 600)

When medically unlicensed school personnel are authorized by law to administer any medication to students, such as emergency antiseizure medication, auto-injectable epinephrine, insulin, or glucagon, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that school personnel designated to administer any medication receive appropriate training and, as necessary, retraining from qualified medical personnel before any medication is administered. At a minimum, the training shall cover how and when such medication should be administered, the recognition of symptoms and treatment, emergency follow-up procedures, and the proper documentation and storage of medication. Such trained, unlicensed designated school personnel shall be supervised by, and provided with immediate communication access to, a school nurse, physician, or other appropriate individual. (Education Code 49414, 49414.5, 49414.7, 49423, 49423.1)

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain documentation of the training and ongoing supervision, as well as annual written verification of competency of other designated school personnel.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

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(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

School nurses and other designated school personnel shall administer medications to students in accordance with law, Board policy, and administrative regulation and shall be afforded appropriate liability protection.

(cf. 3530 - Risk Management/Insurance)

(cf. 4119.42/4219.42/4319.42 - Exposure Control Plan for Bloodborne Pathogens)

(cf. 4119.43/4219.43/4319.43 - Universal Precautions)

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- 49408 Emergency information
- 49414 Emergency epinephrine auto-injectors
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- 49414.7 Emergency medical assistance: administration of epilepsy medication
- 49422-49427 Employment of medical personnel, especially:
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- 49480 Continuing medication regimen; notice

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CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

Students

AR 5141.21(a)

ADMINISTERING MEDICATION AND MONITORING HEALTH CONDITIONS

Note: The following administrative regulation reflects requirements for the administration of medication to students on a continuing medication regimen or in emergency medical situations at school or a school-related activity. The district should consult legal counsel as necessary to ensure that all legal requirements are met.

Education Code 49414.7, which authorized trained, unlicensed school personnel to administer anti-seizure medication to students with epilepsy, repealed on its own terms effective January 1, 2017. However, districts may choose to continue to train unlicensed school personnel to administer anti-seizure medication under the general authority in Education Code 49423 and 5 CCR 600-611, as interpreted by the California Supreme Court in American Nurses Association v. Torlakson. Such administration must be contingent upon a physician's written authorization for unlicensed personnel to administer the medication to the particular student. The district may revise the following regulation to reflect any district requirements related to the administration of such medication.

Definitions

Authorized health care provider means an individual who is licensed by the State of California to prescribe or order medication, including, but not limited to, a physician or physician assistant. (Education Code 49423; 5 CCR 601)

Other designated school personnel means any individual employed by the district, including a nonmedical school employee, who has volunteered or consented to administer medication or otherwise assist the student and who may legally administer the medication to the student or assist the student in the administration of the medication. (5 CCR 601, 621)

Medication may include not only a substance dispensed in the United States by prescription, but also a substance that does not require a prescription, such as over-the-counter remedies, nutritional supplements, and herbal remedies. (5 CCR 601)

~~*Emergency medical assistance for a student suffering an epileptic seizure* means the administration of an emergency antiseizure medication such as diazepam rectal gel and other emergency medications approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration for patients suffering from epileptic seizures. (Education Code 49414.7; 5 CCR 621)~~

Note: Education Code 49414, as amended by AB 1386 (Ch. 374, Statutes of 2016), defines "epinephrine auto-injector" as follows:

~~*Epinephrine auto-injector* means a disposable drug-delivery system with a spring-activated needle that is designed for emergency administration of epinephrine to provide rapid, convenient first aid for persons suffering a potentially fatal reaction to anaphylaxis device~~

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designed for the automatic injection of a premeasured dose of epinephrine into the human body to prevent or treat a life-threatening allergic reaction. (Education Code 49414)

Anaphylaxis means a potentially life-threatening hypersensitivity to a substance, which may result from an insect sting, food allergy, drug reaction, exercise, or other cause. Symptoms may include shortness of breath, wheezing, difficulty breathing, difficulty talking or swallowing, hives, itching, swelling, shock, or asthma. (Education Code 49414)

(cf. 5141.23 - *Asthma Management*)

(cf. 5141.27 - *Food Allergies/Special Dietary Needs*)

Note: Education Code 49414.3, as added by AB 1748 (Ch. 557, Statutes of 2016), provides the following definition of "opioid antagonist." See section "Emergency Medication for Opioid Overdose" below for requirements for districts that choose to provide opioid antagonists to school nurses or other designated school personnel to administer to persons suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from an opioid overdose.

~~**Opioid antagonist** means naloxone hydrochloride or another drug approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration that, when administered, negates or neutralizes in whole or in part the pharmacological effects of an opioid in the body and that has been approved for the treatment of an opioid overdose. (Education Code 49414.3)~~

Notifications to Parents/Guardians

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48980, districts must notify parents/guardians, at the beginning of each school year, of their rights and responsibilities (see section "Parent/Guardian Responsibilities" below) under Education Code 49423 pertaining to the administration of medication by school employees and self-administration of epinephrine by students. Though notification is not required for self-administration of any medication other than epinephrine, it is recommended that the annual notification include other medications to facilitate implementation by school personnel.

At the beginning of each school year, the Superintendent or designee shall notify parents/guardians of the options available to students who need to take prescribed medication during the school day and the rights and responsibilities of parents/guardians regarding those options. (Education Code 49480)

(cf. 5145.6 - *Parental Notifications*)

In addition, the Superintendent or designee shall inform the parents/guardians of any student on a continuing medication regimen for a nonepisodic condition of the following requirements: (Education Code 49480)

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1. The parent/guardian is required to inform the school nurse or other designated employee of the medication being taken, the current dosage, and the name of the supervising physician.
2. With the parent/guardian's consent, the school nurse or other designated employee may communicate with the student's physician regarding the medication and its effects and may counsel school personnel regarding the possible effects of the medication on the student's physical, intellectual, and social behavior, as well as possible behavioral signs and symptoms of adverse side effects, omission, or overdose.

Note: The following paragraph is optional:

When a student requires medication during the school day in order to participate in the educational program, the Superintendent or designee shall, as appropriate, inform the student's parents/guardians that the student may qualify for services or accommodations pursuant to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 USC 1400-1482) or Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC 794).

(cf. 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education)
(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities

The responsibilities of the parent/guardian of any student who may need medication during the school day shall include, but are not limited to:

Note: Education Code 49423 and 5 CCR 600 authorize districts to administer prescribed medication only upon receipt of written statements from the student's authorized health care provider and parent/guardian. Education Code 49414.7 and 5 CCR 626 require similar statements before school personnel may administer emergency antiseizure medication to students. In addition, appropriate statements must be received before students are allowed to carry and self-administer diabetes medication pursuant to Education Code 49414.5, auto-injectable epinephrine pursuant to Education Code 49423, or asthma medication pursuant to Education Code 49423.1. Districts may choose to allow students to carry and self-administer other types of medication beyond those authorized by the Education Code. If so, the district should modify the following section accordingly. See the accompanying Board policy.

1. Providing parent/guardian and authorized health care provider written statements each school year as described in the sections "Parent/Guardian Statement" and "Health Care Provider Statement" below. The parent/guardian shall provide a new authorized health care provider's statement if the medication, dosage, frequency of administration, or reason for administration changes. (Education Code 49414.5, 49414.7; 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR 600, 626)

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2. If the student is on a continuing medication regimen for a nonepisodic condition, informing the school nurse or other designated certificated employee of the medication being taken, the current dosage, and the name of the supervising physician and updating the information when needed. (Education Code 49480)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 49414.7, if the district chooses to participate in a program to train nonmedical school employees who volunteer to provide emergency medical assistance to students suffering from epileptic seizures when licensed health care professionals are not available onsite, it must establish a district plan that includes item #3 below.

- ~~3. If the student suffers from epilepsy, notifying the principal or designee whenever the student has had an emergency antiseizure medication administered to him/her within the past four hours on a school day. (Education Code 49414.7)~~

Note: Pursuant to 5 CCR 606, the district is authorized to establish rules for the delivery and storage of medication on a school site.

- 4.3. Providing medications in properly labeled, original containers along with the authorized health care provider's instructions. For prescribed or ordered medication, the container also shall bear the name and telephone number of the pharmacy, the student's identification, and the name and phone number of the authorized health care provider. (5 CCR 606)

Parent/Guardian Statement

Note: 5 CCR 603 authorizes the district to establish specific requirements regarding the parent/guardian's written statement. The following list should be modified to reflect the district's requirements.

When district employees are to administer medication to a student, the parent/guardian's written statement shall:

1. Identify the student
2. Grant permission for an authorized district representative to communicate directly with the student's authorized health care provider and pharmacist, as may be necessary, regarding the health care provider's written statement or any other questions that may arise with regard to the medication
3. Contain an acknowledgment that the parent/guardian understands how district employees will administer the medication or otherwise assist the student in its administration

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4. Contain an acknowledgment that the parent/guardian understands his/her responsibilities to enable district employees to administer or otherwise assist the student in the administration of medication, including, but not limited to, the parent/guardian's responsibility to provide a written statement from the authorized health care provider, to ensure that the medication is delivered to the school in a proper container by an individual legally authorized to be in possession of the medication, and to provide all necessary supplies and equipment
5. Contain an acknowledgment that the parent/guardian understands that he/she may terminate the consent for the administration of the medication or for otherwise assisting the student in the administration of medication at any time

In addition to the requirements in items #1-5 above, if a parent/guardian has requested that his/her child be allowed to carry and self-administer prescription auto-injectable epinephrine or prescription inhaled asthma medication, the parent/guardian's written statement shall: (Education Code 49423, 49423.1)

1. Consent to the self-administration
2. Release the district and school personnel from civil liability if the student suffers an adverse reaction as a result of self-administering the medication

In addition to the requirements in items #1-5 above, if a parent/guardian wishes to designate an individual who is not an employee of the district to administer medication to his/her child, the parent/guardian's written statement shall clearly identify the individual and shall state:

1. The individual's willingness to accept the designation
2. That the individual is permitted to be on the school site
3. Any limitations on the individual's authority

Health Care Provider Statement

Note: Education Code 49423 and 49423.1 and 5 CCR 602 list items that the authorized health care provider's written statement must contain, as specified in items #1-4~~5~~ below. ~~Education Code 49414.7 and 5 CCR 626 contain requirements similar to items #1-3 for the administration of emergency epilepsy medication.~~ Districts that request additional information in the statement should modify the following list accordingly.

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When any district employee is to administer prescribed medication to a student, or when a student is to be allowed to carry and self-administer ~~auto-injectable epinephrine or~~ prescribed ~~diabetes or asthma~~ medication during school hours, the authorized health care provider's written statement shall include:

1. Clear identification of the student (Education Code ~~49414.7~~ 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR ~~602, 626~~)
2. The name of the medication (Education Code ~~49414.7~~ 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR ~~602, 626~~)
3. The method, amount, and time schedules by which the medication is to be taken (Education Code ~~49414.7~~ 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR ~~602, 626~~)
4. If a parent/guardian has requested that his/her child be allowed to self-administer medication, confirmation that the student is able to self-administer the medication (Education Code ~~49414.5~~ 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR 602)
5. ~~For medication that is to be administered by unlicensed personnel, confirmation by the student's health care provider that the medication may safely and appropriately be administered by unlicensed personnel (Education Code 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR 602)~~

Note: Items #~~5-7~~ ~~6-8~~ below may be revised to reflect district practice.

- ~~5.6~~ For medication that is to be administered on an as-needed basis, the specific symptoms that would necessitate administration of the medication, allowable frequency for administration, and indications for referral for medical evaluation
- ~~6.7~~ Possible side effects of the medication
- ~~7.8~~ Name, address, telephone number, and signature of the student's authorized health care provider

~~When authorizing a district employee to administer emergency antiseizure medication to a student, the authorized health care provider's written statement shall also include the following: (Education Code 49414.7; 5 CCR 626)~~

- ~~1. Detailed seizure symptoms, including frequency, type, or length of seizures that identify when the administration of the medication becomes necessary~~

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- ~~2. Any potential adverse responses by the student and recommended mitigation actions, including when to call emergency services~~
- ~~3. A protocol for observing the student after a seizure, including, but not limited to, whether he/she should rest in the school office or return to his/her class and the length of time he/she should be under direct observation~~
- ~~4. A statement that, following a seizure, a school administrator or other staff member shall contact the school nurse and the student's parent/guardian to continue the observation plan~~

District Responsibilities

Note: The following section should be modified to reflect district practice.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that any unlicensed school personnel authorized to administer medication to a student receives appropriate training from the school nurse or other qualified medical personnel

The school nurse or other designated school personnel shall:

1. Administer or assist in administering medication in accordance with the authorized health care provider's written statement
2. Accept delivery of medications from parents/guardians and count and record them upon receipt
3. Maintain a list of students needing medication during the school day, including those authorized to self-administer medication, and note on the list the type of medication and the times and dosage to be administered

Note: 5 CCR 601 specifies items that districts may, but are not required to, include in the medication log, as provided in item #4 below.

4. Maintain for each student a medication log which may:
 - a. Specify the student's name, medication, dose, method of administration, time of administration during the regular school day, date(s) on which the student is required to take the medication, and the authorized health care provider's name and contact information

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- b. Contain space for daily recording of the date, time, and amount of medication administered, and the signature of the individual administering the medication

Note: 5 CCR 601 specifies items that may be included in the medication record, as detailed below. In addition, 5 CCR 607 authorizes the district to establish policies regarding documentation of medication, including the maintenance of the medication record.

5. Maintain for each student a medication record which may include the authorized health care provider's written statement, the parent/guardian's written statement, the medication log, and any other written documentation related to the administration of medication to the student

6. Ensure that student confidentiality is appropriately maintained

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

7. Coordinate and, as appropriate, ensure the administration of medication during field trips and other school-related activities

(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)

(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

(cf. 6153 - School-Sponsored Trips)

8. Report to a student's parent/guardian and the site administrator any refusal by the student to take his/her medication

9. Keep all medication to be administered by the district in a locked drawer or cabinet

10. As needed, communicate with a student's authorized health care provider and/or pharmacist regarding the medication and its effects

11. Counsel other designated school personnel regarding the possible effects of a medication on a student's physical, intellectual, and social behavior, as well as possible behavioral signs and symptoms of adverse side effects, omission, or overdose

Note: 5 CCR 609 authorizes the district to establish policies regarding unused, discontinued, or outdated medication.

12. Ensure that any unused, discontinued, or outdated medication is returned to the student's parent/guardian at the end of the school year or, if the medication cannot be returned, dispose of it in accordance with state laws and local ordinances

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13. **In the event of a medical emergency requiring administration of medication, provide immediate medical assistance, directly observe the student following the administration of medication, contact the student's parent/guardian, and determine whether the student should return to class, rest in the school office, or receive further medical assistance**
14. **Provide immediate medical assistance if needed, Report to the site administrator, the student's parent/guardian, and, if necessary, the student's authorized health care provider any instance when a medication is not administered properly, including administration of the wrong medication or failure to administer the medication in accordance with authorized health care provider's written statement**

Additional Requirements for Management of Epileptic Seizures [SECTION DELETED]

Emergency Epinephrine Auto-Injectors

Note: ~~As amended by SB 1266 (Ch. 321, Statutes of 2014),~~ Education Code 49414 requires districts to provide epinephrine auto-injectors to school nurses or other employees who volunteer and receive training, which they may use to provide emergency medical aid to persons suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from an anaphylactic reaction. ~~SB 1266 deleted the requirement to develop a district plan related to the use of epinephrine auto-injectors.~~

The Superintendent or designee shall provide epinephrine auto-injectors to school nurses or other employees who have volunteered to administer them in an emergency and have received training. The school nurse, or a volunteer employee when a school nurse or physician is unavailable, may administer an epinephrine auto-injector to provide emergency medical aid to any person suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from potentially life-threatening symptoms of anaphylaxis at school or a school activity. (Education Code 49414)

At least once per school year, the Superintendent or designee shall distribute to all staff a notice requesting volunteers to be trained to administer an epinephrine auto-injector and describing the training that the volunteer will receive. (Education Code 49414)

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

Note: Education Code 49414 specifies topics to be included in training for employees who volunteer to be trained in the use of epinephrine auto-injectors. ~~As amended by SB 1266 (Ch. 321, Statutes of 2014),~~ Education Code 49414 requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI), in consultation with specified agencies and organizations, to review the minimum standards for the training at least every five years. These standards are available on the California Department of Education's web site.

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The principal or designee at each school may designate one or more volunteers to receive initial and annual refresher training, which shall be provided by a school nurse or other qualified person designated by a physician and surgeon authorized pursuant to Education Code 49414, and shall be based on the standards developed by the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI). Written materials covering the required topics for training shall be retained by the school for reference. (Education Code 49414)

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

Note: Education Code 49414, as amended by SB 1266 (Ch. 321, Statutes of 2014), specifies the type of epinephrine auto-injectors that must be provided to each school and the district personnel authorized to obtain the prescriptions. The following paragraphs may be revised to reflect the position(s) assigned to fulfill this responsibility and the grade levels maintained by the district.

A school nurse or other qualified supervisor of health, or a district administrator if the district does not have a qualified supervisor of health, shall obtain a prescription for epinephrine auto-injectors for each school from an authorized physician and surgeon. Such prescription may be filled by local or mail order pharmacies or epinephrine auto-injector manufacturers. Elementary schools shall, at a minimum, be provided one adult (regular) and one junior epinephrine auto-injector. Secondary schools shall be provided at least one adult (regular) epinephrine auto-injector, unless there are any students at the school who require a junior epinephrine auto-injector. (Education Code 49414)

If an epinephrine auto-injector is used, the school nurse or other qualified supervisor of health shall restock the epinephrine auto-injector as soon as reasonably possible, but no later than two weeks after it is used. In addition, epinephrine auto-injectors shall be restocked before their expiration date. (Education Code 49414)

Information regarding defense and indemnification provided by the district for any and all civil liability for volunteers administering epinephrine auto-injectors shall be provided to each volunteer and retained in his/her personnel file. (Education Code 49414)

(cf. 4112.6/4212.6/4312.6 - Personnel Files)

A school may accept gifts, grants, and donations from any source for the support of the school in carrying out the requirements of Education Code 49414, including, but not limited to, the acceptance of epinephrine auto-injectors from a manufacturer or wholesaler. (Education Code 49414)

(cf. 3290 - Gifts, Grants and Bequests)

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The Superintendent or designee shall maintain records regarding the acquisition and disposition of epinephrine auto-injectors for a period of three years from the date the records were created. (Business and Professions Code 4119.2)

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

Emergency Medication for Opioid Overdose

Note: The following section is optional. Education Code 49414.3, as added by AB 1748 (Ch. 557, Statutes of 2016), authorizes, but does not require, districts to make emergency naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist available to school nurses or trained personnel who have volunteered to provide emergency medical aid to persons suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from an opioid overdose. Districts that choose to provide the medication must meet specified requirements as provided below. Such districts may revise the following section to indicate the grade levels at which such medication will be available (e.g., at secondary schools only).

The district may elect to make emergency naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist available at schools for the purpose of providing emergency medical aid to persons suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from an opioid overdose. In determining whether to make this medication available, the Superintendent or designee shall evaluate the emergency medical response time to the school and determine whether initiating emergency medical services is an acceptable alternative to providing an opioid antagonist and training personnel to administer the medication. (Education Code 49414.3)

When available at the school site, the school nurse shall provide emergency naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist for emergency medical aid to any person exhibiting potentially life-threatening symptoms of an opioid overdose at school or a school activity. Other designated personnel who have volunteered and have received training may administer such medication when a school nurse or physician is unavailable, and shall only administer the medication by nasal spray or auto-injector. (Education Code 49414.3)

At least once per school year, the Superintendent or designee shall distribute to all staff a notice requesting volunteers to be trained to administer naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist, describing the training that the volunteer will receive, and explaining the right of the volunteer to rescind his/her offer to volunteer at any time, including after receiving training. The notice shall also include a statement that no benefit will be granted to or withheld from any employee based on his/her offer to volunteer and that there will be no retaliation against any employee for rescinding his/her offer to volunteer. (Education Code 49414.3)

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Note: Pursuant to Education Code 49414.3, the training provided to designated school personnel must be based on standards adopted by the SPI in consultation with specified agencies and organizations. The SPI is required to review those standards at least once every five years. Required topics of the training include (1) techniques for recognizing symptoms of an opioid overdose; (2) standards and procedures for the storage, restocking, and emergency use of the medication; (3) basic emergency follow-up procedures; and (4) recommendations on the necessity of instruction and certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation. In addition, the CDE is required to include on its web site a clearinghouse for best practices in training nonmedical personnel to administer an opioid antagonist to students.

The principal or designee may designate one or more volunteer employees to receive initial and annual refresher training, based on standards adopted by the SPI, regarding the storage and emergency use of naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist. The training shall be provided at no cost to the employee, conducted during his/her regular working hours, and be provided by a school nurse or other qualified person designated by an authorizing physician and surgeon. Written materials provided during the training shall be retained at the school for reference. (Education Code 49414.3)

A school nurse, other qualified supervisor of health, or, if the district does not have a qualified supervisor of health, a district administrator shall obtain a prescription for naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist for each school from an authorized physician and surgeon. Such prescription may be filled by local or mail order pharmacies or manufacturers. (Education Code 49414.3)

If the medication is used, the school nurse, other qualified supervisor of health, or district administrator, as applicable, shall restock the medication as soon as reasonably possible, but no later than two weeks after it is used. In addition, the medication shall be restocked before its expiration date. (Education Code 49414.3)

Information regarding defense and indemnification provided by the district for any and all civil liability for volunteers administering naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist for emergency aid shall be provided to each volunteer and retained in his/her personnel file. (Education Code 49414.3)

A school may accept gifts, grants, and donations from any source for the support of the school in carrying out the requirements of Education Code 49414.3, including, but not limited to, the acceptance of the naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist from a manufacturer or wholesaler. (Education Code 49414.3)

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The Superintendent or designee shall maintain records regarding the acquisition and disposition of naloxone hydrochloride or another opioid antagonist for a period of three years from the date the records were created. (Business and Professions Code 4119.8)

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Administrative Regulation

Administering Medication And Monitoring Health Conditions

AR 5141.21

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Definitions

Authorized health care provider means an individual who is licensed by the State of California to prescribe or order medication, including, but not limited to, a physician or physician assistant. (Education Code 49423; 5 CCR 601)

Other designated school personnel means any individual employed by the district, including a nonmedical school employee, who has volunteered or consented to administer medication or otherwise assist the student and who may legally administer the medication to the student or assist the student in the administration of the medication. (5 CCR 601, 621)

Medication may include not only a substance dispensed in the United States by prescription, but also a substance that does not require a prescription, such as over-the-counter remedies, nutritional supplements, and herbal remedies. (5 CCR 601)

Emergency medical assistance for a student suffering an epileptic seizure means the administration of an emergency antiseizure medication such as diazepam rectal gel and other emergency medications approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration for patients suffering from epileptic seizures. (Education Code 49414.7; 5 CCR 621)

Epinephrine auto-injector means a disposable drug delivery system with a spring-activated needle that is designed for emergency administration of epinephrine to provide rapid, convenient first aid for persons suffering a potentially fatal reaction to anaphylaxis. (Education Code 49414)

Anaphylaxis means a potentially life-threatening hypersensitivity to a substance, which may result from an insect sting, food allergy, drug reaction, exercise, or other cause. Symptoms may include shortness of breath, wheezing, difficulty breathing, difficulty talking or swallowing, hives, itching, swelling, shock, or asthma. (Education Code 49414)

(cf. 5141.23 - Asthma Management)

(cf. 5141.27 - Food Allergies/Special Dietary Needs)

Notifications to Parents/Guardians

At the beginning of each school year, the Superintendent or designee shall notify parents/guardians of the options available to students who need to take prescribed medication during the school day and the rights and responsibilities of parents/guardians regarding those options. (Education Code 49480)

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(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

In addition, the Superintendent or designee shall inform the parents/guardians of any student on a continuing medication regimen for a nonepisodic condition of the following requirements: (Education Code 49480)

1. The parent/guardian is required to inform the school nurse or other designated employee of the medication being taken, the current dosage, and the name of the supervising physician.
2. With the parent/guardian's consent, the school nurse or other designated employee may communicate with the student's physician regarding the medication and its effects and may counsel school personnel regarding the possible effects of the medication on the student's physical, intellectual, and social behavior, as well as possible behavioral signs and symptoms of adverse side effects, omission, or overdose.

Parent/Guardian Responsibilities

The responsibilities of the parent/guardian of any student who may need medication during the school day shall include, but are not limited to:

1. Providing parent/guardian and authorized health care provider written statements each school year as described in the sections "Parent/Guardian Statement" and "Health Care Provider Statement" below. The parent/guardian shall provide a new authorized health care provider's statement if the medication, dosage, frequency of administration, or reason for administration changes. (Education Code 49414.5, 49414.7, 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR 600, 626)
2. If the student is on a continuing medication regimen for a nonepisodic condition, informing the school nurse or other designated certificated employee of the medication being taken, the current dosage, and the name of the supervising physician and updating the information when needed. (Education Code 49480)
3. If the student suffers from epilepsy, notifying the principal or designee whenever the student has had an emergency antiseizure medication administered to him/her within the past four hours on a school day. (Education Code 49414.7)
4. Providing medications in properly labeled, original containers along with the authorized health care provider's instructions. For prescribed or ordered medication, the container also shall bear the name and telephone number of the pharmacy, the student's identification, and the name and phone number of the authorized health care provider. (5 CCR 606)

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Parent/Guardian Statement

When district employees are to administer medication to a student, the parent/guardian's written statement shall:

1. Identify the student
2. Grant permission for an authorized district representative to communicate directly with the student's authorized health care provider and pharmacist, as may be necessary, regarding the health care provider's written statement or any other questions that may arise with regard to the medication
3. Contain an acknowledgment that the parent/guardian understands how district employees will administer the medication or otherwise assist the student in its administration
4. Contain an acknowledgment that the parent/guardian understands his/her responsibilities to enable district employees to administer or otherwise assist the student in the administration of medication, including, but not limited to, the parent/guardian's responsibility to provide a written statement from the authorized health care provider, to ensure that the medication is delivered to the school in a proper container by an individual legally authorized to be in possession of the medication, and to provide all necessary supplies and equipment
5. Contain an acknowledgment that the parent/guardian understands that he/she may terminate the consent for the administration of the medication or for otherwise assisting the student in the administration of medication at any time

In addition to the requirements in items #1-5 above, if a parent/guardian has requested that his/her child be allowed to carry and self-administer prescription auto-injectable epinephrine or prescription inhaled asthma medication, the parent/guardian's written statement shall: (Education Code 49423, 49423.1)

1. Consent to the self-administration
2. Release the district and school personnel from civil liability if the student suffers an adverse reaction as a result of self-administering the medication

In addition to the requirements in items #1-5 above, if a parent/guardian wishes to designate an individual who is not an employee of the district to administer medication to his/her child, the parent/guardian's written statement shall clearly identify the individual and shall state:

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1. The individual's willingness to accept the designation
2. That the individual is permitted to be on the school site
3. Any limitations on the individual's authority

Health Care Provider Statement

When any district employee is to administer prescribed medication to a student, or when a student is to be allowed to carry and self-administer auto-injectable epinephrine or prescribed diabetes or asthma medication during school hours, the authorized health care provider's written statement shall include:

1. Clear identification of the student (Education Code 49414.7, 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR 602, 626)
2. The name of the medication (Education Code 49414.7, 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR 602, 626)
3. The method, amount, and time schedules by which the medication is to be taken (Education Code 49414.7, 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR 602, 626)
4. If a parent/guardian has requested that his/her child be allowed to self-administer medication, confirmation that the student is able to self-administer the medication (Education Code 49423, 49423.1; 5 CCR 602)
5. For medication that is to be administered on an as-needed basis, the specific symptoms that would necessitate administration of the medication, allowable frequency for administration, and indications for referral for medical evaluation
6. Possible side effects of the medication
7. Name, address, telephone number, and signature of the student's authorized health care provider

When authorizing a district employee to administer emergency antiseizure medication to a student, the authorized health care provider's written statement shall also include the following: (Education Code 49414.7; 5 CCR 626)

1. Detailed seizure symptoms, including frequency, type, or length of seizures that identify when the administration of the medication becomes necessary

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2. Any potential adverse responses by the student and recommended mitigation actions, including when to call emergency services
3. A protocol for observing the student after a seizure, including, but not limited to, whether he/she should rest in the school office or return to his/her class and the length of time he/she should be under direct observation
4. A statement that, following a seizure, a school administrator or other staff member shall contact the school nurse and the student's parent/guardian to continue the observation plan

District Responsibilities

The school nurse or other designated school personnel shall:

1. Administer or assist in administering medication in accordance with the authorized health care provider's written statement
2. Accept delivery of medications from parents/guardians and count and record them upon receipt
3. Maintain a list of students needing medication during the school day, including those authorized to self-administer medication, and note on the list the type of medication and the times and dosage to be administered
4. Maintain for each student a medication log which may:
 - a. Specify the student's name, medication, dose, method of administration, time of administration during the regular school day, date(s) on which the student is required to take the medication, and the authorized health care provider's name and contact information
 - b. Contain space for daily recording of the date, time, and amount of medication administered, and the signature of the individual administering the medication
5. Maintain for each student a medication record which may include the authorized health care provider's written statement, the parent/guardian's written statement, the medication log, and any other written documentation related to the administration of medication to the student
6. Ensure that student confidentiality is appropriately maintained

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(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

7. Coordinate and, as appropriate, ensure the administration of medication during field trips and other school-related activities

(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)
(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)
(cf. 6153 - School-Sponsored Trips)

8. Report to a student's parent/guardian and the site administrator any refusal by the student to take his/her medication
9. Keep all medication to be administered by the district in a locked drawer or cabinet
10. As needed, communicate with a student's authorized health care provider and/or pharmacist regarding the medication and its effects
11. Counsel other designated school personnel regarding the possible effects of a medication on a student's physical, intellectual, and social behavior, as well as possible behavioral signs and symptoms of adverse side effects, omission, or overdose
12. Ensure that any unused, discontinued, or outdated medication is returned to the student's parent/guardian at the end of the school year or, if the medication cannot be returned, dispose of it in accordance with state laws and local ordinances
13. Provide immediate medical assistance if needed and report to the site administrator, the student's parent/guardian, and, if necessary, the student's authorized health care provider any instance when a medication is not administered properly, including administration of the wrong medication or failure to administer the medication in accordance with authorized health care provider's written statement

Additional Requirements for Management of Epileptic Seizures

In addition to applicable provisions in the sections above, the Superintendent or designee shall make arrangements for assisting students with epilepsy who may suffer a seizure at school. Such arrangements shall include the following: (Education Code 49414.7; 5 CCR 620-627)

1. **Services or Accommodations:** Whenever a parent/guardian requests that a nonmedical district employee be trained to provide emergency medical assistance to his/her child, the parent/guardian shall be notified that the child may qualify for services or accommodations pursuant to 20 USC 1400-1482, the Individuals with

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Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), or 29 USC 794, Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504).

(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)

(cf. 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education)

(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)

The Superintendent or designee shall assist the parent/guardian to explore that option and shall encourage him/her to adopt the option if the student is determined to be eligible for such service or accommodation.

If the student's parent/guardian refuses to have him/her assessed for services or accommodations under IDEA or Section 504, the Superintendent or designee may develop an individualized health plan, seizure action plan, or other appropriate health plan designed to acknowledge and prepare for the student's health care needs in school.

2. **Request for Volunteers:** The Superintendent or designee shall distribute an electronic notice to school staff no more than twice per school year per student whose parent/guardian has requested provision of emergency medical assistance pursuant to Education Code 49414.7. The notice shall be in bold print and, in accordance with Education Code 49414.7, shall contain a description of the request for a volunteer school employee, the training that such volunteer school employee will receive, the voluntary nature of the program, and the timelines for the volunteer school employee to rescind his/her offer. No other means of soliciting volunteer school employees shall be conducted.

(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)

If no employee volunteers to administer emergency antiseizure medication to a student, the Superintendent or designee shall again notify the student's parent/guardian of the option to have the student assessed for services and accommodations under IDEA or Section 504.

3. **Training:** Any employee who volunteers to administer an emergency antiseizure medication shall receive from a licensed health care professional the training specified in 5 CCR 623 before administering such medication. The training shall include, but is not limited to:
 - a. Recognition and treatment of different types of seizures
 - b. Administration of an emergency antiseizure medication

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- c. Basic emergency follow-up procedures, including, but not limited to, a requirement for the principal or designee to call the emergency 911 telephone number and to contact the student's parent/guardian, but not necessarily to transport the student to an emergency room
- d. Techniques and procedures to ensure student privacy

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

(cf. 5022 - Student and Family Privacy Rights)

When a trained employee has not administered an emergency antiseizure medication to a student within two years after completing the training and a student who may need the administration of an emergency antiseizure medication is enrolled in the school, the employee shall be retrained in order to retain the ability to administer an emergency antiseizure medication.

- 4. **Notification of Administration:** The Superintendent or designee shall establish a process for notifying the credentialed school nurse, or the Superintendent or designee as applicable, whenever an employee administers an emergency antiseizure medication to a student at a school site.
- 5. **Supervision of Volunteers:** Volunteer school employees shall be supervised by a licensed health care professional in accordance with 5 CCR 627.

Emergency Epinephrine Auto-Injectors

The Superintendent or designee shall provide epinephrine auto-injectors to school nurses or other employees who have volunteered to administer them in an emergency and have received training. The school nurse, or a volunteer employee when a school nurse or physician is unavailable, may administer an epinephrine auto-injector to provide emergency medical aid to any person suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from potentially life-threatening symptoms of anaphylaxis at school or a school activity. (Education Code 49414)

At least once per school year, the Superintendent or designee shall distribute to all staff a notice requesting volunteers to be trained to administer an epinephrine auto-injector and describing the training that the volunteer will receive. (Education Code 49414)

The principal or designee at each school may designate one or more volunteers to receive initial and annual refresher training, which shall be provided by a school nurse or other qualified person designated by a physician and surgeon authorized pursuant to Education Code 49414, and shall be based on the standards developed by the Superintendent of Public

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Instruction. Written materials covering the required topics for training shall be retained by the school for reference. (Education Code 49414)

A school nurse or other qualified supervisor of health, or a district administrator if the district does not have a qualified supervisor of health, shall obtain a prescription for epinephrine auto-injectors for each school from an authorized physician and surgeon. Such prescription may be filled by local or mail order pharmacies or epinephrine auto-injector manufacturers. Elementary schools shall, at a minimum, be provided one adult (regular) and one junior epinephrine auto-injector. Secondary schools shall be provided at least one adult (regular) epinephrine auto-injector, unless there are any students at the school who require a junior epinephrine auto-injector. (Education Code 49414)

If an epinephrine auto-injector is used, the school nurse or other qualified supervisor of health shall restock the epinephrine auto-injector as soon as reasonably possible, but no later than two weeks after it is used. In addition, epinephrine auto-injectors shall be restocked before their expiration date. (Education Code 49414)

Information regarding defense and indemnification provided by the district for any and all civil liability for volunteers administering epinephrine auto-injectors shall be provided to each volunteer and retained by the district. (Education Code 49414)

(cf. 4112.6/4212.6/4312.6 - Personnel Files)

A school may accept gifts, grants, and donations from any source for the support of the school in carrying of the requirements of Education Code 49414, including, but not limited to, the acceptance of epinephrine auto-injectors from a manufacturer or wholesaler. (Education Code 49414)

(cf. 3290 - Gifts, Grants and Bequests)

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain records regarding the acquisition and disposition of epinephrine auto-injectors for a period of three years from the date the records were created. (Business and Professions Code 4119.2)

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

CSBA Sample Board Policy

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BP 5141.52(a)

SUICIDE PREVENTION

Note: The Government Claims Act (Government Code 810.996.6) provides that a district may be liable for injuries on school grounds or for an employee's failure to exercise supervisory responsibility to use reasonable care to prevent foreseeable injuries resulting from school activities. Therefore, it is strongly recommended that, before adopting the following optional policy and administrative regulation, districts carefully review all the elements, consider their staff capabilities and resources, and delete or modify them as necessary to ensure that all aspects will be adequately enforced. Districts should also consult with legal counsel and the district's risk manager or insurance carrier, as appropriate. Education Code 215, as added by AB 2246 (Ch. 642, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the Governing Board of any district serving students in grades 7-12 adopt a policy on student suicide prevention, intervention, and postvention (i.e., intervention conducted after a suicide) with specified components. Those components are addressed in the following policy and the accompanying administrative regulation. Also see the California Department of Education's model policy required by Education Code 215.

The following policy and accompanying administrative regulation should be revised to reflect district practice. Pursuant to Education Code 215, the policy must be developed in consultation with school and community stakeholders, school-employed mental health professionals, and suicide prevention experts. It is recommended that districts also consult with legal counsel and the district's risk manager or insurance carrier, as appropriate.

The Governing Board recognizes that suicide is a major leading cause of death among youth and should be taken seriously that school personnel who regularly interact with students are often in a position to recognize the warning signs of suicide and to offer appropriate referral and/or assistance. In order to attempt to reduce suicidal behavior and its impact on students and families, the Superintendent or designee shall develop preventive strategies and intervention procedures measures and strategies for suicide prevention, intervention, and postvention.

In developing measures and strategies for use by the district, the Superintendent or designee may involve consult with school health professionals, school counselors, school psychologists, school social workers, administrators, other staff, parents/guardians, students, local health agencies, and mental health professionals, and community organizations in planning, implementing, and evaluating the district's strategies for suicide prevention and intervention.

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)

(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

Prevention and Instruction

Note: The following optional section may be revised to reflect district practice. The California Department of Education's (CDE) Youth Suicide Prevention Guidelines for California Schools identifies factors that may

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help build resiliency and protect against high-risk behaviors, including, but not limited to, emotional wellness, school engagement, self-perceived ability to cope with problems, and positive interpersonal relationships. For further information about strategies to protect students from bullying, cyberbullying, and other harassment, see BP 5131 - Conduct, BP 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment, and BP 5145.9 - Hate-Motivated Behavior.

Such measures and Suicide prevention strategies may shall include, but are not be limited to,

Note: Education Code 215, as added by AB 2246 (Ch. 642, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's policy address any training to be provided to teachers of students in grades 7-12 on suicide awareness and prevention. See the accompanying administrative regulation for additional language fulfilling this mandate. In addition, Education Code 49604 encourages each district to provide suicide prevention training at least once to each middle, junior high, and high school counselor. Item #1 may be revised to specify other categories of employees who will receive the training.

1. Staff development on suicide awareness and prevention for teachers, school counselors, and other district employees who interact with students in the secondary grades

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

Note: Items #2-7 below reflect optional strategies for suicide prevention, intervention, and postvention and may be revised to reflect district practice.

2. Instruction to students in problem-solving and coping skills to promote students' mental, emotional, and social health and well-being, as well as instruction in recognizing and appropriately responding to warning signs of suicidal intent in others

(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)

3. Efforts to promote for promoting a positive school climate that enhances students' feelings of connectedness with the school and that is characterized by caring staff and harmonious interrelationships among students

(cf. 5131 - Conduct)
(cf. 5131.2 - Bullying)
(cf. 5137 - Positive School Climate)
(cf. 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment)
(cf. 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment)
(cf. 5145.9 - Hate-Motivated Behavior)

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Note: The state's Health Education Content Standards for California Public Schools include voluntary content standards pertaining to mental, emotional, and social health at selected elementary and secondary grades and suicide prevention instruction at grade 7 or 8 and in high school. The district may revise the following optional paragraph to reflect grade levels offered by the district.

The district's comprehensive health education program shall promote the healthy mental, emotional, and social development of students including, but not limited to, the development of problem solving skills, coping skills, and self esteem. Suicide prevention instruction shall be incorporated into the health education curriculum in the secondary grades. Such instruction shall be aligned with state content standards and shall be designed to help students analyze signs of depression and self-destructive behaviors, including potential suicide, and to identify suicide prevention strategies. [MOVED TO AR]

(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)

4. The Superintendent or designee may offer parents/guardians education or provision of information to parents/guardians regarding which describes risk factors and warning signs of suicide, the severity of the youth suicide problem, the district's suicide prevention curriculum, risk factors and warning signs of suicide, basic steps for helping suicidal youth, and/or school and community resources that can help youth in crisis.
5. Students shall be encouraged Encouragement for students to notify a teacher, principal, counselor, appropriate school personnel or other adults when they are experiencing thoughts of suicide or when they suspect or have knowledge of another student's suicidal intentions.
6. Crisis intervention procedures for addressing suicide threats or attempts.
7. Counseling and other postvention strategies for helping students, staff, and others cope in the aftermath of a student's suicide.

Note: Education Code 215, as added by AB 2246 (Ch. 642, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's policy specifically address the needs of high-risk groups, including, but not limited to, those listed in the following paragraph. See the accompanying administrative regulation for additional language fulfilling this mandate.

As appropriate, these measures and strategies shall specifically address the needs of students who are at high risk of suicide, including, but not limited to, students who are bereaved by suicide; students with disabilities, mental illness, or substance use disorders; students who are experiencing homelessness or who are in out-of-home settings such as foster care; and students who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or questioning youth. (Education Code 215)

SUICIDE PREVENTION (continued)**Staff Development [MOVED TO AR]**

~~Note: The following optional section may be revised to reflect district practice. Education Code 49604 encourages each district to provide suicide prevention training to each middle, junior high, and high school counselor.~~

~~Staff development may include training about risk factors associated with suicide, as provided in item #1 below. Information about research on risk factors is available in the CDE's Youth Suicide Prevention Guidelines for California Schools as well as through the California Department of Mental Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, American Association of Suicidology, and other health organizations.~~

~~Suicide prevention training for staff shall be designed to help staff identify and respond to students at risk of suicide. The training shall be offered under the direction of a district counselor/psychologist and/or in cooperation with one or more community mental health agencies and may include information on:~~

- ~~1. Research identifying risk factors, such as previous suicide attempt(s), history of depression or mental illness, substance use problems, family history of suicide or violence, feelings of isolation, interpersonal conflicts, a recent severe stressor or loss, family instability, and other factors~~

~~(cf. 5131.6 Alcohol and Other Drugs)~~

- ~~2. Warning signs that may indicate suicidal intentions, including changes in students' appearance, personality, or behavior~~

- ~~3. Research based instructional strategies for teaching the suicide prevention curriculum and promoting mental and emotional health~~

- ~~4. School and community resources and services~~

~~(cf. 5141.6 School Health Services)~~

~~(cf. 6164.2 Guidance/Counseling Services)~~

- ~~5. District procedures for intervening when a student attempts, threatens, or discloses the desire to commit suicide~~

~~(cf. 4131 Staff Development)~~

~~(cf. 4231 Staff Development)~~

~~(cf. 4331 Staff Development)~~

Intervention

~~Note: The following optional section should be revised to reflect district practice. Education Code 49602~~

SUICIDE PREVENTION (continued)

which requires confidentiality of information disclosed to a school counselor by students 12 years of age or older, specifically allows a counselor to disclose such information to the principal or parents/guardians of the student when he/she has reasonable cause to believe that disclosure is necessary to avert a clear and present danger to the student's health or safety. In addition, Education Code 49602 allows disclosure to psychotherapists, other health care providers, or the school nurse for the sole purpose of referring the student for treatment.

Whenever a staff member suspects or has knowledge of a student's suicidal intentions, he/she shall promptly notify the principal or school counselor. The principal or counselor shall then notify the student's parents/guardians as soon as possible and may refer the student to mental health resources in the school or community.

(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)

Students shall be encouraged to notify a teacher, principal, counselor, or other adult when they are experiencing thoughts of suicide or when they suspect or have knowledge of another student's suicidal intentions.

Whenever schools establish a peer counseling system to provide support for students, peer counselors shall complete the suicide prevention curriculum, including identification of the warning signs of suicidal behavior and referral of a suicidal student to appropriate adults.
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(cf. 5138 - Conflict Resolution/Peer Mediation)

Note: For sample procedures to be followed in the event of a suicide attempt on campus, see the accompanying administrative regulation.

The Superintendent or designee shall establish crisis intervention procedures to ensure student safety and appropriate communications in the event that a suicide occurs or an attempt is made on campus or at a school sponsored activity.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

215 Student suicide prevention policies

32280-32289 Comprehensive safety plan

49060-49079 Student records

49602 Confidentiality of student information

49604 Suicide prevention training for school counselors

GOVERNMENT CODE

810-996.6 Government Claims Act

Legal Reference continued: (see next page)

SUICIDE PREVENTION (continued)

Legal Reference: (continued)

PENAL CODE

11164-11174.3 Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act

WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE

5698 Emotionally disturbed youth; legislative intent

5850-5883 Mental Health Services Act

COURT DECISIONS

Corales v. Bennett (Ontario-Montclair School District), (2009) 567 F.3d 554

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

Health Education Content Standards for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, 2008

Youth Suicide Prevention Guidelines for California Schools, 2003

Health Framework for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, 2003

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH PUBLICATIONS

California Strategic Plan for Suicide Prevention: Every Californian is Part of the Solution, 2008

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION PUBLICATIONS

School Connectedness: Strategies for Increasing Protective Factors Among Youth, 2009

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL PSYCHOLOGISTS PUBLICATIONS

Preventing Suicide, Guidelines for Administrators and Crisis Teams, 2013

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES PUBLICATIONS

Preventing Suicide: A Toolkit for High Schools, 2012

National Strategy for Suicide Prevention: Goals and Objectives for Action, 2001rev. 2012

WEB SITES

American Association of Suicidology: <http://www.suicidology.org>

American Foundation for Suicide Prevention: <https://afsp.org>

American Psychological Association: <http://www.apa.org>

American School Counselor Association: <https://www.schoolcounselor.org>

California Department of Education, Mental Health: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/cg/mh>

California Department of Mental Health, Children and Youth Programs

http://www.dmh.ca.gov/Services_and_Programs/Children_and_Youth

California Department of Health Care Services, Suicide Prevention Program

<http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/MH/Pages/SuicidePrevention.aspx>

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Mental Health: <http://www.cdc.gov/mentalhealth>

National Association of School Psychologists: <https://www.nasponline.org>

National Institute for Mental Health: <http://www.nimh.nih.gov>

Trevor Project: <http://thetrevorproject.org>

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services

Administration: <http://www.samhsa.gov>

Center USD

Board Policy

Suicide Prevention

BP 5141.52

Students

The Governing Board recognizes that suicide is a major cause of death among youth and should be taken seriously. In order to attempt to reduce suicidal behavior and its impact on students and families, the Superintendent or designee shall develop preventive strategies and intervention procedures.

The Superintendent or designee may involve school health professionals, school counselors, administrators, other staff, parents/guardians, students, local health agencies and professionals, and community organizations in planning, implementing, and evaluating the district's strategies for suicide prevention and intervention.

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)

(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

Prevention and Instruction

Suicide prevention strategies may include, but not be limited to, efforts to promote a positive school climate that enhances students' feelings of connectedness with the school and is characterized by caring staff and harmonious interrelationships among students.

(cf. 5131 - Conduct)

(cf. 5137 - Positive School Climate)

(cf. 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment)

(cf. 5145.7 - Sexual Harassment)

(cf. 5145.9 - Hate-Motivated Behavior)

The district's comprehensive health education program shall promote the healthy mental, emotional, and social development of students including, but not limited to, the development of problem-solving skills, coping skills, and self-esteem. Suicide prevention instruction shall be incorporated into the health education curriculum in the secondary grades. Such instruction shall be aligned with state content standards and shall be designed to help students analyze signs of depression and self-destructive behaviors, including potential suicide, and to identify suicide prevention strategies.

(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)

The Superintendent or designee may offer parents/guardians education or information which describes the severity of the youth suicide problem, the district's suicide prevention curriculum, risk factors and warning signs of suicide, basic steps for helping suicidal youth, and/or school and community resources that can help youth in crisis.

Staff Development

Suicide prevention training for staff shall be designed to help staff identify and respond to students at risk of suicide. The training shall be offered under the direction of a district counselor/psychologist and/or in cooperation with one or more community mental health agencies and may include information on:

1. Research identifying risk factors, such as previous suicide attempt(s), history of depression or mental illness, substance use problems, family history of suicide or violence, feelings of isolation, interpersonal conflicts, a recent severe stressor or loss, family instability, and other factors

(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)

2. Warning signs that may indicate suicidal intentions, including changes in students' appearance, personality, or behavior

3. Research-based instructional strategies for teaching the suicide prevention curriculum and promoting mental and emotional health

4. School and community resources and services

(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)

(cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)

5. District procedures for intervening when a student attempts, threatens, or discloses the desire to commit suicide

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

Intervention

Whenever a staff member suspects or has knowledge of a student's suicidal intentions, he/she shall promptly notify the principal or school counselor. The principal or counselor shall then notify the student's parents/guardians as soon as possible and may refer the student to mental health resources in the school or community.

(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)

Students shall be encouraged to notify a teacher, principal, counselor, or other adult when they are experiencing thoughts of suicide or when they suspect or have knowledge of another student's suicidal intentions.

Whenever schools establish a peer counseling system to provide support for students, peer counselors shall complete the suicide prevention curriculum, including identification of the warning signs of suicidal behavior and referral of a suicidal student to appropriate adults.

(cf. 5138 - Conflict Resolution/Peer Mediation)

The Superintendent or designee shall establish crisis intervention procedures to ensure student safety and appropriate communications in the event that a suicide occurs or an attempt is made on campus or at a school-sponsored activity.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

32280-32289 Comprehensive safety plan

41533 Professional Development Block Grant, suicide prevention training for teachers

49060-49079 Student records

49602 Confidentiality of student information

49604 Suicide prevention training for school counselors

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California Department of Mental Health, Children and Youth Programs:

http://www.dmh.ca.gov/Services_and_Programs/Children_and_Youth

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Mental Health:

<http://www.cdc.gov/mentalhealth>

National Institute for Mental Health: <http://www.nimh.nih.gov>

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health

Services Administration: <http://www.samhsa.gov>

Policy
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CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Antelope, California

CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

Students

AR 5141.52(a)

SUICIDE PREVENTION

Note: The Government Claims Act (Government Code 810.996.6) provides that a district may be liable for injuries on school grounds or for an employee's failure to exercise supervisory responsibility to use reasonable care to prevent foreseeable injuries resulting from school activities. Therefore, it is strongly recommended that, before adopting the following optional policy and administrative regulation, districts carefully review all the elements, consider their staff capabilities and resources, and delete or modify them as necessary to ensure that all aspects will be adequately enforced. Districts should also consult with legal counsel and the district's risk manager or insurance carrier, as appropriate. Pursuant to Education Code 215, as added by AB 2246 (Ch. 642, Statutes of 2016), districts serving students in grades 7-12 are mandated to adopt a policy on student suicide prevention, intervention, and postvention (i.e., intervention conducted after a suicide). See the accompanying Board policy. The following administrative regulation provides additional strategies that fulfill the mandate and may be revised to reflect district practice.

Examples of suicide prevention strategies are available in the California Department of Education's (CDE) model policy created in response to AB 2246, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services publication Preventing Suicide: A Toolkit for High Schools, and resources issued by other state and federal agencies and organizations. For further information about strategies to protect students from bullying, cyberbullying, and other harassment, see BP 5131 - Conduct, BP 5131.2 - Bullying, BP 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment, and BP 5145.9 - Hate-Motivated Behavior.

Staff Development

Note: Education Code 215, as added by AB 2246 (Ch. 642, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's policy and procedures address any training to be provided to teachers of students in grades 7-12 on suicide awareness and prevention. In addition, Education Code 49604 encourages each district to provide suicide prevention training at least once to each middle, junior high, and high school counselor. The following section may be revised to reflect district practice.

Suicide prevention training shall be provided to teachers, counselors, and other district employees who interact with students at the secondary level. The training shall be offered under the direction of a district counselor/psychologist and/or in cooperation with one or more community mental health agencies.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

Materials for training shall include how to identify appropriate mental health services at the school site and within the community, and when and how to refer youth and their families to those services. Materials also may include programs that can be completed through self-review of suitable suicide prevention materials. (Education Code 215)

Staff development shall include research and information related to the following topics:

SUICIDE PREVENTION (continued)

Note: Education Code 215, as added by AB 2246 (Ch. 642, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's policy specifically address the needs of high-risk groups; see the accompanying Board policy. One strategy to specifically address their needs is to increase staff awareness of the higher rates of suicide among these groups, as provided in item #1 below.

- 1. The higher risk of suicide among certain groups, including, but not limited to, students who are bereaved by suicide; students with disabilities, mental illness, or substance use disorders; students who are experiencing homelessness or who are in out-of-home settings such as foster care; and students who are lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or questioning youth**

Note: Staff development may include training about risk factors associated with suicide, as provided in item #2 below. Information about risk factors is available from the CDE, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, American Association of Suicidology, American Foundation for Suicide Prevention, Trevor Project, and other agencies and organizations.

- 2. Individual risk factors such as previous suicide attempt(s) or self-harm, history of depression or mental illness, family history of suicide or violence, feelings of isolation, interpersonal conflicts, a recent severe stressor or loss, family instability, impulsivity, and other factors**

(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)

- 3. Warning signs that may indicate depression, emotional distress, or suicidal intentions, such as changes in students' personality or behavior and verbalizations of hopelessness or suicidal intent**

- 4. Protective factors that may help to decrease a person's suicide risk, such as resiliency, problem-solving ability, access to mental health care, and positive connections to family, peers, school, and community**

- 5. Instructional strategies for teaching the suicide prevention curriculum and promoting mental and emotional health**

- 6. School and community resources and services, including resources and services that meet the specific needs of high-risk groups**

(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)

(cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)

- 7. District procedures for intervening when a student attempts, threatens, or discloses the desire to die by suicide**

SUICIDE PREVENTION (continued)

Instruction

Note: The following optional section reflects topics of instruction recommended by suicide prevention resources and is consistent with the state's Health Education Content Standards for California Public Schools, which include standards pertaining to suicide prevention instruction at grade 7 or 8 and high school. The state's content standards for health education include voluntary standards pertaining to mental, emotional, and social health at selected elementary and secondary grades and suicide prevention instruction at grade 7 or 8 and in high school. The district may revise the following paragraph to reflect grade levels offered by the district.

At appropriate secondary grades, the district's suicide prevention instruction shall be designed to help students. The district's comprehensive health education program shall promote the healthy mental, emotional, and social development of students and shall be aligned with the state content standards and curriculum framework. Suicide prevention instruction shall be incorporated into the health education curriculum at appropriate secondary grades and shall be designed to help students:

1. Identify and analyze signs of depression and self-destructive behaviors and understand how feelings of depression, loss, isolation, inadequacy, and anxiety can lead to thoughts of suicide
2. ~~Identify alternatives to suicide and~~ Develop coping and resiliency skills and self-esteem
3. Learn to listen, be honest, share feelings, and get help when communicating with friends who show signs of suicidal intent
4. Identify trusted adults, school resources, and/or community crisis intervention resources where youth can get help and recognize that there is no stigma associated with seeking services for mental health, substance abuse, and/or suicide prevention services

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)

(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)

(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)

(cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)

Intervention

Note: The following optional section may be revised to reflect district practice. For additional information about steps that school personnel can take when a student threatens or attempts suicide, see the California Department of Education's Youth Suicide Prevention Guidelines for California Schools. Education Code 215, as added by AB 2246 (Ch. 642, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's policy and procedures address suicide intervention. The following section should be revised to reflect district practice.

SUICIDE PREVENTION (continued)

In addition, the district may choose to incorporate crisis intervention strategies in its comprehensive school safety plan adopted pursuant to Education Code 32280-32289; see BP/AR 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan

Students shall be encouraged to notify a teacher, principal, counselor, or other adult when they are experiencing thoughts of suicide or when they suspect or have knowledge of another student's suicidal intentions.

Every statement regarding suicidal intent shall be taken seriously. Whenever a staff member suspects or has knowledge of a student's suicidal intentions based on the student's verbalizations or act of self-harm, he/she shall promptly notify the principal or school counselor.

Note: Education Code 49602 generally protects the confidentiality of information of a personal nature disclosed to a school counselor by a student age 12 years or older or by a parent/guardian. However, in certain circumstances, the counselor may disclose such information to avert a clear and present danger to the health, safety, or welfare of the student. Also see BP 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services.

Although any personal information that a student discloses to a school counselor shall generally not be revealed, released, referenced, or discussed with third parties, the counselor may report to the principal or student's parents/guardians when he/she has reasonable cause to believe that disclosure is necessary to avert a clear and present danger to the health, safety, or welfare of the student. In addition, the counselor may disclose information of a personal nature to psychotherapists, other health care providers, or the school nurse for the sole purpose of referring the student for treatment. (Education Code 49602)

(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)

A school employee shall act only within the authorization and scope of his/her credential or license. An employee is not authorized to diagnose or treat mental illness unless he/she is specifically licensed and employed to do so. (Education Code 215)

When a suicide attempt or threat is reported, the principal or designee shall ensure student safety by taking the following actions:

1. ~~Ensure the student's physical safety by one of the following, as appropriate:~~
 - a.1. ~~Immediately securing immediate medical treatment and/or mental health services as necessary if a suicide attempt has occurred~~
 - b.2. ~~Securing~~ Notifying law enforcement and/or other emergency assistance if a suicidal act is being actively threatened

SUICIDE PREVENTION (continued)

~~e.3.~~ Keeping the student under continuous adult supervision until the parent/guardian and/or appropriate support agent or agency can be contacted and has the opportunity to intervene

~~4. Removing other students from the immediate area as soon as possible~~

~~(cf. 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan)
(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)~~

~~2. Designate specific individuals to be promptly contacted, including the school counselor, psychologist, nurse, superintendent, and/or the student's parent/guardian, and, as necessary, local law enforcement or mental health agencies~~

~~3. The principal or designee shall document the incident in writing, including the steps that the school took in response to the suicide attempt or threat as soon as feasible~~

~~(cf. 5125 - Student Records)~~

Note: The following paragraph is optional. If a student's parents/guardians refuse or neglect to access treatment for a student who has been identified to be at risk for suicide, the Superintendent or designee shall consider whether a referral to child protective services for child neglect is needed. Pursuant to Penal Code 11164-11174.3, the Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act, school employees who are mandated reporters are required to report child abuse or neglect, as defined in law, when they have knowledge of or reasonably suspect that a child is a victim of child abuse or neglect. See BP/AR 5141.4 - Child Abuse Prevention and Reporting

~~4. The Superintendent or designee shall follow up with the parent/guardian and student in a timely manner to provide referrals to appropriate services as needed. If the parent/guardian does not access treatment for the student, the Superintendent or designee may meet with the parent/guardian to identify barriers to treatment and assist the family in providing follow-up care for the student. If follow-up care is still not provided, the Superintendent or designee shall consider whether he/she is required, pursuant to laws for mandated reporters of child neglect, to refer the matter to the local child protective services agency~~

~~(cf. 5141.4 - Child Abuse Prevention and Reporting)~~

~~For any student returning to school after a mental health crisis, the principal or designee and/or school counselor may meet with the parents/guardians and, if appropriate, with the student to discuss re-entry and appropriate next steps to ensure the student's readiness for return to school.~~

~~5. Provide access to counselors or other appropriate personnel to listen to and support students and staff who are directly or indirectly involved with the incident at the school~~

SUICIDE PREVENTION (continued)

6. ~~Provide an opportunity for all who respond to the incident to debrief, evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies used, and make recommendations for future actions~~

Postvention

Note: Education Code 215, as added by AB 2246 (Ch. 642, Statutes of 2016), mandates that the district's policy and procedures address suicide postvention. The following section should be revised to reflect district practice.

~~In the event that a suicide occurs or is attempted on campus, the principal or designee shall follow the crisis intervention procedures contained in the school safety plan. After consultation with the Superintendent or designee and the student's parents/guardians about facts that may be divulged in accordance with the laws governing confidentiality of student record information, the principal or designee may provide students, parents/guardians, and staff with information, counseling, and/or referrals to community agencies as needed. School staff may receive assistance from school counselors or other mental health professionals in determining how best to discuss the suicide or attempted suicide with students.~~

~~In the event that a student dies by suicide, the Superintendent or designee shall communicate with the student's parents/guardians to offer condolences, assistance, and resources. In accordance with the laws governing confidentiality of student record information, the Superintendent or designee shall consult with the parents/guardians regarding facts that may be divulged to other students, parents/guardians, and staff.~~

Note: Research has identified an increased risk of suicide among youth who are grieving the suicide of another (so-called "suicide contagion"). The National Association of School Psychologists, in its Preventing Suicide, Guidelines for Administrators and Crisis Teams, recommends that memorials should be implemented with care so as not to sensationalize or glamorize suicide and thereby increase the suicide risk to other students. If a memorial is conducted for a student who dies by suicide, the association suggests a living memorial, such as making donations to a local crisis center, participating in an event that raises awareness about suicide prevention, or providing other opportunities for service activities in the school.

~~The Superintendent or designee shall implement procedures to address students' and staff's grief and to minimize the risk of imitative suicide or suicide contagion. He/she shall provide students, parents/guardians, and staff with information, counseling, and/or referrals to community agencies as needed. School staff may receive assistance from school counselors or other mental health professionals in determining how best to discuss the suicide or attempted suicide with students.~~

~~Any response to media inquiries shall be handled by the district-designated spokesperson who shall not divulge confidential information. The district's response shall not sensationalize suicide and shall focus on the district's postvention plan and available resources.~~

SUICIDE PREVENTION (continued)

(cf. 1112- Media Relations)

After any suicide or attempted suicide by a student, the Superintendent or designee shall provide an opportunity for all staff who responded to the incident to debrief, evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies used, and make recommendations for future actions.

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Administrative Regulation

Suicide Prevention

AR 5141.52
Students

Instruction

At appropriate secondary grades, the district's suicide prevention instruction shall be designed to help students:

1. Identify and analyze signs of depression and self-destructive behaviors and understand how feelings of depression, loss, isolation, inadequacy, and anxiety can lead to thoughts of suicide
2. Identify alternatives to suicide and develop coping and resiliency skills
3. Learn to listen, be honest, share feelings, and get help when communicating with friends who show signs of suicidal intent
4. Identify trusted adults, school resources, and/or community crisis intervention resources where youth can get help and recognize that there is no stigma associated with seeking mental health, substance abuse, and/or suicide prevention services

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)
(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)
(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)
(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)
(cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)

Intervention

When a suicide attempt or threat is reported, the principal or designee shall:

1. Ensure the student's physical safety by one of the following, as appropriate:
 - a. Securing immediate medical treatment if a suicide attempt has occurred
 - b. Securing law enforcement and/or other emergency assistance if a suicidal act is being actively threatened
 - c. Keeping the student under continuous adult supervision until the parent/guardian and/or appropriate support agent or agency can be contacted and has the opportunity to intervene

(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)

2. Designate specific individuals to be promptly contacted, including the school counselor, psychologist, nurse, superintendent, and/or the student's parent/guardian, and, as necessary, local law enforcement or mental health agencies

3. Document the incident in writing as soon as feasible

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

4. Follow up with the parent/guardian and student in a timely manner to provide referrals to appropriate services as needed

5. Provide access to counselors or other appropriate personnel to listen to and support students and staff who are directly or indirectly involved with the incident at the school

6. Provide an opportunity for all who respond to the incident to debrief, evaluate the effectiveness of the strategies used, and make recommendations for future actions

In the event that a suicide occurs or is attempted on campus, the principal or designee shall follow the crisis intervention procedures contained in the school safety plan. After consultation with the Superintendent or designee and the student's parents/guardians about facts that may be divulged in accordance with the laws governing confidentiality of student record information, the principal or designee may provide students, parents/guardians, and staff with information, counseling, and/or referrals to community agencies as needed. School staff may receive assistance from school counselors or other mental health professionals in determining how best to discuss the suicide or attempted suicide with students.

(cf. 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan)

(cf. 1112- Media Relations)

Regulation
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CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Antelope, California

CSBA Sample Exhibit

Students

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PARENTAL NOTIFICATIONS

Cautionary Notice: Government Code 17581.5 relieves districts from the obligation to perform specified mandated activities when the Budget Act does not provide reimbursement during that fiscal year. The Budget Act of 2015 (AB 93, Ch. 10, Statutes of 2015) extends the suspension of these requirements through the 2015-16 fiscal year. The Budget Act of 2016 (SB 826, Ch. 23, Statutes of 2016) extends the suspension of these requirements through the 2016-17 fiscal year. As a result, certain provisions of the following Exhibit related to scoliosis screening and bus safety instruction may be suspended.

Note: The following exhibit lists notices which the law explicitly requires be provided to parents/guardians. See the referenced Board policy, administrative regulation, or Board bylaw for further information about related program and notice requirements. For example, see AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures for the contents of the annual notice regarding uniform complaint procedures (UCP) as mandated by 5 CCR 4622. Pursuant to Education Code 48853, 48853.5, 49069.5, 51225.1, and 51225.2, as amended by AB 379 (Ch. 772, Statutes of 2015), the district is required to include information about specified educational rights of foster youth and homeless students in its annual UCP notification.

In addition to the notices required by law, there are other notices that districts are recommended to distribute. For example, AR 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment includes an optional notice regarding the rights of transgender and gender-nonconforming students. Furthermore, although the California High School Exit Examination is suspended through the 2017-18 school year pursuant to Education Code 60851.5, as added by SB 172 (Ch. 572, Statutes of 2015), and therefore the notice described in Education Code 60850 is not currently required, districts may choose to notify parents/guardians of the suspension of the exam and the possibility that it could subsequently be reinstated.

When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. Annually			
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 310	BP 6174 AR 6142.2	Information on the district's language acquisition programs
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 17611.5, 17612, 48980.3	AR 3514.2	Use of pesticide product, active ingredients, Internet address to access information, and, if district has no web site and uses certain pesticides, integrated pest management plan
By February 1	Education Code 35256, 35258	BP 0510	School Accountability Report Card provided
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 35291, 48980	AR 5144 AR 5144.1	District and site discipline rules

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. Annually (continued)			
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 46010.1	BP AR 5113	Absence for confidential medical services
Beginning of each school year, if district has adopted policy on involuntary transfer of students convicted of certain crimes when victim is enrolled at same school	Education Code: 48929, 48980	BP 5116.2	District policy authorizing transfer
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980	BP 6111	Schedule of minimum days and student-free staff development days
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 231.5; 5 CCR 4917	AR 5145.7	Copy of sexual harassment policy as related to students
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 32255-32255.6	AR 5145.8	Right to refrain from harmful or destructive use of animals
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 35160.5, 46600-46611, 48204, 48301, 48350-48361	BP 5111.1 AR 5116.1 AR 5117	All statutory attendance options, available local attendance options, options for meeting residency, form for changing attendance, appeals process
Beginning of each school year, if Board allows such absence	Education Code 48980, 46014	BP 5113 AR 5113	Absence for religious exercises or purposes
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 48205	BP 5113 AR 5113 AR BP 6154	Excused absences; grade/credit cannot be reduced due to excused absence if work or test has been completed; full text of Education Code 48205
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 48206.3, 48207, 48208	AR 6183	Availability of home/hospital instruction for students with temporary disabilities
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 49403	BP 5141.31	School immunization program

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. Annually (continued)			
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 49423, 49480	AR 5141.21	Administration of prescribed medication
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 49451; 20 USC 1232h	AR 5141.3	Right to refuse consent to physical examination
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 49471, 49472	BP 5143	Availability of insurance
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 49013; 5 CCR 4622	AR 1312.3	Uniform complaint procedures, available appeals, civil law remedies
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 49063	AR 5125 AR 5125.3	Challenge, review, and expunging of records
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 49063, 49069; 20 USC 1232g; 34 CFR 99.7	AR 5125	Student records: inspect and review, access, types, location, persons responsible, location of log, access criteria, cost of copies, amendment requests, criteria to determine legitimate educational interest, course prospectus availability
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 49063, 49073; 20 USC 1232g; 34 CFR 99.37	AR 5125.1	Release of directory information
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 49520, 48980; 42 USC 1758; 7 CFR 245.5	AR 3553	Free and reduced price meals
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 51513; 20 USC 1232h	AR 5022 BP 6162.8	Notice of privacy policy and dates of activities re: survey, health examination, or collection of personal information for marketing; process to opt out of such activities; inspection rights and procedures

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. Annually (continued)			
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 56301	BP 6164.4	Parental rights re: special education identification, referral, assessment, instructional planning, implementation and review, and procedures for initiating a referral for assessment
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 58501, 48980	AR 6181	Alternative schools
Beginning of each school year	Health and Safety Code 104855	AR 5141.6	Availability of dental fluoride treatment; opportunity to accept or deny treatment
Annually	5 CCR 852; Education Code 60615	AR 6162.51	Student's participation in state assessments; option to request exemption from testing
Beginning of each school year, if district receives Title I funds	20 USC 6312; 34 CFR 200.61	BP 4112.2 AR 4222	Right to request information re: professional qualifications of child's teacher and paraprofessional
Beginning of each school year	34 CFR 104.8, 106.9	BP 0410 BP 6178	Nondiscrimination
Beginning of each school year to parent, teacher, and employee organizations or, in their absence, individuals	40 CFR 763.84, 763.93	AR 3514	Availability of asbestos management plan; any inspections, response actions or post-response actions planned or in progress
II. At Specific Times During the Student's Academic Career			
Beginning in grade 7, at least once prior to course selection and career counseling	Education Code 221.5, 48980	BP 6164.2	Course selection and career counseling
Upon a student's enrollment	Education Code 310	BP 6174 AR 6142.2	Information on the district's language acquisition programs
When child first enrolls in a public school, if school offers a fingerprinting program	Education Code 32390, 48980	AR 5142.1	Fingerprinting program

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
II. At Specific Times During the Student's Academic Career (continued)			
When participating in driver training courses under the jurisdiction of the district	Education Code 35211	None	Civil liability, insurance coverage
Upon registration in K-6, if students have not previously been transported	Education Code 39831.5	AR 3543	School bus safety rules and information, list of stops, rules of conduct, red light crossing instructions, bus danger zones, walking to and from stops
Beginning of each school year for high school students, if high school is open campus	Education Code 44808.5, 48980	AR 5112.5	Open campus
Beginning of each school year in grades 9-12, if district allows career technical education (CTE) course to satisfy graduation requirement	Education Code 48980, 51225.3	AR 6146.1	How each graduation requirement does or does not satisfy college entrance a-g course criteria; district CTE courses that satisfy a-g criteria
Upon a student's enrollment	Education Code 49063	AR 5125 AR 5125.3	Specified rights related to student records
When students entering grade 7	Education Code 49452.7	AR 5141.3	Specified information on type 2 diabetes
When in kindergarten, or first grade if not previously enrolled in public school	Education Code 49452.8	AR 5141.32	Requirement for oral health assessment, explanation of law, importance of oral health, agency contact, privacy rights
Beginning of each school year for students in grades 9-12	Education Code 51229, 48980	AR 6143	College admission requirements, UC and CSU web sites that list certified courses, description of CTE, CDE Internet address, how students may meet with counselors
Beginning of each school year for students in grades 7-12, or at time of enrollment if after beginning of year	Education Code 51938, 48980	AR 6142.1	Sexual health and HIV prevention education; right to view A/V materials, who's teaching whether taught by district staff or outside consultants, right to request specific Education Code sections, right to excuse

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
II. At Specific Times During the Student's Academic Career (continued)			
Within 20 working days of receiving results of standardized achievement tests or, if results not available in school year, within 20 working days of start of next school year	Education Code 60641; 5 CCR 863	AR 6162.51	Results of tests; test purpose, individual score and intended use
By October 15 for students in grade 12	Education Code 69432.9	AR 5121 AR 5125	Forwarding of student's grade point average to Cal Grant program; timeline to opt out
When child is enrolled in kindergarten	Health and Safety Code 124100, 124105	AR 5141.32	Health screening examination
To students in grades 11-12, early enough to enable registration for fall test	5 CCR 11523	AR 6146.2	Notice of proficiency examination provided under Education Code 48412
To secondary students, if district receives Title I funds	20 USC 7908	AR 5125.1	Request that district not release name, address, phone number of child to military recruiters without prior written consent
III. When Special Circumstances Occur			
In the event of a breach of security of district records, to affected persons	Civil Code 1798.29	BP 3580	Types of records affected, date of breach, description of incident, contact information for credit reporting agencies
Upon receipt of a complaint alleging discrimination	Education Code 262.3	AR 1312.3	Civil law remedies available to complainants
When student has been placed in structured English immersion program	Education Code 310-311; 5 CCR 11309	AR 6174	Student's placement in program, opportunity to apply for parental exception waiver, other rights of student relative to such placements
When determining whether an English learner should be reclassified as fluent English proficient	Education Code 313; 5 CCR 11303	AR 6174	Description of reclassification process, opportunity for parent/guardian to participate

PARENTAL NOTIFICATIONS (continued)

When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
When student is identified as English learner and district receives Title I or Title III funds for English learner programs, not later than 30 days after beginning of school year or within two weeks of placement if identified during school year	Education Code 440; 20 USC 7012 6312	AR 6174	Reason for classification, level of English proficiency, description of program(s), option to decline program or choose alternate, option to remove student from program at any time, exit requirements of program
When homeless or foster youth applies for enrollment in before/after school program	Education Code 8483	AR 5148.2	Right to priority enrollment; how to request priority enrollment
Before high school student attends specialized secondary program on a university campus	Education Code 17288	None	University campus buildings may not meet Education Code requirements for structural safety
At least 72 hours before use of pesticide product not included in annual list	Education Code 17612	AR 3514.2	Intended use of pesticide product
To members of athletic teams	Education Code 32221.5	AR 5143	Offer of insurance; no-cost and low-cost program options
If school has lost its WASC accreditation status	Education Code 35178.4	BP 6190	Loss of status, potential consequences
When district has contracted for electronic products or services that disseminate advertising	Education Code 35182.5	BP 3112-3312	Advertising will be used in the classroom or learning center
At least six months before implementing uniform policy	Education Code 35183	AR 5132	Dress code policy requiring schoolwide uniform
Before implementing a year-round schedule	Education Code 37616	BP 6117	Public hearing on year-round schedule
When interdistrict transfer is requested and not approved or denied within 30 days	Education Code 46601	AR 5117	Appeal process

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
Before early entry to kindergarten, if offered	Education Code 48000	AR 5111	Effects, advantages and disadvantages of early entry
When student identified as being at risk of retention	Education Code 48070.5	AR 5123	Student at risk of retention
When student excluded due to quarantine, contagious or infectious disease, danger to safety or health	Education Code 48213	AR 5112.2 BP 5141.33	Student has been excluded from school
Before already admitted student is excluded for lack of immunization	Education Code 48216; 17 CCR 6040	AR 5141.31	Need to submit evidence of immunization or exemption within 10 school days; referral to medical care
When a student is classified as a truant	Education Code 48260.5, 48262	AR 5113.1	Truancy, parental obligation, availability of alternative programs, student consequences, need for conference
When a truant is referred to a SARB or probation department	Education Code 48263	AR 5113.1	Name and address of SARB or probation department and reason for referral
When a school is identified on the state's Open Enrollment List	Education Code 48354; 5 CCR 4702	AR 5118	Student's option to transfer to another school
Within 60 days of receiving application for transfer out of open enrollment school	Education Code 48357; 5 CCR 4702	AR 5118	Whether student's transfer application is accepted or rejected; reasons for rejection
When student requests to voluntarily transfer to continuation school	Education Code 48432.3	AR 6184	Copy of district policy and regulation on continuation education
Prior to involuntary transfer to continuation school	Education Code 48432.5	AR 6184	Right to request meeting prior to involuntary transfer to continuation school
To person holding educational rights, prior to recommending placement of foster youth outside school of origin	Education Code 48853.5	AR 6173.1	Basis for the placement recommendation

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
When student is removed from class and teacher requires parental attendance at school	Education Code 48900.1	AR 5144.4	Parental attendance required; timeline for attendance
Prior to withholding grades, diplomas, or transcripts	Education Code 48904	AR 5125.2	Damaged school property
When withholding grades, diplomas or transcripts from transferring student	Education Code 48904.3	AR 5125.2	Next school will continue withholding grades, diplomas, or transcripts
When student is released to peace officer	Education Code 48906	BP 5145.11	Release of student to peace officer for the purpose of removing minor from school, unless taken into custody as victim of suspected child abuse
At time of suspension	Education Code 48911	BP 5144.1 AR 5144.1	Notice of suspension
When original period of suspension is extended	Education Code 48911	AR 5144.1	Extension of suspension
At the time a student is assigned to a supervised suspension classroom	Education Code 48911.1	AR 5144.1	The student's assignment to a supervised suspension classroom
Before holding a closed session re: suspension	Education Code 48912	AR 5144.1	Intent to hold a closed session re: suspension
When student expelled from another district for certain acts seeks admission	Education Code 48915.1, 48918	BP 5119	Hearing re: possible danger presented by expelled student
When readmission is denied	Education Code 48916	AR 5144.1	Reasons for denial; determination of assigned program
When expulsion occurs	Education Code 48916	AR 5144.1	Readmission procedures
At least 10 calendar days before expulsion hearing	Education Code 48918	AR 5144.1	Notice of expulsion hearing

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
When expulsion or suspension of expulsion occurs	Education Code 48918	AR 5144.1	Decision to expel; right to appeal to county board; obligation to inform new district of status
Before involuntary transfer of student convicted of certain crime when victim is enrolled at same school	Education Code 48929, 48980	BP 5116.2	Right to request a meeting with principal or designee
One month before the scheduled minimum day	Education Code 48980	BP 6111	When minimum days are scheduled after beginning of the school year
When parents/guardians request guidelines for filing complaint of child abuse at a school site	Education Code 48987	AR 5141.4	Guidelines for filing complaint of child abuse at a school site with local child protective agencies
When student in danger of failing a course	Education Code 49067	AR 5121	Student in danger of failing a course
When student transfers from another district or private school	Education Code 49068	AR 5125	Right to receive copy of student's record and to challenge its content
When parent/guardian's challenge of student record is denied and parent/guardian appeals	Education Code 49070	AR 5125.3	If board sustains allegations, the correction or destruction of record; if denied, right to submit written objection
When district is considering program to gather safety-related information from students' social media activity	Education Code 49073.6	BP 5125	Opportunity for input on proposed program
When district adopts program to gather information from students' social media activity, and annually thereafter	Education Code 49073.6	AR 5125	Information is being gathered, access to records, process for removal or corrections, destruction of records
Within 24 hours of release of information to a judge or probation officer	Education Code 49076	AR 5125	Release of student record to a judge or probation officer for conducting truancy mediation program or for presenting evidence at a truancy petition

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
Before release of information pursuant to court order or subpoena	Education Code 49077	AR 5125	Release of information pursuant to court order or subpoena
When screening results in suspicion that student has scoliosis	Education Code 49452.5	AR 5141.3	Scoliosis screening
When test results in discovery of visual or hearing defects	Education Code 49456; 17 CCR 2951	AR 5141.3	Vision or hearing test results
Annually to parents/guardians of student athletes before their first practice or competition	Education Code 49475	AR 6145.2	Information on concussions and head injuries
To person holding educational rights, within 30 days of foster youth, ex homeless youth's, or former juvenile court school student being transferred between high schools	Education Code 51225.1	BP 6146.1 AR 6173 AR 6173.1 AR 6173.3	Exemption from local graduation requirements, effect on college admission, option for fifth year of high school
Before any test/survey questioning personal beliefs	Education Code 51513	AR 5022	Permission for test, survey questioning personal beliefs
Within 14 days of instruction At least 14 days before HIV prevention or sexual health instruction; if arrangement made for guest speaker after beginning of school year	Education Code 51938	AR 6142.1	Instruction in HIV prevention or sexual health by guest speaker or outside consultant
Prior to administering survey regarding health risks and behaviors to students in 7-12	Education Code 51938	AR 5022	Notice that the survey will be administered
Within 30 calendar days of receipt of results of assessment or reassessment of English proficiency	Education Code 52164.1, 52164.3; 5 CCR 11511.5	AR 6174	Results of state test of English proficiency
When migrant education program is established	Education Code 54444.2	BP 6175 AR 6175	Parent advisory council membership composition

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
When child participates in licensed child care and development program	Health and Safety Code 1596.857	AR 5148	Parent/guardian right to enter facility
When district receives Tobacco-Use Prevention Education Funds	Health and Safety Code 104420	AR 3513.3	The district's tobacco-free schools policy and enforcement procedures
When sharing student immunization information with an immunization system	Health and Safety Code 120440	AR 5125	Types of information to be shared, name and address of agency, acceptable use of the information, right to examine, right to refuse to share
At least 14 days prior to sex offender coming on campus as volunteer	Penal Code 626.81	AR 1240 BP 1250	Dates and times permission granted; obtaining information from law enforcement
When hearing is requested by person asked to leave school premises	Penal Code 627.5	AR 3515.2	Notice of hearing
When responding to complaint re: discrimination, special education, or noncompliance with law	5 CCR 4631	AR 1312.3	Findings, disposition of complaint, any corrective actions, appeal rights and procedures
When child participates in licensed child care and development program	5 CCR 18066	AR 5148	Policies re: excused and unexcused absences
Within 30 days of application for subsidized child care or preschool services	5 CCR 18094, 18118	AR 5148 AR 5148.3	Approval or denial of services
Upon recertification or update of application for child care or preschool services	5 CCR 18095, 18119	AR 5148 AR 5148.3	Any change in service, such as in fees, amount of service, termination of service
Upon child's enrollment in child care program	5 CCR 18114	AR 5148	Policy on fee collection
When payment of child care fees is seven days late	5 CCR 18114	AR 5148	Notice of delinquent fees
When district substantively changes policy on student privacy rights	20 USC 1232h	AR 5022	Notice of any substantive change in policy or regulation

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
For districts receiving Title I funds, when child has been assigned or taught for four or more consecutive weeks by a teacher who does not meet state certification requirements for the grade level/subject taught	20 USC 6312	AR 4112.2	Timely notice to parent/guardian of child's assignment
For districts receiving Title I funds, not later than 30 days after beginning of school year, to parents/guardians of English learners	20 USC 6312	AR 6174	Reasons for placement, level of proficiency, instructional methods, how program meets child's strengths and teaches English, exit requirements, right to choose other program
For schools receiving Title I funds, upon development of parent involvement policy	20 USC 6316	AR 6020	Notice of policy
When household is selected for verification of eligibility for free or reduced-price meals	42 USC 1758; 7 CFR 245.6a	AR 3553	Need to submit verification information; any subsequent change in benefits; appeals
When student is homeless or unaccompanied minor	42 USC 11432; Education Code 48852.5	AR 6173	Educational and related opportunities; transportation services; placement decision and right to appeal
When student transfers out of state and records are disclosed without consent pursuant to 34 CFR 99.30	34 CFR 99.34	AR 5125	Right to review records
When district receives federal funding assistance for nutrition program	USDA FNS Instruction 113-1	BP 3555	Rights and responsibilities, nondiscrimination policy, complaint procedures
IV. Special Education Notices			
Prior to conducting initial evaluation	Education Code 56301, 56321, 56321.5, 56321.6, 56329; 20 USC 1415(d); 34 CFR 300.502, 300.503	BP 6159.1 AR 6159.1 AR 6164.4	Proposed evaluation plan, related parental rights, prior written notice, procedural safeguards

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
IV. Special Education Notices (continued)			
Before functional behavioral assessment begins	Education Code 56321	AR 6159.4	Notification and consent
24 hours before IEP when district intending to record	Education Code 56341.1	AR 6159	Intention to audio-record IEP meeting
Early enough to ensure opportunity for parent/guardian to attend IEP meeting	Education Code 56341.5; 34 CFR 300.322	AR 6159	Time, purpose, location, who in attendance will attend participation of others with special knowledge, transition statements if appropriate
When parent/guardian orally requests review of IEP	Education Code 56343.5	AR 6159	Need for written request
Within one school day of emergency intervention or serious property damage	Education Code 56521.1	AR 6159.4	Emergency intervention
Whenever there is a proposal or refusal to initiate or change the identification, evaluation, placement, or FAPE, including when parent/guardian revokes consent for services	20 USC 1415(c); 34 CFR 300.300, 300.503	AR 6159 AR 6159.1	Prior written notice
Upon filing of state complaint	20 USC 1415(d); 34 CFR 300.504	AR 6159.1	Procedural safeguards notice
When disciplinary measures are taken or change in placement	20 USC 1415(k); 34 CFR 300.530	AR 5144.2	Decision and procedural safeguards notice
Upon requesting a due process hearing	20 USC 1415(k); 34 CFR 300.508	AR 6159.1	Student's name, address, school, description of problem, proposed resolution
Eligibility for services under Section 504	34 CFR 104.32, 104.36	AR 6164.6	District responsibilities, district actions, procedural safeguards

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When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
V. Classroom Notices			
In each classroom in each school	Education Code 35186	AR 1312.4 E 1312.4	Complaints re: sufficiency of instructional materials, teacher vacancy or misassignment, maintenance of facilities

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Cautionary Notice: Government Code 17581.5 relieves districts from the obligation to perform specified mandated activities when the Budget Act does not provide reimbursement during that fiscal year. The Budget Act of 2015 (AB 93, Ch. 10, Statutes of 2015) extends the suspension of these requirements through the 2015-16 fiscal year. As a result, certain provisions of the following Exhibit related to scoliosis screening and bus safety instruction may be suspended.

When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. Annually			
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 17611.5, 17612, 48980.3	AR 3514.2	Use of pesticide product, active ingredients, Internet address to access information, and, if district has no web site and uses certain pesticides, integrated pest management plan
By February 1	Education Code 35256, 35258	BP 0510	School Accountability Report Card provided
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 35291, 48980	AR 5144 AR 5144.1	District and site discipline rules
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 46010.1	BP 5113	Absence for confidential medical services
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980	BP 6111	Schedule of minimum days
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 231.5; 5 CCR 4917	AR 5145.7	Sexual harassment policy as related to students
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 32255-32255.6	AR 5145.8	Right to refrain from harmful or destructive use of animals
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 35160.5, 46600-46611, 48204, 48301, 48350-48361	BP 5111.1 AR 5116.1 AR 5117	All statutory attendance options, available local attendance options, options for meeting residency, form for changing attendance, appeals process

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I. Annually (continued)			
Beginning of each school year, if Board allows such absence	Education Code 48980, 46014	BP 5113 AR 5113	Absence for religious exercises or purposes
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 48205	BP 5113 AR 5113 AR 6154	Excused absences; grade/credit cannot be reduced due to excused absence if work or test has been completed
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 48206.3, 48207, 48208	AR 6183	Availability of home/hospital instruction for students with temporary disabilities
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 49403	BP 5141.31	School immunization program
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 49423, 49480	AR 5141.21	Administration of prescribed medication
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 49451; 20 USC 1232h	AR 5141.3	Right to refuse consent to physical examination
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 48980, 49471, 49472	BP 5143	Availability of insurance
Beginning of each school year 4622	Education Code 49013; 5 CCR	AR 1312.3 remedies	Uniform complaint procedures, available appeals, civil law
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 49063	AR 5125 AR 5125.3	Challenge, review, and expunging of records
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 49063, 49069; 20 USC 1232g; 34 CFR 99.7	AR 5125	Student records: inspect and review, access, types, location, persons responsible, location of log, access criteria, cost of copies, amendment requests, criteria to determine legitimate educational interest, course prospectus availability
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 49063, 49073; 20 USC 1232g; 34 CFR 99.37	AR 5125.1	Release of directory information
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 49520, 48980; 42 USC 1758; 7 CFR 245.5	AR 3553	Free and reduced price meals

When to Notify	Education or Other Legal Code	Board Policy/ Administrative Regulation #	Subject
I. Annually (continued)			
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 51513; 20 USC 1232h	AR 5022 BP 6162.8	Notice of privacy policy and dates of activities re: survey, health examination, or collection of personal information for marketing; process to opt out of such activities
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 56301	BP 6164.4	Parental rights re: special education identification, referral, assessment, instructional planning, implementation and review, and procedures for initiating a referral for assessment
Beginning of each school year	Education Code 58501, 48980	AR 6181	Alternative schools
Beginning of each school year	Health and Safety Code 104855	AR 5141.6	Availability of dental fluoride treatment; opportunity to accept or deny treatment
Annually	5 CCR 852; Education Code 60615	AR 6162.51	Student's participation in state assessments; option to request exemption from testing
Beginning of each school year, if district receives Title I funds	20 USC 6312; 34 CFR 200.61	BP 4112.2 AR 4222	Right to request information re: professional qualifications of child's teacher and paraprofessional
Beginning of each school year	34 CFR 104.8, 106.9	BP 0410 BP 6178	Nondiscrimination
Beginning of each school year to parent, teacher, and employee organizations or, in their absence, individuals	40 CFR 763.84, 763.93	AR 3514	Availability of asbestos management plan; any inspections, response actions or post-response actions planned or in progress
II. At Specific Times During the Student's Academic Career			
Beginning in grade 7, at least once prior to course selection and career counseling	Education Code 221.5, 48980	BP 6164.2	Course selection and career counseling
When child first enrolls in a public school, if the school offers a fingerprinting program	Education Code 32390, 48980	AR 5142.1	Fingerprinting program

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II. At Specific Times During the Student's Academic Career (continued)			
When participating in driver training courses under the jurisdiction of the district	Education Code 35211	None	Civil liability, insurance coverage
Upon registration in K-6, if students have not previously been transported	Education Code 39831.5	AR 3543	School bus safety rules and information, list of stops, rules of conduct, red light crossing instructions, bus danger zones, walking to and from stops
Beginning of each school year for high school students, if high school is open campus	Education Code 44808.5, 48980	AR 5112.5	Open campus
Beginning of each school year in grades 9-12, if district allows career technical education (CTE) course to satisfy graduation requirement	Education Code 48980, 51225.3	AR 6146.1	How each graduation requirement does or does not satisfy college entrance a-g course criteria; district CTE courses that satisfy a-g criteria
When students entering grade 7	Education Code 49452.7	AR 5141.3	Specified information on type 2 diabetes
When in kindergarten, or first grade if not previously enrolled in public school	Education Code 49452.8	AR 5141.32	Requirement for oral health assessment, explanation of law, importance of oral health, agency contact, privacy rights
Beginning of each school year for students in grades 9-12	Education Code 51229, 48980	AR 6143	College admission requirements, UC and CSU web sites that list certified courses, description of CTE, CDE Internet address, how students may meet with counselors
Beginning of each school year for students in grades 7-12	Education Code 51938, 48980	AR 6142.1	Sexual health and HIV prevention education; right to view A/V materials, who's teaching, request specific Education Code sections, right to excuse
Within 20 working days of receiving results of standardized achievement tests or, if results not available in school year, 20 days of start of next school year	Education Code 60641; 5 CCR 863	AR 6162.51	Results of tests; test purpose, individual score and intended use
By October 15 for students in grade 12	Education Code 69432.9	AR 5121 AR 5125	Forwarding of student's grade point average to Cal Grant program; timeline to opt out

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II. At Specific Times During the Student's Academic Career (continued)			
When child is enrolled in kindergarten	Health and Safety Code 124100, 124105	AR 5141.32	Health screening examination
To students in grades 11-12, early enough to enable registration for fall test	5 CCR 11523	AR 6146.2	Notice of proficiency examination provided under Education Code 48412
To secondary students, if district receives Title I funds	20 USC 7908	AR 5125.1	Request that district not release name, address, phone number of child to military recruiters without prior written consent
III. When Special Circumstances Occur			
In the event of a breach of security of district records, to affected persons	Civil Code 1798.29	BP 3580	Types of records affected, date of breach, description of incident, contact information for credit reporting agencies
Upon receipt of a complaint alleging discrimination	Education Code 262.3	AR 1312.3	Civil law remedies available to complainants
When student has been placed in structured English immersion program	Education Code 310-311; 5 CCR 11309	AR 6174	Student's placement in program, opportunity to apply for parental exception waiver, other rights of student relative to such placements
When determining whether an English learner should be reclassified as fluent English proficient	Education Code 313; 5 CCR 11303	AR 6174	Description of reclassification process, opportunity for parent/guardian to participate
When student is identified as English learner and district receives Title III funds, not later than 30 days after beginning of school year or within two weeks of placement if identified during school year	Education Code 440; 20 USC 7012	AR 6174	Reason for classification, level of English proficiency, description of program(s), option to decline program or choose alternate, exit requirements of program
Before high school student attends specialized secondary program on a university campus	Education Code 17288	None	University campus buildings may not meet Education Code requirements for structural safety
At least 72 hours before use of pesticide product not included in annual list	Education Code 17612	AR 3514.2	Intended use of pesticide product
To members of athletic teams	Education Code 32221.5	AR 5143	Offer of insurance; no-cost and low-cost program options

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III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
If school has lost its WASC accreditation status	Education Code 35178.4	BP 6190	Loss of status, potential consequences
When district has contracted for electronic products or services that disseminate advertising	Education Code 35182.5	BP 3312	Advertising will be used in the classroom or learning center
At least six months before implementing uniform policy	Education Code 35183	AR 5132	Dress code policy requiring schoolwide uniform
Before implementing a year-round schedule	Education Code 37616	BP 6117	Public hearing on year-round schedule
When interdistrict transfer is requested and not approved or denied within 30 days	Education Code 46601	AR 5117	Appeal process
Before early entry to kindergarten, if offered	Education Code 48000	AR 5111	Effects, advantages and disadvantages of early entry
When student identified as being at risk of retention	Education Code 48070.5	AR 5123	Student at risk of retention
When student excluded due to quarantine, contagious or infectious disease, danger to safety or health	Education Code 48213	AR 5112.2 BP 5141.33	Student has been excluded from school
Before already admitted student is excluded for lack of immunization	Education Code 48216; 17 CCR 6040	AR 5141.31	Need to submit evidence of immunization or exemption within 10 school days; referral to medical care
When a student is classified a truant	Education Code 48260.5, 48262	AR 5113.1	Truancy, parental obligation, availability of alternative programs, student consequences, need for conference
When a truant is referred to a SARB or probation department	Education Code 48263	AR 5113.1	Name and address of SARB or probation department and reason for referral
When a school is identified on the state's Open Enrollment List	Education Code 48354; 5 CCR 4702	AR 5118	Student's option to transfer to another school
Within 60 days of receiving application for transfer out of open enrollment school	Education Code 48357; 5 CCR 4702	AR 5118	Whether student's transfer application is accepted or rejected; reasons for rejection

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III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
When student requests to voluntarily transfer to continuation school	Education Code 48432.3	AR 6184	Copy of district policy and regulation on continuation education
Prior to involuntary transfer to continuation school	Education Code 48432.5	AR 6184	Right to request meeting prior to involuntary transfer to continuation school
To person holding educational rights, prior to recommending placement of foster youth outside school of origin	Education Code 48853.5	AR 6173.1	Basis for the placement recommendation
When student is removed from class and teacher requires parental attendance at school	Education Code 48900.1	AR 5144.4	Parental attendance required; timeline for attendance
Prior to withholding grades, diplomas, or transcripts	Education Code 48904	AR 5125.2	Damaged school property
When withholding grades, diplomas or transcripts from transferring student	Education Code 48904.3	AR 5125.2	Next school will continue withholding grades, diplomas, or transcripts
When student is released to peace officer	Education Code 48906	BP 5145.11	Release of student to peace officer for the purpose of removing minor from school premises
At time of suspension	Education Code 48911	BP 5144.1 AR 5144.1	Notice of suspension
When original period of suspension is extended	Education Code 48911	AR 5144.1	Extension of suspension
At the time a student is assigned to a supervised suspension classroom	Education Code 48911.1	AR 5144.1	The student's assignment to a supervised suspension classroom
Before holding a closed session re: suspension	Education Code 48912	AR 5144.1	Intent to hold a closed session re: suspension
When student expelled from another district for certain acts seeks admission	Education Code 48915.1, 48918	BP 5119	Hearing re: possible danger presented by expelled student
When readmission is denied	Education Code 48916	AR 5144.1	Reasons for denial; determination of assigned program
When expulsion occurs	Education Code 48916	AR 5144.1	Readmission procedures

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III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
At least 10 calendar days before expulsion hearing	Education Code 48918	AR 5144.1	Notice of expulsion hearing
When expulsion or suspension of expulsion occurs	Education Code 48918	AR 5144.1	Decision to expel; right to appeal to county board; obligation to inform new district of status
One month before the scheduled minimum day	Education Code 48980	BP 6111	When minimum days are scheduled after beginning of the school year
When parents/guardians request guidelines for filing complaint of child abuse at a school site	Education Code 48987	AR 5141.4	Guidelines for filing complaint of child abuse at a school site with local child protective agencies
When student in danger of failing a course	Education Code 49067	AR 5121	Student in danger of failing a course
When student transfers from another district or private school	Education Code 49068	AR 5125	Right to receive copy of student's record and to challenge its content
When district is considering program to gather safety-related information from students' social media activity	Education Code 49073.6	BP 5125	Opportunity for input on proposed program
When district adopts program to gather information from students' social media activity, and annually thereafter	Education Code 49073.6	AR 5125	Information is being gathered, access to records, process for removal or corrections, destruction of records
Within 24 hours of release of information to a judge or probation officer	Education Code 49076	AR 5125	Release of student record to a judge or probation officer for conducting truancy mediation program or for presenting evidence at a truancy petition
Before release of information pursuant to court order or subpoena	Education Code 49077	AR 5125	Release of information pursuant to court order or subpoena
When screening results in suspicion that student has scoliosis	Education Code 49452.5	AR 5141.3	Scoliosis screening
When test results in discovery of visual or hearing defects	Education Code 49456; 17 CCR 2951	AR 5141.3	Vision or hearing test results

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III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
Annually to parents/guardians of student athletes before their first practice or competition	Education Code 49475	AR 6145.2	Information on concussions and head injuries
To person holding educational rights, within 30 days of foster or homeless youth's transfer between high schools	Education Code 51225.1	AR 6173 AR 6173.1	Exemption from local graduation requirements, effect on college admission, option for fifth year of high school
Before any test/survey questioning personal beliefs	Education Code 51513	AR 5022	Permission for test, survey questioning personal beliefs
Within 14 days of instruction if arrangement made for guest speaker after beginning of school year	Education Code 51938	AR 6142.1	Instruction in HIV prevention or sexual health by guest speaker or outside consultant
Prior to administering survey regarding health risks and behaviors to students in 7-12	Education Code 51938	AR 5022	Notice that the survey will be administered
Within 30 calendar days of receipt of results of assessment or reassessment of English proficiency	Education Code 52164.1, 52164.3; 5 CCR 11511.5	AR 6174	Results of state test of English proficiency
When migrant education program is established	Education Code 54444.2	BP 6175 AR 6175	Parent advisory council membership composition
When child participates in licensed child care and development program	Health and Safety Code 1596.857	AR 5148	Parent/guardian right to enter facility
When district receives Tobacco-Use Prevention Education Funds	Health and Safety Code 104420	AR 3513.3	The district's tobacco-free schools policy and enforcement procedures
When sharing student immunization information with an immunization system	Health and Safety Code 120440	AR 5125	Types of information to be shared, name and address of agency, acceptable use of the information, right to examine, right to refuse to share
At least 14 days prior to sex offender coming on campus as volunteer	Penal Code 626.81	AR 1240 BP 1250	Dates and times permission granted; obtaining information from law enforcement
When hearing is requested by person asked to leave school premises	Penal Code 627.5	AR 3515.2	Notice of hearing

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III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
When responding to complaint re: discrimination, special education, or noncompliance with law	5 CCR 4631	AR 1312.3	Findings, disposition of complaint, any corrective actions, appeal rights and procedures
When child participates in licensed child care and development program	5 CCR 18066	AR 5148	Policies re: excused and unexcused absences
Within 30 days of application for subsidized child care or preschool services	5 CCR 18094, 18118	AR 5148 AR 5148.3	Approval or denial of services
Upon recertification or update of application for child care or preschool services	5 CCR 18095, 18119	AR 5148 AR 5148.3	Any change in service, such as in fees, amount of service, termination of service
Upon child's enrollment in child care program	5 CCR 18114	AR 5148	Policy on fee collection
When payment of child care fees is seven days late	5 CCR 18114	AR 5148	Notice of delinquent fees
When district substantively changes policy on student privacy rights	20 USC 1232h	AR 5022	Notice of any substantive change in policy or regulation
For districts receiving Title I funds, when child has been assigned or taught for four or more consecutive weeks by a teacher who does not meet state certification requirements for the grade level/subject taught	20 USC 6312	AR 4112.24	Timely notice to parent/guardian of child's assignment
For districts receiving Title I funds, not later than 30 days after beginning of school year, to parents/guardians of English learners	20 USC 6312	AR 6174	Reasons for placement, level of proficiency, instructional methods, how program meets child's strengths and teaches English, exit requirements, right to choose other program
For schools receiving Title I funds, upon development of parent involvement policy	20 USC 6316	AR 6020	Notice of policy
When household is selected for verification of eligibility for free or reduced-price meals	42 USC 1758; 7 CFR 245.6a	AR 3553	Need to submit verification information; any subsequent change in benefits; appeals

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III. When Special Circumstances Occur (continued)			
When student is homeless or unaccompanied minor	42 USC 11432; Education Code 48852.5	AR 6173	Educational and related opportunities; transportation services; placement decision and right to appeal
When student transfers out of state and records are disclosed without consent pursuant to 34 CFR 99.30	34 CFR 99.34	AR 5125	Right to review records
When district receives federal funding assistance for nutrition program	USDA FNS Instruction 113-1	BP 3555	Rights and responsibilities, nondiscrimination policy, complaint procedures
IV. Special Education Notices			
Prior to conducting initial evaluation	Education Code 56301, 56321, 56321.5, 56321.6, 56329; 20 USC 1415(d); 34 CFR 300.502, 300.503	BP 6159.1 AR 6159.1 AR 6164.4	Proposed evaluation plan, related parental rights, prior written notice, procedural safeguards
Before functional behavioral assessment begins	Education Code 56321	AR 6159.4	Notification and consent
24 hours before IEP when district intending to record	Education Code 56341.1	AR 6159	Intention to audio-record IEP meeting
Early enough to ensure opportunity for parent/guardian to attend IEP meeting	Education Code 56341.5; 34 CFR 300.322	AR 6159	Time, purpose, location, who in attendance, participation of others with special knowledge, transition statements if appropriate
When parent/guardian orally requests review of IEP	Education Code 56343.5	AR 6159	Need for written request
Within one school day of emergency intervention or serious property damage	Education Code 56521.1	AR 6159.4	Emergency intervention
Whenever there is a proposal or refusal to initiate or change the identification, evaluation, placement, or FAPE, including when parent/guardian revokes consent for services	20 USC 1415(c); 34 CFR 300.300, 300.503	AR 6159 AR 6159.1	Prior written notice
Upon filing of state complaint	20 USC 1415(d); 34 CFR 300.504	AR 6159.1	Procedural safeguards notice

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IV. Special Education Notices (continued)			
When disciplinary measures are taken or change in placement	20 USC 1415(k); 34 CFR 300.530	AR 5144.2	Decision and procedural safeguards notice
Upon requesting a due process hearing	20 USC 1415(k); 34 CFR 300.508	AR 6159.1	Student's name, address, school, description of problem, proposed resolution
Eligibility for services under Section 504	34 CFR 104.32, 104.36	AR 6164.6	District responsibilities, district actions, procedural safeguards
V. Classroom Notices			
In each classroom in each school	Education Code 35186	AR 1312.4 E 1312.4	Complaints re: sufficiency of instructional materials, teacher vacancy or misassignment, maintenance of facilities

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CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT

Note: The following administrative regulation is for use by districts that operate child care and development services through a contract with the California Department of Education (CDE) and reflects provisions generally applicable to programs under the Child Care and Development Services Act (Education Code 8200-8499.7). The district may revise this regulation to reflect specific requirements for the program(s) it offers. See BP/AR 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs for requirements pertaining to the After-School Education and Safety program (Education Code 8482-8484.65) and 21st Century Community Learning Centers (Education Code 8484.7-8484.8), and BP/AR 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education for requirements pertaining to the California State Preschool Program (Education Code 8235-8239).

The following administrative regulation does not reflect all policy language mandated for each specific program. The district should be careful to include the mandates, if any, applicable to the program(s) it offers. For example, for the Alternative Payment Program (Education Code 8220-8227.3; 5 CCR 18220-18231), 5 CCR 18221 mandates a written policy statement that includes specified components, including, but not limited to, program purpose, enrollment priorities, reimbursement of providers, and family fee collection. For the Resource and Referral program (Education Code 8210-8216; 5 CCR 18240-18248), 5 CCR 18244 mandates written referral policies and written complaint procedures.

In addition to the program requirements described below, child care and development programs may be subject to other policies in the district's policy manual (e.g., AR 3514.2 - Integrated Pest Management, BP/AR 1240 - Volunteer Assistance, food safety standards and nutrition requirements in BP/AR 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program). Districts should consult legal counsel if they have questions regarding the applicability of other laws to the district's child care and development program.

Licensing

Note: Pursuant to 22 CCR 101156, all child care centers must be licensed by the California Department of Social Services unless exempted by law. Health and Safety Code 1596.792 and 22 CCR 101158 list exemptions from the licensure requirements including, but not limited to, any program that (1) is a "public recreation program" that meets the criteria specified in Health and Safety Code 1596.792, (2) is operated before and/or after school by qualified teachers employed by the district, (3) is a school parenting program or adult education child care program, (4) operates only one day per week for no more than four hours on that day, (5) offers temporary child care services to parents/guardians who are on the same premises as the child care site, or (6) provides activities that are of an instructional nature in a classroom-like setting when K-12 students are normally not in session and the sessions do not exceed a total of 30 days when only school-age children are enrolled or 15 days when younger children are enrolled. If the district offers only programs that are exempted from licensure, it should modify the following regulation accordingly.

All district child care and development services shall be licensed by the California Department of Social Services, unless exempted pursuant to Health and Safety Code 1596.792 or 22 CCR 101158.

The license shall be posted in a prominent, publicly accessible location in the facility. (Health and Safety Code 1596.8555)

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Licensed child care centers shall be subject to the requirements of Health and Safety Code 1596.70-1597.21, 22 CCR 101151-101239.2, and, when applicable, 22 CCR 101451-101539.

Program Components

Note: Items #1-8 below list components of child care and development programs required for all providers pursuant to 5 CCR 18272-18281. The Governing Board is required, pursuant to 5 CCR 18271, to approve goals and objectives addressing each of these program components; see the accompanying Board policy. The district may add components of other programs offered by the district.

The district's child care and development program shall include the following components:

1. ~~A The use of a~~ developmental profile ~~recording-reflecting~~ each child's physical, cognitive, social, and emotional development ~~which shall be used~~ to plan and conduct developmentally and age appropriate activities (Education Code 8203.5; 5 CCR 18272)

Program staff shall complete the "Desired Results Developmental Profile," available from the California Department of Education (CDE), for each child who is enrolled in the program for at least 10 hours per week and for any child with disabilities regardless of the number of hours enrolled. The profile shall be completed within 60 days of enrollment and at least once every six months thereafter for children of all ages. (Education Code 8203.5; 5 CCR 18270.5, 18272)

2. An educational program ~~which that~~ complies with 5 CCR 18273, including the provision of services that are developmentally, linguistically, and culturally appropriate and inclusive of children with special needs

(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)
(cf. 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education)
(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)
(cf. 6164.4 - Identification of Individuals for Special Education)
(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)
(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)

3. A staff development program which complies with 5 CCR 18274

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

4. Parent/guardian involvement and education ~~which that~~ complies with 5 CCR 18275 and involves parents/guardians through an orientation, at least two individual conferences per year, meetings with program staff, an advisory committee, participation in daily activities, and information regarding their child's progress

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5. A health and social services component ~~which that~~ complies with 5 CCR 18276 and includes referrals to appropriate community agencies as needed

*(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)**(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)**(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)**(cf. 5141.23 - Asthma Management)**(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)*

6. A community involvement component ~~which that~~ complies with 5 CCR 18277

Note: Health and Safety Code 1596.808 establishes beverage standards for licensed child care centers. These standards require that children age 2 or older, with specified exceptions, be served only low-fat or nonfat milk, no more than one serving per day of 100 percent juice, and no beverage with added sweetener and that clean and safe drinking water be readily available and accessible throughout the day. In addition, centers that receive funding through the Child and Adult Care Food Program (42 USC 1766) must meet federal guidelines for meals, snacks, fluid milk or nutritionally equivalent milk substitutes, and drinking water.

7. A nutrition component ~~which that~~ ensures ~~that~~ children in the program are provided nutritious meals, beverages, and snacks that meet state and federal standards and have access to drinking water throughout the day, including ~~a~~ meal times (Health and Safety Code 1596.808; 5 CCR 18278; 42 USC 1766)

*(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)**(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)**(cf. 5141.27 - Food Allergies/Special Dietary Needs)*

Note: 5 CCR 18279-18281 require an annual evaluation using the standardized "Desired Results for Children and Families" system developed by the CDE. The system requires a program self-evaluation that includes, but is not limited to, a staff assessment, a parent survey, and an environment rating scale using forms selected by the CDE. Each contractor is required to submit a summary of the self-evaluation findings to the CDE by June 1 of each year. In addition, every three years, the CDE conducts a Federal Program Monitoring/Contract Monitoring Review (FPM/CMR) process with each contract agency ~~which to~~ reviews compliance with program requirements. The FPM/CMR instrument is available on the CDE's web site.

8. An annual plan for program evaluation which conforms with the state's "Desired Results for Children and Families" system and includes, but is not limited to, a self-evaluation, parent survey, and environment rating scale using forms provided by the CDE (5 CCR 18270.5, 18279, 18280)

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

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Note: Item #9 below is optional and may be revised to reflect district practice. 42 USC 1766 encourages child care centers to provide opportunities for physical activity and to limit the amount of time spent in sedentary activities, such as time spent using electronic media.

9. Programs that promote age-appropriate structured and unstructured opportunities for physical activity and that limit the amount of time spent in sedentary activities to an appropriate level

Staffing Ratios

The district's child care and development program shall maintain at least the minimum adult-child and teacher-child ratios specified in 5 CCR 18290-18292 based on the ages of the children served.

Note: Health and Safety Code 1596.7995, as added by SB 792 (Ch. 807, Statutes of 2015), requires employees and volunteers at a day care center to be immunized against influenza, pertussis, and measles, with specified exceptions. Health and Safety Code 1597.055, as amended by SB 792, incorporates the immunization requirements into the qualifications of day care teachers and adds a requirement for such teachers to obtain a tuberculosis clearance. Pursuant to Health and Safety Code 1596.76, a day care center includes any child care facility other than a family day care home, including infant centers, preschools, extended day care facilities, and school-age child care centers.

Any person employed at a district child care center and any volunteer who provides care and supervision to children at such a center shall be immunized against influenza, pertussis, and measles. If a person meets all other requirements for employment or volunteering, as applicable, but needs additional time to obtain and provide his/her immunization records, the person may be employed or volunteer conditionally for a maximum of 30 days upon signing and submitting a written statement attesting that he/she has been immunized as required. In addition, each employee and volunteer shall receive an influenza vaccination between August 1 and December 1 of each year. A person shall be exempt from these requirements only under any of the following circumstances: (Health and Safety Code 1596.7995)

1. The person submits a written statement from a licensed physician declaring either that immunization is not safe because of the person's physical condition or medical circumstances or that the person has evidence of current immunity to influenza, pertussis, and measles;
2. In the case of the influenza vaccine, the person submits a written declaration that he/she has declined the vaccination;
3. In the case of the influenza vaccine required during the first year of employment

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or volunteering, the vaccine is not timely because the person was hired after December 1 of the previous year and before August 1 of the current year;

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)

(cf. 4112.4 - Health Examinations)

Documentation of the required immunizations or exemptions from immunization shall be maintained in the employee's personnel file. (Health and Safety Code 1596.7995)

(cf. 4112.6 - Personnel Files)

In addition to the above immunization requirements, teachers employed in a child care center shall present evidence of a current tuberculosis clearance and meet other requirements specified in Health and Safety Code 1597.055. (Health and Safety Code 1597.055)

Eligibility and Enrollment

Note: CDE contracts provide funding only for services to families who meet the criteria for subsidized services as specified in Education Code 8263. The district may also provide services to nonsubsidized families provided the district uses other funding sources or the families pay the full cost of services; see section on "Fees and Charges" below.

Pursuant to 5 CCR 18105, districts contracting with the CDE to offer child care services are mandated to develop written admissions policies and procedures that conform to requirements of 22 CCR 101218, including criteria designating those children whose needs can be met by the child care center's program and services and the ages of children who will be accepted.

The following section should be revised to reflect the district's contract(s) with the CDE.

The district's subsidized child care and development services may be available to infants and children through age 12 years of age and to individuals with disabilities through age 21 years of age in accordance with their individualized education program and Education Code 8208. (Education Code 8208, 8263.4; 5 CCR 18089, 18407, 18422)

Note: Pursuant to 5 CCR 18082-18083, the parent/guardian must submit an application for services which contains specified information and documentation. The application form is available on the CDE's web site. The family's or child's eligibility must be certified by a person designated by the district.

Eligible families shall be those who document both an eligibility basis and a need for care, as follows: (Education Code 8263)

1. The family is eligible for subsidized services on the basis of being a current aid recipient, income eligible, or homeless and/or the family's children are recipients of

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protective services or have been identified as being] or at risk of being] abused, neglected, or exploited.

2. The family has a need for child care based on either of the following]

- a.] The unavailability of the parents/guardians to care for and supervise their children for some portion of the day because they are either working, seeking employment, participating in vocational education and training programs leading directly to a recognized trade, paraprofession, or profession; are employed or seeking employment; are seeking permanent housing for family stability; or temporarily or permanently are incapacitated

Note: AB 982 (Ch. 567, Statutes of 2015) amended Education Code 8263 to expand the list of entities that can identify a child in need of subsidized child care to include a local educational agency liaison for homeless children and youth, a Head Start program, or a transitional shelter and to expand the list of children to be identified to include a homeless child]

- b.] Alternatively, a family satisfies the need requirement if the child is identified by a legal, medical, or social services agency, the district liaison for homeless students, a Head Start program] or an emergency or transitional shelter as being a recipient of child protective services, as being] or at risk of being] neglected, abused, or exploited, or as being homeless]

Note: The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Unless state funding is allocated to support the "centralized eligibility list" established in each county pursuant to Education Code 8499.5, such lists will be maintained only if locally funded. In situations where there is no locally funded centralized eligibility list or the district elects not to participate in the local list, the district must establish its own waiting list in accordance with admission priorities pursuant to Education Code 8263 and 5 CCR 18106.

The Superintendent or designee shall consult the county's centralized eligibility list, when available, or shall maintain a district waiting list in accordance with admission priorities. As vacancies occur, applicants shall be contacted in order of their priority. (5 CCR 18106)

First priority for enrollment shall be given to neglected or abused children who are recipients of child protective services, or children who are at risk of being neglected or abused, upon written referral from a legal, medical, or social services agency. If unable to enroll a child in this category, the district shall refer the child's parent/guardian to local resource and referral services so that services for the child can be located. (Education Code 8263)

Second priority for enrollment shall be given to families who are income eligible, as defined in Education Code 8263.1. Families with the lowest gross monthly income in relation to family size shall be admitted first. If two or more families are in the same priority in relation to income, the family that has a child with disabilities shall be admitted first or, if there is no

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child with disabilities, the family that has been on the waiting list for the longest time shall be admitted first. (Education Code 8263, 8263.1)

~~Note: Education Code 8263.4 provides that the preferred placement for children ages 11-12 years is in a before-school or after-school program and that such children will be eligible for subsidized child care services only for the portion of care that is not available in a before-school or after-school program. AB 1944 (Ch. 460, Statutes of 2014) amended Education Code 8263.4 to delete a requirement that the parent/guardian certify in writing that a before-school or after-school program is unavailable before receiving subsidized child care services.~~

The district shall allow eligible children ages 11-12 years of age to combine enrollment in a before-school or after-school program with subsidized child care services during the time that the before-school or after-school program does not operate. Children ages 11-12 years of age, except for children with disabilities, shall be eligible for subsidized child care services only for the portion of care needed that is not available in a before-school or after-school program. (Education Code 8263.4)

~~Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect additional enrollment priorities or criteria established by the district, such as priority for district students, children of district students, or children of district employees; see the accompanying Board policy.~~

After all children eligible for subsidized services have been enrolled, the district may enroll children in accordance with the priorities established by the Governing Board.

~~Note: 5 CCR 18094 and 18118 require the district to provide written notification to the parent/guardian as to whether his/her application for subsidized services has been approved or denied. For this purpose, the district should use the Notice of Action form available on the CDE's web site. If the services are denied, the parent/guardian may appeal the decision in accordance with 5 CCR 18120-18122; see section "Rights of Parents/Guardians" below. He/she must file a request for a hearing with the district within 14 calendar days of receiving the notice. Within 10 calendar days after receiving the request, the district must notify the parent/guardian of the time and place of the hearing. Within 10 calendar days after the hearing, the district must mail or deliver the written decision. If the parent/guardian disagrees with the district's written decision, he/she may appeal to the CDE's Early Education and Support Division within 14 calendar days.~~

The district's decision to approve or deny services shall be communicated to the parent/guardian through a written Notice of Action mailed or delivered within 30 days from the date the application is signed by the parent/guardian. (5 CCR 18094, 18118)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

~~Note: 5 CCR 18095 and 18119 require the district to notify a parent/guardian of any change in services or fees as described below. For such notification, the district should use the Notice of Action form available on the CDE's web site. Parents/guardians may appeal such actions pursuant to 5 CCR 18120-18122 using the same procedures described above for appeals for denial of services; see section "Rights of Parents/Guardians" below.~~

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Subsequently, the Superintendent or designee shall mail or deliver a Notice of Action to a parent/guardian at least 14 calendar days before any intended change in services, including, but not limited to, an increase or decrease in fees, an increase or decrease in the amount of services, or termination of services, due to any of the following circumstances: (5 CCR 18095, 18119)

1. A determination during recertification or update of the application that the need or eligibility requirements are no longer being met or the fee or amount of service needs to be modified
2. Failure of the parent/guardian to document the family's need or eligibility after the district requested such documentation in writing
3. An indication by the parent/guardian that he/she no longer wants the service
4. The death of a parent/guardian or child
5. The conclusion of a limited-term agreement, provided that the parent/guardian has been informed in writing of the date that the services would terminate

The Superintendent or designee shall establish and maintain a basic data file for each family receiving child care and development services containing the completed and signed application for services, documentation used to determine the child's eligibility and need, and copies of all Notices of Action. (5 CCR 18081, 18095)

Fees and Charges

Note: Education Code 8273 requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) to establish a fee schedule for families using child care services through a CDE contract, including families who are eligible for subsidized child care services based on the criteria specified in item #1 in the section "Eligibility and Enrollment" above. ~~A new schedule of family fees for child care services went into effect July 1, 2014. See CDE Management Bulletin 14-03a.~~

Pursuant to 5 CCR 18109 and the CDE's Frequently Asked Questions to Management Bulletin 14-03a, the district may charge a full-time, part-time, or "cost of care" fee calculated pursuant to 5 CCR 18109, whichever is less, depending on the number of hours that a child will receive services.

Education Code 8250 and 5 CCR 18110 prohibit districts from assessing fees for children enrolled in a program for severely disabled children or a federally based migrant program. Districts may revise the following paragraph to reflect any such program(s) offered by the district. Districts that offer only programs prohibited from charging fees may delete the following section.

Except when offering a program ~~which that~~ is prohibited by law from charging any fees, the Superintendent or designee may charge fees for services according to the fee schedule

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established by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, the actual cost of services, or the maximum daily/hourly rate specified in the contract, whichever is least. (Education Code 8250, 8263, 8273, 8273.1, 8273.2, 8447; 5 CCR 18078, 18108-18110)

~~Note: Education Code 8273.1 and 5 CCR 18110 specify circumstances under which families are exempt from the fee for child care services, as provided below. As amended by SB 858 (Ch. 32, Statutes of 2014), Education Code 8273.1 adds an exemption for income-eligible families whose child is enrolled in a part-day California State Preschool Program; also see BP/AR 5184.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education.~~

However, no fee shall be charged to a family that is receiving CalWORKS cash aid, an income-eligible family whose child is enrolled in a part-day California State Preschool Program, or a family whose income level, in relation to family size, is less than the first entry in the fee schedule. (Education Code 8273.1; 5 CCR 18110)

In addition, any family receiving child care on the basis of having a child who is a recipient of child protective services, or having a certification by a county child welfare agency that child care services continue to be necessary, may be exempt from these fees for up to 12 months. Any family whose child is receiving child care on the basis of being at risk of abuse, neglect, or exploitation may be exempt from these fees for up to three months, unless the family becomes eligible based on receipt of child protective services or certification of need by a county child welfare agency. The cumulative period of exemption for these purposes shall not exceed 12 months. (Education Code 8273.1)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 8273 and CDE Management Bulletin 14-03a, family fees must be assessed at initial enrollment and reassessed at recertification or when the family data file is updated due to a change in status.

Pursuant to 5 CCR 18114, districts contracting with the CDE to offer child care services are mandated to adopt a policy for the collection of fees in advance of providing services, as provided below. 5 CCR 18114 contains an alternative definition of delinquency for Alternative Payment programs offered pursuant to Education Code 8220-8224.

Fees shall be assessed at initial enrollment and reassessed when a family is recertified or experiences a change in status. Fees shall be considered delinquent after seven days from the date that fees are due. Parents/guardians shall be notified in the event that fees are delinquent. If a reasonable plan for payment of the delinquent fees has not been provided by the parents/guardians, services shall be terminated if all delinquent fees are not paid within two weeks of such notification. Parents/guardians shall receive a copy of the district's regulations regarding fee collection at the time of initial enrollment into the program. (Education Code 8273; 5 CCR 18082, 18114, 18115)

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts contracting with the CDE to offer child care services that wish to require parents/guardians to provide diapers and/or to pay the costs of field trips (unless the program is exempt from fees) and may be modified to delete diapers as appropriate for the age of the children served.

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Education Code 8273.3 mandates that such districts have a written policy which includes parents/guardians in the decision-making process. Pursuant to Education Code 8273.3, the fees cannot exceed \$25 per child in the contract year.

The Superintendent or designee shall establish a process ~~which~~ **that** involves parents/guardians in determining whether to require parents/guardians to provide diapers. This process shall also be used to determine whether and how much to charge parents/guardians for field trip expenses, within the limit specified in law. A child shall not be denied participation in a field trip due to the parent/guardian's inability or refusal to pay the fee, and no adverse action shall be taken against a parent/guardian for that inability or refusal. (Education Code 8273.3)

Disenrollment

Note: Education Code 8263.3 specifies the order by which families must be disenrolled from child care and development services when funding levels are reduced. Parents/guardians may appeal such actions pursuant to 5 CCR 18120-18122, but only on the grounds that the factors used to determine the family's disenrollment are incorrect. See section "Rights of Parents/Guardians" below. ~~CDE Management Bulletin 12-07 clarifies this order for all child care and development programs except CalWORKS Stage 2 programs and California State Preschool Programs (see AR 5148.3 Preschool/Early Childhood Education for information about disenrollment from preschool programs).~~

When necessary due to a reduction in state reimbursements, families shall be disenrolled from subsidized child care and development services in the following order: (Education Code 8263.3)

1. Families with the highest income in relation to family size shall be disenrolled first.
2. If two or more families have the same income ranking, children without disabilities who have been enrolled in child care services the longest shall be disenrolled first. After all children without disabilities have been disenrolled, children with disabilities shall be disenrolled, with those who have been enrolled in child care services the longest being disenrolled first.
3. Families whose children are receiving child protective services or are at risk of neglect, abuse, or exploitation, regardless of family income, shall be disenrolled last.

Note: ~~The following optional paragraph reflects the appeal process described in CDE Management Bulletin 12-07. The district's decision is final and there is no further opportunity for appeal to the CDE.~~

~~Whenever the district issues a notice to the families who will be disenrolled due to funding reduction, a parent/guardian may appeal the decision only on the grounds that the factors used to determine the family's disenrollment are incorrect. He/she shall submit the appeal within 14 calendar days of receipt of the notice, or within 19 calendar days if the notice was mailed.~~

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~~The Superintendent or designee shall review the appeal and notify the parent/guardian, in writing, of the district's final decision within 10 calendar days of receiving the appeal request. Services shall continue to be provided pending the appeal decision.~~

Health Examination

Note: Education Code 8263 provides that the physical examination and evaluation, including immunizations, required of children enrolling in a child care center may be waived if a parent/guardian submits a letter stating that such examination is contrary to his/her religious beliefs. However, Health and Safety Code 120335, as amended by SB 277 (Ch. 35, Statutes of 2015), eliminated the personal beliefs exemption for immunization requirements unless the parent/guardian files a letter or affidavit prior to January 1, 2016 or a licensed physician indicates that a student should be exempted for medical reasons. An exemption granted for personal beliefs is only effective until the next grade span (i.e., birth through preschool, grades K-6, and grades 7-12). See BP/AR 5141.31 - Immunizations

A physical examination and evaluation, including age-appropriate immunization, shall be required prior to or within ~~six weeks~~ 30 days of enrollment, ~~unless~~ (Education Code 8263)

~~The requirement for a physical examination and evaluation may be waived if a parent/guardian submits a letter stating that such examination is contrary to his/her religious beliefs. (Education Code 8263)~~

~~A child may be exempted from the immunization requirements only if: (Education Code 8263; Health and Safety Code 120335)~~

- ~~1. A licensed physician indicates that immunization is not safe due to the physical condition or medical circumstances of the child.~~
- ~~2. The parent/guardian ~~submits~~ submitted a letter or affidavit prior to January 1, 2016 stating that such examination is contrary to his/her religious personal beliefs. An exemption from immunization granted for personal beliefs is effective only until the next grade span (i.e., birth through preschool, grades K-6, and grades 7-12).~~

(cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)

(cf. 5141.3 - Health Examinations)

(cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)

Attendance

Sign-in and sign-out sheets shall be used daily for all children for attendance accounting purposes. Attendance records shall include verification of excused absences, including the child's name, date(s) of absence, specific reason for absence, and signature of parent/guardian or district representative. (5 CCR 18065, 18066)

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Absences shall be excused for the following reasons:

1. Illness or quarantine of the child or of the parent/guardian (Education Code 8208)
2. Family emergency (Education Code 8208)

Note: Pursuant to 5 CCR 18066, districts contracting with the CDE to offer child care services are mandated to adopt policies delineating circumstances constituting an excused absence for a family emergency. The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.

A family emergency shall be considered to exist when unforeseen circumstances cause the need for immediate action, such as may occur in the event of a natural disaster or when a member of the child's immediate family dies, has an accident, or is required to appear in court.

3. Time spent with a parent/guardian or other relative as required by a court of law (Education Code 8208)
4. Time spent with a parent/guardian or other relative which is clearly in the best interest of the child (Education Code 8208)

Note: 5 CCR 18066 mandates a policy that delineates circumstances constituting an excused absence "in the best interest of the child." The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.

An absence shall be considered to be in the best interest of the child when the time is spent with the child's parent/guardian or other relative for reasons deemed justifiable by the program coordinator or site supervisor.

Except for children who are recipients of child protective services or are at risk of abuse or neglect, excused absences in the best interest of the child shall be limited to 10 days during the contract period. (5 CCR 18066)

Note: 5 CCR 18066 mandates that providers adopt a policy governing unexcused absences which may include reasonable limitations, if any. The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.

Any absence due to a reason other than any of those stated above, or without the required verification, shall be considered an unexcused absence. After three unexcused absences during the year, the program coordinator or site supervisor shall notify the parents/guardians. Children who continue to have excessive unexcused absences may be removed from the program at the discretion of the program coordinator in order to accommodate other families on the waiting list for admission.

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Parents/guardians shall be notified of the policies and procedures related to excused and unexcused absences for child care and development services. (5 CCR 18066)

Rights of Parents/Guardians

Note: The following section is two paragraphs and is for use by districts that operate one or more licensed child care centers (see "Licensing" section above), but may be used by license-exempt providers.

At the time a child is accepted into a licensed child care and development center, the child's parent/guardian or authorized representative shall be notified of his/her rights as specified in 22 CCR 101218.1, including, but not limited to, the right to enter and inspect the child care facility and the right to be informed, upon request, of the name and type of association to the center of any adult who has been granted a criminal record exemption. (Health and Safety Code 1596.857; 22 CCR 101218.1)

The written notice of parent/guardian rights also shall be permanently posted within the facility in a location accessible to parents/guardians. Notwithstanding these rights, access to the facility may be denied to an adult whose behavior presents a risk to children present in the facility or to noncustodial parents/guardians when so requested by the responsible parent/guardian. (Health and Safety Code 1596.857)

Note: The remainder of this section is for use by all districts and applies to licensed and unlicensed child care programs.

In addition, if a parent/guardian disagrees with any district action to deny his/her child's eligibility for subsidized child care services, disenroll the child due to a funding shortage, increase or decrease fees, increase or decrease the amount of services, terminate services, or otherwise change the level of services, he/she may file a request for a hearing with the Superintendent or designee within 14 calendar days of the date the Notice of Action was received. Within 10 calendar days of receiving the request for a hearing, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the parent/guardian of the time and place of the hearing, which, to the extent possible, shall be convenient for the parent/guardian. (5 CCR 18120)

The hearing shall be conducted in accordance with the procedures specified in 5 CCR 18120 by a district administrator who is at a staff level higher in authority than the staff person who made the contested decision. Within 10 calendar days after the hearing, the district administrator shall mail or deliver a written decision to the parent/guardian. If the parent/guardian disagrees with the written decision, he/she may, within 14 calendar days, appeal the decision to the CDE. (5 CCR 18120-18122)

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Records

Note: CDE contracts require the district to submit data on both subsidized and nonsubsidized families served by child care centers. In addition, the district is required to provide monthly reports, through the CDE's online management information system, regarding any families receiving subsidized services during that month.

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain records of enrollment, attendance, types of families served, income received from all families participating in the district's child care and development program, and any other records required by the CDE.

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

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Licensing

All district child care and development services shall be licensed by the California Department of Social Services, unless exempted pursuant to Health and Safety Code 1596.792 or 22 CCR 101158.

The license shall be posted in a prominent, publicly accessible location in the facility. (Health and Safety Code 1596.8555)

Licensed child care centers shall be subject to the requirements of Health and Safety Code 1596.70-1597.21, 22 CCR 101151-101239.2, and, when applicable, 22 CCR 101451-101539.

Program Components

The district's child care and development program shall include the following components:

1. A developmental profile recording each child's physical, cognitive, social, and emotional development which shall be used to plan and conduct developmentally and age-appropriate activities (Education Code 8203.5; 5 CCR 18272)

Program staff shall complete the "Desired Results Developmental Profile," available from the California Department of Education (CDE), for each child who is enrolled in the program for at least 10 hours per week and for any child with disabilities regardless of the number of hours enrolled. The profile shall be completed within 60 days of enrollment and at least once every six months thereafter for children of all ages. (Education Code 8203.5; 5 CCR 18270.5, 18272)

2. An educational program which complies with 5 CCR 18273, including the provision of services that are developmentally, linguistically, and culturally appropriate and inclusive of children with special needs

(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)
(cf. 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education)
(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)
(cf. 6164.4 - Identification of Individuals for Special Education)
(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)
(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)

3. A staff development program which complies with 5 CCR 18274

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

4. Parent/guardian involvement and education which comply with 5 CCR 18275 and involve parents/guardians through an orientation, at least two individual conferences per year, meetings with program staff, an advisory committee, participation in daily activities, and information regarding their child's progress

(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

5. A health and social services component which complies with 5 CCR 18276 and includes referrals to appropriate community agencies as needed

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

(cf. 5141 - Health Care and Emergencies)

(cf. 5141.23 - Asthma Management)

(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)

6. A community involvement component which complies with 5 CCR 18277

7. A nutrition component which ensures that children in the program are provided nutritious meals, beverages, and snacks that meet state and federal standards and have access to drinking water throughout the day, including at meal times (Health and Safety Code 1596.808; 5 CCR 18278; 42 USC 1766)

(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)

(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)

(cf. 5141.27 - Food Allergies/Special Dietary Needs)

8. An annual plan for program evaluation which conforms with the state's "Desired Results for Children and Families" system and includes, but is not limited to, a self-evaluation, parent survey, and environment rating scale using forms provided by the CDE (5 CCR 18270.5, 18279, 18280)

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

9. Programs that promote age-appropriate structured and unstructured opportunities for physical activity and that limit the amount of time spent in sedentary activities to an appropriate level

Staffing Ratios

The district's child care and development program shall maintain at least the minimum adult-child and teacher-child ratios specified in 5 CCR 18290-18292 based on the ages of the children served.

Eligibility and Enrollment

The district's subsidized child care and development services may be available to infants and children through age 12 years and to individuals with disabilities through age 21 years in accordance with their individualized education program and Education Code 8208. (Education Code 8208, 8263.4; 5 CCR 18089, 18407, 18422)

Eligible families shall be those who document both an eligibility basis and a need for care, as follows: (Education Code 8263)

1. The family is eligible for subsidized services on the basis of being a current aid recipient, income eligible, or homeless and/or the family's children are recipients of protective services or have been identified as being, or at risk of being, abused, neglected, or exploited.
2. The family has a need for child care based on the unavailability of the parents/guardians to care for and supervise their children for some portion of the day because they are either working, seeking employment, participating in vocational education and training programs, seeking permanent housing for family stability, or temporarily or permanently incapacitated. Alternatively, a family satisfies the need requirement if the child is identified by a legal, medical, social services agency, or emergency shelter as a recipient of child protective services or as being, or at risk of being, neglected, abused, or exploited.

The Superintendent or designee shall consult the county's centralized eligibility list, when available, or shall maintain a district waiting list in accordance with admission priorities. As vacancies occur, applicants shall be contacted in order of their priority. (5 CCR 18106)

First priority for enrollment shall be given to neglected or abused children who are recipients of child protective services, or children who are at risk of being neglected or abused, upon written referral from a legal, medical, or social services agency. If unable to enroll a child in this category, the district shall refer the child's parent/guardian to local resource and referral services so that services for the child can be located. (Education Code 8263)

Second priority for enrollment shall be given to families who are income eligible, as defined in Education Code 8263.1. Families with the lowest gross monthly income in relation to family size shall be admitted first. If two or more families are in the same priority in relation to income, the family that has a child with disabilities shall be admitted first or, if there is no child with disabilities, the family that has been on the waiting list for the longest time shall be admitted first. (Education Code 8263, 8263.1)

The district shall allow eligible children ages 11-12 years to combine enrollment in a before-school or after-school program with subsidized child care services during the time that the before-school or after-school program does not operate. Children ages 11-12 years, except for children with disabilities, shall be eligible for subsidized child care services only for the

portion of care needed that is not available in a before-school or after-school program. (Education Code 8263.4)

After all children eligible for subsidized services have been enrolled, the district may enroll children in accordance with the priorities established by the Governing Board.

The district's decision to approve or deny services shall be communicated to the parent/guardian through a written Notice of Action mailed or delivered within 30 days from the date the application is signed by the parent/guardian. (5 CCR 18094, 18118)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Subsequently, the Superintendent or designee shall mail or deliver a Notice of Action to a parent/guardian at least 14 calendar days before any intended change in services, including, but not limited to, an increase or decrease in fees, an increase or decrease in the amount of services, or termination of services, due to any of the following circumstances: (5 CCR 18095, 18119)

1. A determination during recertification or update of the application that the need or eligibility requirements are no longer being met or the fee or amount of service needs to be modified
2. Failure of the parent/guardian to document the family's need or eligibility after the district requested such documentation in writing
3. An indication by the parent/guardian that he/she no longer wants the service
4. The death of a parent/guardian or child
5. The conclusion of a limited-term agreement, provided that the parent/guardian has been informed in writing of the date that the services would terminate

The Superintendent or designee shall establish and maintain a basic data file for each family receiving child care and development services containing the completed and signed application for services, documentation used to determine the child's eligibility and need, and copies of all Notices of Action. (5 CCR 18081, 18095)

Fees and Charges

Except when offering a program which is prohibited by law from charging any fees, the Superintendent or designee may charge fees for services according to the fee schedule established by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, the actual cost of services, or the maximum daily/hourly rate specified in the contract, whichever is least. (Education Code 8250, 8263, 8273, 8273.1, 8273.2, 8447; 5 CCR 18078, 18108-18110)

However, no fee shall be charged to a family that is receiving CalWORKS cash aid, an income-eligible family whose child is enrolled in a part-day California State Preschool

Program, or a family whose income level, in relation to family size, is less than the first entry in the fee schedule. (Education Code 8273.1; 5 CCR 18110)

In addition, any family receiving child care on the basis of having a child who is a recipient of child protective services, or having a certification by a county child welfare agency that child care services continue to be necessary, may be exempt from these fees for up to 12 months. Any family whose child is receiving child care on the basis of being at risk of abuse, neglect, or exploitation may be exempt from these fees for up to three months, unless the family becomes eligible based on receipt of child protective services or certification of need by a county child welfare agency. The cumulative period of exemption for these purposes shall not exceed 12 months. (Education Code 8273.1)

Fees shall be assessed at initial enrollment and reassessed when a family is recertified or experiences a change in status. Fees shall be considered delinquent after seven days from the date that fees are due. Parents/guardians shall be notified in the event that fees are delinquent. If a reasonable plan for payment of the delinquent fees has not been provided by the parents/guardians, services shall be terminated if all delinquent fees are not paid within two weeks of such notification. Parents/guardians shall receive a copy of the district's regulations regarding fee collection at the time of initial enrollment into the program. (Education Code 8273; 5 CCR 18082, 18114, 18115)

The Superintendent or designee shall establish a process which involves parents/guardians in determining whether to require parents/guardians to provide diapers. This process shall also be used to determine whether and how much to charge parents/guardians for field trip expenses, within the limit specified in law. A child shall not be denied participation in a field trip due to the parent/guardian's inability or refusal to pay the fee, and no adverse action shall be taken against a parent/guardian for that inability or refusal. (Education Code 8273.3)

Disenrollment

When necessary due to a reduction in state reimbursements, families shall be disenrolled from subsidized child care and development services in the following order: (Education Code 8263.3)

1. Families with the highest income in relation to family size shall be disenrolled first.
2. If two or more families have the same income ranking, children without disabilities who have been enrolled in child care services the longest shall be disenrolled first. After all children without disabilities have been disenrolled, children with disabilities shall be disenrolled, with those who have been enrolled in child care services the longest being disenrolled first.
3. Families whose children are receiving child protective services or are at risk of neglect, abuse, or exploitation, regardless of family income, shall be disenrolled last.

Whenever the district issues a notice to the families who will be disenrolled due to funding reduction, a parent/guardian may appeal the decision only on the grounds that the factors used to determine the family's disenrollment are incorrect. He/she shall submit the appeal within 14 calendar days of receipt of the notice, or within 19 calendar days if the notice was mailed.

The Superintendent or designee shall review the appeal and notify the parent/guardian, in writing, of the district's final decision within 10 calendar days of receiving the appeal request. Services shall continue to be provided pending the appeal decision.

Health Examination

A physical examination and evaluation, including age-appropriate immunization, shall be required prior to or within six weeks of enrollment, unless the parent/guardian submits a letter stating that such examination is contrary to his/her religious beliefs. (Education Code 8263)

(cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)
(cf. 5141.3 - Health Examinations)
(cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)

Attendance

Sign-in and sign-out sheets shall be used daily for all children for attendance accounting purposes. Attendance records shall include verification of excused absences, including the child's name, date(s) of absence, specific reason for absence, and signature of parent/guardian or district representative. (5 CCR 18065, 18066)

Absences shall be excused for the following reasons:

1. Illness or quarantine of the child or of the parent/guardian (Education Code 8208)
2. Family emergency (Education Code 8208)

A family emergency shall be considered to exist when unforeseen circumstances cause the need for immediate action, such as may occur in the event of a natural disaster or when a member of the child's immediate family dies, has an accident, or is required to appear in court.

3. Time spent with a parent/guardian or other relative as required by a court of law (Education Code 8208)
4. Time spent with a parent/guardian or other relative which is clearly in the best interest of the child (Education Code 8208)

An absence shall be considered to be in the best interest of the child when the time is spent with the child's parent/guardian or other relative for reasons deemed justifiable by the program coordinator or site supervisor.

Except for children who are recipients of child protective services or are at risk of abuse or neglect, excused absences in the best interest of the child shall be limited to 10 days during the contract period. (5 CCR 18066)

Any absence due to a reason other than any of those stated above, or without the required verification, shall be considered an unexcused absence. After three unexcused absences during the year, the program coordinator or site supervisor shall notify the parents/guardians. Children who continue to have excessive unexcused absences may be removed from the program at the discretion of the program coordinator in order to accommodate other families on the waiting list for admission.

Parents/guardians shall be notified of the policies and procedures related to excused and unexcused absences for child care and development services. (5 CCR 18066)

Rights of Parents/Guardians

At the time a child is accepted into a licensed child care and development center, the child's parent/guardian or authorized representative shall be notified of his/her rights as specified in 22 CCR 101218.1, including, but not limited to, the right to enter and inspect the child care facility and the right to be informed, upon request, of the name and type of association to the center of any adult who has been granted a criminal record exemption. (Health and Safety Code 1596.857; 22 CCR 101218.1)

The written notice of parent/guardian rights also shall be permanently posted within the facility in a location accessible to parents/guardians. Notwithstanding these rights, access to the facility may be denied to an adult whose behavior presents a risk to children present in the facility or to noncustodial parents/guardians when so requested by the responsible parent/guardian. (Health and Safety Code 1596.857)

Records

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain records of enrollment, attendance, types of families served, income received from all families participating in the district's child care and development program, and any other records required by the CDE.

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

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BEFORE/AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS

Note: The following optional policy is for use by districts providing before-school and/or after-school programs and should be revised to reflect the program(s) offered by the district. For eligible programs in grades K-9, the district may apply for funding from the state's After School Education and Safety Program (ASES) (Education Code 8482-8484.65) and/or the funds after school programs in grades K-9, with priority given to schools with the highest percentage of students eligible for free or reduced price meals. The federal 21st Century Community Learning Center Program (21st CCLC) (Education Code 8484.7-8484.9; 20 USC 7171-7176), for students in grades K-9 and the federal 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens Program (ASSETs) (Education Code 8420-8428; 20 USC 7171-7176) provides funding for eligible programs for students in grades 9-12. are restricted to applicants that primarily serve students in Title I schoolwide programs or serve a high percentage of students from low-income families. Under both of these federal programs, competitive priority for funding is given to applications jointly submitted by school districts and community organizations for an expiring grant or for programs in schools identified for program improvement under 20 USC 6316. Under 21st CCLC, funding priority is also given to applications that will provide year-round expanded learning programming. Under ASSETs, funding priority is also given for the expansion of existing grants. See the accompanying administrative regulation for major requirements of each program.

The following policy is applicable to all three programs, unless otherwise noted, and may be adapted by districts that offer other programs through district funding or alternative sources. If the district does not offer both a before-school and after-school program, it may modify the following policy as appropriate.

The Governing Board desires to provide before-school and/or after-school enrichment programs that support the regular education program in a supervised environment, and provide safe alternatives for students. In order to increase academic achievement of participating students, the content of such programs shall be coordinated with the district's vision and goals for student learning, local control and accountability plan, its curriculum, and district and state academic standards.

- (cf. 0000 - Vision)
- (cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)
- (cf. 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan)
- (cf. 5147 - Dropout Prevention)
- (cf. 5148 - Child Care and Development)
- (cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)
- (cf. 6176 - Weekend/Saturday Classes)
- (cf. 6177 - Summer Learning Programs)
- (cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)

Note: The following paragraph reflects a requirement for collaborative planning for both ASES (Education Code 8482.5) and ASSETs (Education Code 8422). 20 USC 7174 requires 21st CCLC programs to be developed in collaboration with the school(s) the students attend, but collaboration with other entities is at the discretion of the district. neither state nor federal law requires collaboration with other community agencies or organizations. Districts offering only 21st CCLC programs may revise the following paragraph to reflect district practice.

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The district's program shall be planned through a collaborative process that includes parents/guardians, students, and representatives of participating schools, governmental agencies including city and county parks and recreation departments, local law enforcement, community organizations, and, if appropriate, the private sector. (Education Code 8422, 8482.5)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Pursuant to Education Code 8482.5, in awarding funding for ASES programs, the state gives priority to schools with at least 50 percent of students eligible for free or reduced-price meals. Pursuant to 20 USC 7174, funding for the 21st CCLC and ASSETs programs is restricted to schools receiving federal Title I funding. In addition, 20 USC 7174 and Education Code 8422 and 8484.8 give competitive priority for these federal programs to applications jointly submitted by school districts and community organizations for programs that (1) are located in schools that are implementing comprehensive or targeted support and improvement activities pursuant to 20 USC 6311; (2) serve students at risk for academic failure, dropping out of school, involvement in criminal or delinquent activities, or lacking strong positive role models; (3) provide activities not otherwise accessible to participating students or expand accessibility to high-quality services that may be available in the community; (4) continue or expand existing grants; and (5) for 21st CCLC programs, provide year-round expanded learning programming. For a further description of competitive priority for funding, see the California Department of Education's (CDE) "21st CCLC and ASSETs FAQs" and "Request for Applications for Programs Proposing to Serve High School Students."

To the extent feasible, the district shall give priority to establishing before-school and/or after-school programs in low-performing schools and/or programs that serve low-income and other at-risk students.

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

(cf. 1700 - Relations Between Private Industry and the Schools)

(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

The establishment of aAny program to be established shall be approved by the Board and the principal of each participating school. (Education Code 8421, 8482.3)

Note: The following optional paragraph is applicable to all programs. Pursuant to Education Code 8483.4 (applicable to both ASES and 21st CCLC), the program administrator is required to establish ~~minimum~~ qualifications for each staff position that, at a minimum, ensure that all staff members who directly supervise students meet the minimum qualifications for an instructional aide pursuant to district policies; See the accompanying administrative regulation for further information about requirements related to staffing. A district offering an ASSETs program must establish its expectations for staff qualifications.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that all staff who directly supervise students in the district's before-school and/or after-school program possess appropriate knowledge and experience. As needed, staff and volunteers shall receive ongoing training related to their job responsibilities. (Education Code 8483.4)

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

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(cf. 4222 - Teacher Aides/Paraprofessionals)
(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

The Each program shall include academic and enrichment elements in accordance with law and administrative regulation. In addition, **the each** program may include support services that reinforce the educational component and promote student health and well-being.

(cf. 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan)
(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)
(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)
(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)
(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 8482.6 (applicable to both ASES and 21st CCLC) and Education Code 8422 (applicable to ASSETs programs), as added and amended by AB 2615 (Ch. 470, Statutes of 2016), the district may charge fees to participating families as long as those fees are waived or reduced for families with students who are eligible for free or reduced-price meals, or conduct individual eligibility determinations based on need or income. Option 1 below is for use by districts that choose not to charge family fees. Option 2 is for use by districts that will charge a permissible family fee to cover unfunded costs of the program. Districts that choose Option 2 may waive or subsidize the fee for some families based on economic need or other factors.

OPTION 1: No fee shall be charged for participation in the program.

OPTION 2: A family fee may be charged to participating families based on the actual cost of services, as long as the fee is waived or reduced for families with students who are eligible for free or reduced-price meals. The fee may be waived or subsidized based on economic need or other critical needs. (Education Code 8422, 8482.6)

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts selecting Option 2 that offer an ASES and/or 21st CCLC program, and may be modified to reflect program(s) offered by the district. Pursuant to Education Code 8482.6, as added by AB 2615 (Ch. 470, Statutes of 2016), commencing July 1, 2017, no family fees may be charged for these programs if the district knows the participating student is a homeless youth or in foster care.

In regard to the After School Education and Safety program and/or 21st Century Community Learning Center program, no fee shall be charged for a student identified as a homeless or foster youth. (Education Code 8482.6)

(cf. 3260 - Fees and Charges)
(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)
(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)
(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

Note: The remainder of this policy is for use by districts that selected either Option 1 or 2 above.

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The following optional paragraph is for use by districts with programs serving students ages 11-12 years. Education Code 8263.4 provides that the preferred placement for students ages 11-12 years is in a before-school or after-school program rather than in subsidized child care and development services. When subsidized child care services are also available, students ages 11-12 years will be eligible for subsidized child care services only for the portion of care that is not available in a before-school or after-school program. See AR 5148 - Child Care and Development.

Eligible students ages 11-12 years shall be placed in a before-school or after-school program, if and when available, rather than subsidized child care and development services. During the time that the before-school or after-school program does not operate, such students ages 11-12 years may be provided the option of enrolling in child care and development services in accordance with the priorities established in AR 5148 - Child Care and Development. (Education Code 8263.4)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.

To assist in evaluations of program effectiveness, the district may refer to the California Department of Education's (CDE) Quality Standards for Expanded Learning in California: Creating and Implementing a Shared Vision of Quality. In addition, CDE's publication A Crosswalk Between the Quality Standards for Expanded Learning and Program Quality Assessment Tools describes available assessment tools that are closely aligned with the program standards. These publications are available on CDE's web site.

To the extent consistent with state and federal privacy laws, Education Code 8484.1 authorizes the district to share specified student data (i.e., school day attendance data, statewide assessment scores, high school exit examination scores, English language development test placement or reclassification scores, California Healthy Kids Survey results in aggregate form, student engagement and behavioral data, and other academic measures, including grades and course completion) with the operator of an after-school program with which the district has a contract that includes a confidentiality agreement. The district should consult with legal counsel if it has any questions regarding the sharing of student data.

In addition, Education Code 8427 and 8484, as amended by SB 1221 (Ch. 370, Statutes of 2014), require the after-school program to submit data on school and program attendance and program quality to the CDE; see the section "Reports" in the accompanying administrative regulation.

The Board and the Superintendent or designee shall monitor student participation rates and shall identify multiple measures that shall be used to evaluate program effectiveness. Such measures may include, but are not limited to, student outcome data; program self-assessments; feedback from staff, participating students, and parents/guardians; and observations of program activities.

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts that offer an ASES or 21st ~~GLCC~~-CCLC program, and may be adapted by districts that offer ASSETs or other programs. Education Code 8482.3 requires districts offering an ASES or 21st CCLC program to review program goals, program content, and outcome measures, selected from among those listed in Education Code 8484, every three years and to retain documentation for five years.

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~~Every three years, the program Superintendent or designed shall review its the after school program plan, including, but not limited to, program goals, program content, and outcome measures. Documentation of the program plan shall be maintained for a minimum of five years. (Education Code 8482.3)~~

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

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The Governing Board desires to provide before-school and/or after-school enrichment programs that support the regular education program and provide safe alternatives for students. In order to increase academic achievement of participating students, the content of such programs shall be coordinated with the district's vision and goals for student learning, its curriculum, and district and state academic standards.

- (cf. 0000 - Vision)*
- (cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)*
- (cf. 5147 - Dropout Prevention)*
- (cf. 5148 - Child Care and Development)*
- (cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)*
- (cf. 6176 - Weekend/Saturday Classes)*
- (cf. 6177 - Summer Learning Programs)*
- (cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)*

The district's program shall be planned through a collaborative process that includes parents/guardians, students, and representatives of participating schools, governmental agencies including city and county parks and recreation departments, local law enforcement, community organizations, and, if appropriate, the private sector. (Education Code 8422, 8482.5)

- (cf. 1020 - Youth Services)*
- (cf. 1400 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)*
- (cf. 1700 - Relations Between Private Industry and the Schools)*
- (cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)*

The establishment of any program shall be approved by the Board and the principal of each participating school. (Education Code 8421, 8482.3)

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that all staff who directly supervise students in the district's before-school and/or after-school program possess appropriate knowledge and experience. As needed, staff and volunteers shall receive ongoing training related to their job responsibilities. (Education Code 8483.4)

- (cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)*
- (cf. 4131 - Staff Development)*
- (cf. 4222 - Teacher Aides/Paraprofessionals)*
- (cf. 4231 - Staff Development)*
- (cf. 4331 - Staff Development)*

The program shall include academic and enrichment elements in accordance with law and administrative regulation. In addition, the program may include support services that reinforce the educational component and promote student health and well-being.

- (cf. 0450 - Comprehensive Safety Plan)*
- (cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)*
- (cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)*
- (cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)*
- (cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)*

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A fee may be charged to participating families based on the actual cost of services. The fee may be waived or subsidized based on economic need or other critical needs.

Eligible students ages 11-12 years shall be placed in a before-school or after-school program, if and when available, rather than subsidized child care and development services. During the time that the before-school or after-school program does not operate, students ages 11-12 years may be provided the option of enrolling in child care and development services in accordance with the priorities established in AR 5148 - Child Care and Development. (Education Code 8263.4)

(cf. 3260 - Fees and Charges)

The Board and the Superintendent or designee shall monitor student participation rates and shall identify multiple measures that shall be used to evaluate program effectiveness. Such measures may include, but are not limited to, student outcome data; program self-assessments; feedback from staff, participating students, and parents/guardians; and observations of program activities.

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

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CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

Students

AR 5148.2(a)

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Note: The district should revise the following administrative regulation to reflect the before and/or after school program(s) it offers and the grade levels it offers at which the programs are offered. In addition to the program requirements described below, before-school and after-school programs may be subject to other district policies contained throughout this policy manual (e.g., such as BP/AR 5148 - Child Care and Development, AR 3514.2 - Integrated Pest Management, food safety standards and nutrition requirements in and BP/AR 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program). The district should consult legal counsel if it has questions regarding the applicability of other laws to the district's programs.

Grades K-9

Note: The following section is for use by districts providing before-school and/or after-school programs funded by the state After School Education and Safety Program (ASES) (Education Code 8482-8484.65) or the federal 21st Century Community Learning Center Program (21st CCLC) (Education Code 8484.7-8484.9; 20 USC 7171-7176). Both ASES and 21st CCLC programs serve students who are in grades K-9 in an elementary, middle, or junior high school. Pursuant to Education Code 8484.75, programs funded through the 21st CCLC program are generally subject to the same program requirements applicable to ASES programs, with the exception of specified provisions primarily related to allocation of funds.

~~Both ASES and 21st CCLC programs serve students who are in grades K-9 in an elementary, middle, or junior high school. Funding would not be awarded to a program that serves only grade 9 in a high school. Such a program may be eligible for funding under the 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens (ASSETs) program (Education Code 8420-8428; 20 USC 7171-7176); see section "Grades 9-12" below.~~

The following section applies to both ASES and 21st CCLC programs except where otherwise noted, and should be revised to reflect the program(s) offered by the district.

The district's After School Education and Safety (ASES) program or 21st Century Community Learning Center (21st CCLC) program may shall serve students in any of grades K-9 as the district may determine based on local needs. (Education Code 8482.3, 8484.7, 8484.75; 8484.8)

Note: ~~The following paragraph is optional. Education Code 8483.3 gives competitive priority for state ASES funding to programs that meet the following criterion:~~

~~Consistent with state funding priorities, the district shall, to the extent feasible, give priority to establishing ASES programs that serve students in schools with the highest percentage of students eligible for free and reduced-price meals.~~

~~(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)~~

The district's 21st CCLC program shall primarily serve students in Title I schoolwide programs or serve a high percentage of students from low-income families. (Education Code 8484.8; 20 USC 7173)

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(cf. 6171 - Title I Programs)

~~Note: The following paragraph is optional. Pursuant to Education Code 8484.8 and 20 USC 7173, competitive priority for 21st CCLC funding is given to applications that meet the following criteria:~~

~~Consistent with federal funding priorities, the district shall, to the extent feasible, give priority to establishing 21st CCLC programs in schools that are identified for program improvement under 20 USC 6316 and/or programs that will provide year round expanded learning opportunities.~~

~~*(cf. 0520.2 - Title I Program Improvement Schools)*~~

Note: The remainder of this section applies to both ASES and 21st CCLC programs.

The district's ASES and 21st CCLC program(s) shall be operated in accordance with the following:

1. Program Elements

- a. The program shall include an educational and literacy element in which tutoring or homework assistance is provided in language arts, mathematics, history and social science, computer training, and/or science. (Education Code 8482.3)

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)

(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

(cf. 6142.93 - Science Instruction)

(cf. 6154 - Homework/Makeup Work)

(cf. 6163.4 - Student Use of Technology)

Note: Education Code 8482.3 requires that the program include an educational enrichment component which may include physical fitness. Pursuant to Education Code 8483.55 and 8484.8, the California Department of Education (CDE) has developed voluntary California After School Physical Activity Guidelines which are available on its web site.

- b. The program shall include an educational enrichment element which may include, but is not limited to, fine arts, career technical education, recreation, technology, physical fitness, and prevention activities. (Education Code 8482.3)

(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)

(cf. 5131.62 - Tobacco)

(cf. 6142.6 - Visual and Performing Arts)

(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)

(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)

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Note: Pursuant to Education Code 8482.3, after-school programs may offer snacks or meals that conform to applicable state or federal nutrition standards. Reimbursement for providing snacks is available through the National School Lunch Program and the Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP) for participating districts. Pursuant to the Healthy, Hunger-Free Kids Act of 2010 (42 USC 1766-1766a), after-school programs participating in the at-risk after-school care component of the CACFP may be reimbursed for serving full meals. Further information is available on the web sites of the CDE and U.S. Department of Agriculture.

2. Nutrition

- a. If snacks or meals are made available in the program, they shall conform to state nutrition standards specified in Education Code 49430-49434 or 42 USC 1766 as applicable. (Education Code 8482.3; 42 USC 1766-1766a; 7 CFR 226.17)
- b. The district's before-school program shall offer a breakfast meal as described in Education Code 49553 for all program participants. (Education Code 8483.1)

(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)

(cf. 3554 - Other Food Sales)

(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)

Note: Education Code 8482.3 provides that a program may be offered at one or multiple school sites. Program applications and U.S. Department of Education (USDOE) nonregulatory guidance, 21st Century Community Learning Centers, state that programs may be located off campus as long as the facility is as available and accessible to students as if it were located at a school.

3. Location of Program

- a. The program may be offered at one or multiple school sites and/or at an easily available and accessible off-campus facility. (Education Code 8482.3)

Note: Education Code 8482.8, as amended by AB 2615 (Ch. 470, Statutes of 2016) allows the district to provide services at another school site if there is a significant barrier to student participation in a program at the school of attendance and if the school to which the program will be transferred either (1) agrees to receive students from the transferring school and has an existing grant of the same type as the transferring school, or (2) does not have a 10-percent lower percentage of students eligible for free or reduced-price meals than the transferring school as described below. Approval to provide services at another school site must be obtained from the Superintendent of Public Instruction prior to or during the grant application process. In addition, Education Code 8482.8 allows a district that is temporarily prevented from operating a program at a given site due to natural disaster, civil unrest, or imminent danger to students or staff to transfer funding to other program sites in order to meet attendance targets during that time period.

- b. When there is a significant barrier to student participation in either the before-school or after-school component of a program at the school of attendance, the ~~district~~ Superintendent or designee may, with the approval of the

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Superintendent of Public Instruction, provide services at another school site. Such transfer of services shall occur only if the school to which the program will be transferred agrees to receive students from the transferring school and has an existing grant of the same type as the transferring school, or does not have a 10-percent lower percentage of students eligible for free or reduced-price meals than the transferring school. A significant barrier includes either any of the following: (Education Code 8482.8)

- (1) Fewer than 20 students participating in the program component
- (2) Extreme transportation constraints, including, but not limited to, desegregation busing, busing for magnet or open enrollment schools, or student dependence on public transportation
- (3) A reduction in the program grant of an existing school due to its merging into a new school opened by the district or the splitting of its students with a new school

In such cases, the district shall arrange for safe, supervised transportation between school sites; ensure communication among staff in the regular school program, staff in the before-school or after-school program, and parents/guardians; and ensure alignment of the educational and literacy elements with the regular school program of participating students. (Education Code 8482.8)

(cf. 3540 - Transportation)

4. Staffing

- a. All staff members who directly supervise students shall, at a minimum, meet the qualifications for an instructional aide. (Education Code 8483.4, 45330, 45344, 45344.5)

(cf. 4222 - Teacher Aides/Paraprofessionals)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 8483.4, program staff and volunteers are required to meet health screening and fingerprint clearance requirements. The CDE's Frequently Asked Questions for the ASES program, available on its web site, clarify that staff and volunteers who Education Code 49024 provides that the requirement to obtain an Activity Supervisor Clearance Certificate prior to beginning a paid or volunteer position is satisfied by clearing a Department of Justice and Federal Bureau of Investigation criminal background check are exempted from the requirement to obtain an Activity Supervisor Clearance Certificate in accordance with Education Code 49024.

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- b. All program staff and volunteers shall be subject to the health screening and fingerprint clearance requirements in law and Board policy. (Education Code 8483.4)

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)

(cf. 4112.4/4212.4/4312.4 - Health Examinations)

(cf. 4112.5/4212.5/4312.5 - Criminal Record Check)

- c. The student-to-staff ratio shall be no more than 20 to 1. (Education Code 8483.4)

5. Hours of Operation

- a. A before-school program shall not operate for less than one and one-half hours per regular school day. (Education Code 8483.1)
- b. An after-school program shall begin immediately upon the conclusion of the regular school day and shall operate a minimum of 15 hours per week and at least until 6 p.m. on every regular school day. (Education Code 8483)

6. Admissions

- a. Every student attending a school operating a program is eligible to participate in the program, subject to program capacity. (Education Code 8482.6)

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

- b. If the number of students wishing to participate in the program exceeds program capacity, students shall be selected for enrollment based on the following guidelines:

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 8483, as added by AB 2615 (Ch. 470, Statutes of 2016), commencing July 1, 2017 first priority for enrollment shall be given to students who are identified as homeless or foster youth, as provided below

- (1) **First priority for enrollment shall be given to students who are identified as homeless youth, as defined by the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 USC 11434a), at the time they apply for enrollment or at any time during the school year and to students who are identified by the program as being in foster care. (Education Code 8483, 8483.1)**

The district is not required to disenroll a current student in order

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to secure the enrollment of a student who has priority for enrollment. (Education Code 8483, 8483.1)

The district shall inform the parent/guardian of a homeless or foster youth of the right of the child to receive priority enrollment and how to request priority enrollment. (Education Code 8483)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)
(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)
(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

Note: Item #~~(12)~~ below is for use by districts that maintain middle or junior high schools.

- ~~(12)~~ **Second p**riority for enrollment of middle or junior high school students shall be given to students who attend daily. (Education Code 8483, 8483.1)

Note: Items #~~(2)~~-~~(4)~~ #~~(3)~~-~~(5)~~ are optional and may be revised or expanded to include enrollment priorities established by the district.

- ~~(23)~~ **Third p**riority for enrollment shall be given to students identified as in need of academic remediation or support in accordance with Board policy or administrative regulations.

(cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)

- ~~(34)~~ Any remaining capacity shall be filled by students selected at random.
- ~~(45)~~ A waiting list shall be established to accommodate additional students if space becomes available.

7. Attendance/Early Release

Note: Education Code 8483 and 8483.1 express legislative intent that elementary students attend the full program day of either the before-school or after-school program every day in which they participate. Education Code 8483 and 8483.1 allow districts to implement a flexible attendance schedule for students in middle or junior high school, but express the intent that students at these grade levels attend a minimum of six hours over three days a week in the before-school program or nine hours over three days a week in the after-school program. Education Code 8483.1 specifies that, for before-school programs, students who attend less than one-half of the daily program hours may not be counted for attendance purposes.

Pursuant to Education Code 8483, districts offering an after-school program are mandated to establish a policy regarding reasonable early daily release of students from the after-school program. Education Code 8483.1 mandates districts offering a before-school program to establish a policy regarding reasonable late daily arrival of students. The following items should be revised to reflect district practice.

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- a. Each student admitted into a district program shall be expected to attend the full number of hours that the program is in operation every day that he/she participates.
- b. When necessary, a student's parent/guardian may request, in writing, that the Superintendent or designee approve the reasonable late daily arrival of his/her child for the before-school program or the reasonable early daily release of his/her child from the after-school program. The Superintendent or designee shall not approve such a request if the student would be attending less than one-half of the daily program hours.

Note: Item #8 below is for use by districts that offer a program during summer, intersession, or vacation periods. Pursuant to Education Code 8483.76, a school that establishes a before-school or after-school program is eligible to receive a supplemental grant to operate the program in excess of 180 regular school days or during any combination of summer, weekends, intersession, or vacation periods for a maximum of 30 percent of the total grant amount awarded, per school year, to the school.

8. Summer/Intersession/Vacation Programs

- a. A before-school program operating during summer, intersession, and/or vacation days shall be offered for a minimum of two hours per day. An after-school program offered during summer, intersession, and/or vacation days may be operated for either three hours or six hours per day in accordance with Education Code 8483.76. When both before-school and after-school programs are offered for the same students on such days, they shall be operated for a minimum of four and one-half hours per day. (Education Code 8483, 8483.1, 8483.2, 8483.76)
- b. A program offered during summer, intersession, and/or vacation periods may open eligibility to every student attending a school in the district, with priority for enrollment given to students enrolled in the school that received the grant. (Education Code 8483.76)
- c. To address the needs of students and school closures, the program may be conducted at an off-site location or an alternate school site. The program shall notify the California Department of Education (CDE) of the change of location and shall include a plan to provide safe transportation pursuant to Education Code 8484.6. (Education Code 8483.76)
- d. Any program operating for six hours per day shall provide at least one nutritionally adequate free or reduced-price meal to each eligible student during each program day. (Education Code 8483.76)

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Note: Education Code 8483.76 mandates that a district operating a six-hour program adopt an attendance and early release policy for the program that is consistent with the district's early release policy for the regular school day; see item #7 above. This policy must be included in the program plan submitted to the CDE.

- e. For any program operating six hours per day, district procedures pertaining to student attendance and early release as specified in item #7 above shall apply. (Education Code 8483.76)

(cf. 6177 - Summer Learning Programs)

Grades 9-12

~~Note: The following section is for use by districts providing before school and/or after school programs funded through the 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens Program (ASSETs) program (Education Code 8420-8428; 20 USC 7171-7176).~~

~~The district's 21st Century High School After School Safety and Enrichment for Teens (ASSETs) program may shall serve students in any of grades 9-12 as the district may determine based on local needs. (Education Code 8421)~~

~~Note: The following paragraph is optional. Pursuant to 20 USC 7174, funding priority for ASSETs programs is given to schools identified as in need of program improvement pursuant to 20 USC 6316. See BP/AR 0520.2 Title I Program Improvement Schools.~~

~~When feasible, priority shall be placed on establishing programs that serve students in schools that are identified as in need of improvement pursuant to 20 USC 6316.~~

~~The program shall be operated in accordance with the following guidelines:~~

~~1. Program Elements~~

- ~~a. The program shall include an academic assistance element that is coordinated with the regular academic program and includes, but is not limited to, at least one of the following: (Education Code 8421)~~

~~Note: Education Code 8421 authorizes the district's ASSETs program to include preparation for the California High School Exit Examination. However, pursuant to Education Code 60851.1, administration of the exit exam has been suspended through the 2017-18 school year.~~

- ~~(1) Preparation for the high school exit examination~~

~~(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)~~

- ~~(2) Tutoring~~

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~~(3) Career exploration, including activities that help students develop the knowledge and skills that are relevant to their career interests and reinforce academic content~~

~~(4) Homework assistance~~

~~(5) College preparation, including information about the Cal Grant program pursuant to Education Code 69430-69460~~

~~b. The program shall include an enrichment element that may include, but is not limited to: (Education Code 8421)~~

~~(1) Community service~~

~~(2) Career and technical education~~

~~(3) Job readiness~~

~~(4) Opportunities for mentoring and tutoring younger students~~

~~(5) Service learning~~

~~(6) Arts~~

~~(7) Computer and technology training~~

~~(8) Physical fitness~~

~~(9) Recreation activities~~

(cf. 6142.4 Service Learning/Community Service Classes)

Note: Education Code 8423 requires the ASSETs program to include a physical activity element. See the CDE's California After School Physical Activity Guidelines, available on its web site.

~~e. The program shall include a nutritional snack and/or meal and a physical activity element. (Education Code 8423)~~

Note: AB 2615 (Ch. 470, Statutes of 2016) amended Education Code 8423 to add the following requirement:

~~d. The program shall provide for access to, and availability of, computers and technology. (Education Code 8423)~~

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- ~~de.~~ ~~The Superintendent or designee shall assess students' preferences for program activities. (Education Code 8423)~~
- ~~2. Location of Program~~
- ~~a. The district's program may operate on one or multiple school sites or at another location approved by the CDE. (Education Code 8421)~~
- ~~b. If applying for a location off school grounds, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that safe transportation is available for students, if necessary, and the program is at least as available and accessible as similar programs conducted on school sites. (Education Code 8421)~~
- ~~3. Hours of Operation~~
- ~~a. The district's program shall operate for a minimum of 15 hours per week. (Education Code 8421)~~
- ~~b. The district's program may be operated either after school only or for any combination of after school, before school, weekends, summer, intersession, and vacations. (Education Code 8422)~~

Volunteers

Note: The following optional section is for use by districts that choose to create a registry of volunteer after-school physical recreation instructors or other volunteers pursuant to Education Code 35021.3, and may be used by districts that provide an ASES, 21st CCLC, ASSETs, or any other local program. When the district opts to use a registry created by a county office of education pursuant to Education Code 35021.3 rather than develop its own, the following section may be revised to inform district staff about the county registry and encourage its use.

Pursuant to Education Code 35021.3, after-school instruction in physical recreation provided by a volunteer does not count toward satisfaction of physical education requirements pertaining to the number of instructional minutes or course completion for high school graduation; see BP/AR 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity and BP 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements.

The Superintendent or designee may establish a registry of volunteer after-school physical recreation instructors and other before-school and after-school program volunteers. (Education Code 35021.3)

Note: Education Code 35021.3 requires volunteers to submit to a criminal background check and authorizes, but does not require, the district to contribute funds to pay for all or part of the background check. Pursuant to Education Code 35021.3, the district may expand the following paragraph to impose additional requirements on volunteers (e.g., certification in cardiopulmonary resuscitation).

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To be included in the registry, a volunteer shall submit to a criminal background check pursuant to Education Code 45125. He/she also shall submit current contact information to the district and shall update that information whenever the information changes. (Education Code 35021.3)

The Superintendent or designee may use a volunteer registered with the district or may select another person to provide physical recreation to students after school hours or to provide other services. (Education Code 35021.3)

Reports

Note: The following section applies to ASES, 21st CCLC, and ASSETs programs.

Pursuant to Education Code 8426 and 8484, the CDE may terminate a grant if, for three consecutive years, the program fails to demonstrate measurable program outcomes or fails to attain 75 percent of its proposed attendance levels. For this purpose, the CDE may consider a comparison of participating and nonparticipating students at the same school site or other factors.

The Superintendent or designee shall annually submit to the CDE outcome-based data, including, but not limited to: (Education Code 8427, 8482.3, 8484)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 8427 and 8484, programs must submit data on both school and program attendance. Education Code 8427 requires that program attendance be reported on a semi-annual basis for ASSETs programs. As amended by SB 1221 (Ch. 370, Statutes of 2014), Education Code 8484 requires that ASES and 21st CCLC programs now submit program attendance reports on a semi-annual basis.

1. For participating students, school day attendance on an annual basis and program attendance on a semi-annual basis

Note: SB 1221 (Ch. 370, Statutes of 2014) amended Education Code 8427 to eliminate specific evaluation criteria for program effectiveness and instead requires programs to submit evidence of a program quality improvement process that is based on standards developed by the CDE. The CDE's program quality standards, Quality Standards for Expanded Learning in California: Creating and Implementing a Shared Vision of Quality, are available on its web site.

2. Evidence of a program quality improvement process that is data driven and based on CDE program quality standards

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

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Grades K-9

The district's After School Education and Safety (ASES) program or 21st Century Community Learning Center (21st CCLC) program may serve students in grades K-9. (Education Code 8482.3, 8484.8)

Consistent with state funding priorities, the district shall, to the extent feasible, give priority to establishing ASES programs that serve students in schools with the highest percentage of students eligible for free and reduced-price meals.

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)

The district's 21st CCLC program shall primarily serve students in Title I schoolwide programs or serve a high percentage of students from low-income families. (Education Code 8484.8; 20 USC 7173)

(cf. 6171 - Title I Programs)

Consistent with federal funding priorities, the district shall, to the extent feasible, give priority to establishing 21st CCLC programs in schools that are identified for program improvement under 20 USC 6316 and/or programs that will provide year-round expanded learning opportunities.

(cf. 0520.2 - Title I Program Improvement Schools)

The district's ASES and 21st CCLC program(s) shall be operated in accordance with the following:

1. Program Elements

- a. The program shall include an educational and literacy element in which tutoring or homework assistance is provided in language arts, mathematics, history and social science, computer training, and/or science. (Education Code 8482.3)

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)

(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

(cf. 6142.93 - Science Instruction)

(cf. 6154 - Homework/Makeup Work)

(cf. 6163.4 - Student Use of Technology)

- b. The program shall include an educational enrichment element which may include, but is not limited to, fine arts, career technical education, recreation, technology, physical fitness, and prevention activities. (Education Code 8482.3)

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(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)
(cf. 5131.62 - Tobacco)
(cf. 6142.6 - Visual and Performing Arts)
(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)
(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)

2. Nutrition

- a. If snacks or meals are made available in the program, they shall conform to state nutrition standards specified in Education Code 49430-49434 or 42 USC 1766 as applicable. (Education Code 8482.3; 42 USC 1766-1766a; 7 CFR 226.17)
- b. The district's before-school program shall offer a breakfast meal as described in Education Code 49553 for all program participants. (Education Code 8483.1)

(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)
(cf. 3554 - Other Food Sales)
(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)

3. Location of Program

- a. The program may be offered at one or multiple school sites and/or at an easily available and accessible off-campus facility. (Education Code 8482.3)
- b. When there is a significant barrier to student participation in either the before-school or after-school component of a program at the school of attendance, the district may, with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, provide services at another school site. A significant barrier includes either of the following: (Education Code 8482.8)
 - (1) Fewer than 20 students participating in the program component
 - (2) Extreme transportation constraints, including, but not limited to, desegregation busing, busing for magnet or open enrollment schools, or student dependence on public transportation

In such cases, the district shall arrange for safe, supervised transportation between school sites; ensure communication among staff in the regular school program, staff in the before-school or after-school program, and parents/guardians; and ensure alignment of the educational and literacy elements with the regular school program of participating students. (Education Code 8482.8)

(cf. 3540 - Transportation)

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4. Staffing

- a. All staff members who directly supervise students shall, at a minimum, meet the qualifications for an instructional aide. (Education Code 8483.4; 20 USC 6319)

(cf. 4222 - Teacher Aides/Paraprofessionals)

- b. All program staff and volunteers shall be subject to the health screening and fingerprint clearance requirements in law and Board policy. (Education Code 8483.4)

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)

(cf. 4112.4/4212.4/4312.4 - Health Examinations)

(cf. 4112.5/4212.5/4312.5 - Criminal Record Check)

- c. The student-to-staff ratio shall be no more than 20 to 1. (Education Code 8483.4)

5. Hours of Operation

- a. A before-school program shall not operate for less than one and one-half hours per regular school day. (Education Code 8483.1)
- b. An after-school program shall begin immediately upon the conclusion of the regular school day and shall operate a minimum of 15 hours per week and at least until 6 p.m. on every regular school day. (Education Code 8483)

6. Admissions

- a. Every student attending a school operating a program is eligible to participate in the program, subject to program capacity. (Education Code 8482.6)

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

- b. If the number of students wishing to participate in the program exceeds program capacity, students shall be selected for enrollment based on the following guidelines:

- (1) Priority for enrollment of middle or junior high school students shall be given to students who attend daily. (Education Code 8483, 8483.1)

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- (2) Priority for enrollment shall be given to students identified as in need of academic remediation or support in accordance with Board policy or administrative regulations.

(cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)

- (3) Any remaining capacity shall be filled by students selected at random.
- (4) A waiting list shall be established to accommodate additional students if space becomes available.

7. Attendance/Early Release

- a. Each student admitted into a district program shall be expected to attend the full number of hours that the program is in operation every day that he/she participates.
- b. When necessary, a student's parent/guardian may request, in writing, that the Superintendent or designee approve the reasonable late daily arrival of his/her child for the before-school program or the reasonable early daily release of his/her child from the after-school program. The Superintendent or designee shall not approve such a request if the student would be attending less than one-half of the daily program hours.

8. Summer/Intersession/Vacation Programs

- a. A before-school program operating during summer, intersession, and/or vacation days shall be offered for a minimum of two hours per day. An after-school program offered during summer, intersession, and/or vacation days may be operated for either three hours or six hours per day in accordance with Education Code 8483.76. When both before-school and after-school programs are offered for the same students on such days, they shall be operated for a minimum of four and one-half hours per day. (Education Code 8483, 8483.1, 8483.2, 8483.76)
- b. A program offered during summer, intersession, and/or vacation periods may open eligibility to every student attending a school in the district, with priority for enrollment given to students enrolled in the school that received the grant. (Education Code 8483.76)
- c. To address the needs of students and school closures, the program may be conducted at an off-site location or an alternate school site. The program shall notify the California Department of Education (CDE) of the change of location and shall include a plan to provide safe transportation pursuant to Education Code 8484.6. (Education Code 8483.76)

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- d. Any program operating for six hours per day shall provide at least one nutritionally adequate free or reduced-price meal to each eligible student during each program day. (Education Code 8483.76)
- e. For any program operating six hours per day, district procedures pertaining to student attendance and early release as specified in item #7 above shall apply. (Education Code 8483.76)

(cf. 6177 - Summer Learning Programs)

Reports

The Superintendent or designee shall annually submit to the CDE outcome-based data, including, but not limited to: (Education Code 8427, 8482.3, 8484)

1. For participating students, school day attendance on an annual basis and program attendance on a semi-annual basis
2. Evidence of a program quality improvement process that is data driven and based on CDE program quality standards

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

Students

AR 5148.3(a)

PRESCHOOL/EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

Note: The following administrative regulation reflects the major requirements of the California State Preschool Program (CSPP) pursuant to Education Code 8235-8239. The CSPP consolidates state preschool programs (Education Code 8235-8237), family literacy programs (Education Code 8238-8238.4), and general child care and development programs to the extent that they serve children ages 3-4 years of age (Education Code 8240-8244).

The following administrative regulation does not reflect all requirements for other state and federally funded preschool program(s). The district may revise this administrative regulation to reflect other preschool program(s) it offers, such as the state migrant child care and development program (Education Code 8230-8233), state program for severely disabled children (Education Code 8250-8252), federal Head Start program (42 USC 9831-9852), Title I preschool program (20 USC 6311-6322), or preschool program developed and funded by the district.

In addition to the program requirements described below, preschool programs may be subject to other policies contained throughout the district's policy manual (e.g., BP/AR 5148 - Child Care and Development, AR 3514.2 - Integrated Pest Management, BP/AR 1240 - Volunteer Assistance, and food safety standards and nutrition requirements in BP/AR 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program). Districts should consult legal counsel if they have questions regarding the applicability of other laws to the district's preschool program.

When approved by the California Department of Education (CDE) under the California State Preschool Program, the district may operate one or more part-day preschool programs in accordance with law and the terms of its contract with the CDE.

(cf. 5148 - Child Care and Development)

Note: 5 CCR 18130 specifies the state regulations for child care and development programs that are applicable to CSPP programs. These requirements include, but are not limited to, the program components listed in 5 CCR 18272-18281. See AR 5148 - Child Care and Development for details regarding these required program components.

The district's preschool program shall include all required program components, as described in 5 CCR 18272-18281 and AR 5148 - Child Care and Development, for the educational program, the creation of a developmental profile for each child, staff development, parent involvement and education, community involvement, health and social services, nutrition, and program evaluation. (5 CCR 18271-28281)

Minimum Hours/Days of Operation

The district's part-day preschool program shall operate a minimum of three hours per day, excluding time for home-to-school transportation, and for a minimum of 175 days per year unless otherwise specified in the program's contract. (Education Code 8235; 5 CCR 18136)

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Staffing Ratios

The preschool program shall maintain an adult-child ratio of at least one adult for every eight children and a teacher-child ratio of at least one teacher for every 24 children. If the district cannot recruit a sufficient number of parents/guardians or volunteers to meet the required adult-child ratio, teacher aides shall be hired as necessary. (5 CCR 18135, 18290)

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)

(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

Note: Health and Safety Code 1596.7995, as added by SB 792 (Ch. 807, Statutes of 2015), requires employees and volunteers at a day care center to be immunized against influenza, pertussis, and measles, with specified exemptions. Health and Safety Code 1597.055, as amended by SB 792, incorporates the immunization requirements into the qualifications of day care teachers and adds a requirement for such teachers to obtain a tuberculosis clearance. Pursuant to Health and Safety Code 1596.76, a day care center includes a preschool. See AR 5148 - Child Care and Development for further information regarding immunization requirements for staff and volunteers. Districts that do not offer child care and development programs and/or have not adopted AR 5148 - Child Care and Development may revise the following paragraph accordingly and expand it to include the exemptions specified in Health and Safety Code 1596.76.

Any person employed at a district preschool and any volunteer who provides care and supervision to children at a preschool shall, unless exempted by law, be immunized against influenza, pertussis, and measles in accordance with Health and Safety Code 1596.7995 and AR 5148 - Child Care and Development. Documentation of required immunizations, or applicable exemptions, shall be maintained in the employee's personnel file. (Health and Safety Code 1596.7995)

(cf. 4112.4 - Health Examinations)

(cf. 4112.6 - Personnel Files)

In addition, preschool teachers shall present evidence of a current tuberculosis clearance and meet other requirements as specified in Health and Safety Code 1597.055.

Wraparound Child Care Services

Note: The following section is optional. Because preschool programs operated under the CSPP are part-day programs only, Education Code 8329 encourages districts to contract with the CDE to offer "wraparound child care services" which combine preschool and general child care services to provide a full day of services for eligible families. Such programs must be consistent with requirements for general child care and development programs offered pursuant to Education Code 8240-8244; see BP/AR 5148 - Child Care and Development.

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In accordance with its contract with the CDE, the district may offer full-day services to meet the needs of eligible families through a combination of part-day preschool and wraparound child care services that are offered for the remaining portion of the day or year following completion of the preschool services. Child care and development services offered through this program shall meet the requirements of general child care and development programs pursuant to Education Code 8240-8244. (Education Code 8239)

Wraparound services shall operate a minimum of 246 days per year unless otherwise specified in the contract. ~~For Within~~ this period of time, ~~the part-day preschool programs shall operate 175-180 days. After the completion of the preschool program, and a part-time~~ general child care and development programs may operate a full day for the remainder of the year. ~~after the completion of the preschool program~~ (Education Code 8239)

Family Literacy Services

Note: The following section is optional. Contingent upon funding in the state Budget Act, Education Code 8238 and 8238.4 provide for the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) to distribute family literacy supplemental grant funds to qualifying CSPP contractors for the purposes described below.

When any district preschool program receives funding for family literacy services pursuant to Education Code 8238.4, the Superintendent or designee shall coordinate the provision of: (Education Code 8238)

1. Opportunities for parents/guardians to work with their children on interactive literacy activities, including activities in which parents/guardians actively participate in facilitating their children's acquisition of prereading skills through guided activities such as shared reading, learning the alphabet, and basic vocabulary development

~~Note: AB 104 (Ch. 13, Statutes of 2015) amended Education Code 8238 to require that parenting education include improving parental knowledge of local resources for the identification of and services for developmental disabilities, as provided in item #2d below~~

2. Parenting education for parents/guardians of participating children to support their children's development of literacy skills, including, but not limited to, parent education in:
 - a. Providing support for the educational growth and success of their children
 - b. Improving parent-school communications and parental understanding of school structures and expectations
 - c. Becoming active partners with teachers in the education of their children

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- d. Improving parental knowledge of local resources for the identification of and services for developmental disabilities, including, but not limited to, contact information for the district special education referral
3. Referrals to providers of adult education and instruction in English as a second language as necessary to improve parents/guardians' academic skills

(cf. 6200 - Adult Education)

4. Staff development for teachers in participating classrooms that includes, but is not limited to:
- a. Development of a pedagogical knowledge, including, but not limited to, improved instructional strategies
 - b. Knowledge and application of developmentally appropriate assessments of the prereading skills of children in participating classrooms
 - c. Information on working with families, including the use of on-site coaching, for guided practice in interactive literacy activities
 - d. Providing targeted interventions for all young children to improve kindergarten readiness upon program completion

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

Eligibility and Enrollment

Note: The following section reflects eligibility criteria and enrollment priorities for the CSPP pursuant to state law and regulations. 5 CCR 18105 mandates that a district operating a CSPP program develop written admissions policies and procedures that conform to the requirements of 22 CCR 101218, including criteria designating those children whose needs can be met by the program and services and the ages of children who will be accepted.

Children eligible for the district's preschool program include those who will have their third or fourth birthday on or before September 1 of the fiscal year that they are being served. (Education Code 8208, 8235, 8236)

Note: The following paragraph reflects guidance in CDE's Management Bulletin 14-02. See BP 6170.1 - Transitional Kindergarten for eligibility requirements pertaining to the transitional kindergarten program pursuant to Education Code 48000.

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When a child is eligible for both the preschool program and the district's transitional kindergarten program, the family may choose the most appropriate program for the child. In accordance with the enrollment priorities described below, the child may be enrolled in both programs provided that the child is not enrolled in both programs for the same time period on the same day.

(cf. 5111 - Admission)

(cf. 6170.1 - Transitional Kindergarten)

Note: Pursuant to 5 CCR 18082-18083, the parent/guardian must submit an application for services which contains specified information and documentation. The application form is available on the CDE's web site. Upon receiving an application, a person designated by the district must certify the family's or child's eligibility.

Eligibility for subsidized preschool shall be as follows:

1. Children shall be eligible for subsidized preschool services if their family is a current aid recipient, income eligible, or homeless and/or the family's children are recipients of protective services or have been identified as being, or at risk of being, abused, neglected, or exploited. (Education Code 8235, 8263, 8263.1; 5 CCR 18131, 18134)
2. Children shall be eligible for subsidized wraparound preschool and child care services if their family meets at least one of the criteria specified in item #1 above ~~or and~~ needs child care services due to either of the following circumstances: (Education Code 8239, 8263)

Note: AB 982 (Ch. 567, Statutes of 2015) amended Education Code 8263 to expand the list of entities that can identify a child in need of subsidized services to include a local educational agency liaison for homeless children and youth, a Head Start program, or a transitional shelter and to expand the list of children to be identified to include a homeless child.

- a. The child is identified by a legal, medical, or social services agency, the district liaison for homeless students, a Head Start program, or an emergency or transitional shelter as being a recipient of protective services, or as being, or at risk of being, neglected, abused, or exploited, or as being homeless.

(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)

- b. The parents/guardians are engaged in vocational training leading directly to a recognized trade, paraprofession, or profession; are employed or seeking employment; are seeking permanent housing for family stability; or are incapacitated.

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Note: The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Unless state funding is allocated to support the "centralized eligibility list" established in each county pursuant to Education Code 8499.5, such lists will be maintained only if locally funded. In situations where there is no locally funded centralized eligibility list or the district elects not to participate in the local list, the district must establish its own waiting list in accordance with admission priorities pursuant to 5 CCR 18106.

The Superintendent or designee shall consult the county's centralized eligibility list, when available, or shall maintain a district waiting list in accordance with admission priorities. As vacancies occur, applicants shall be contacted in order of their priority. (5 CCR 18106)

First priority for enrollment in a preschool program shall be given to neglected or abused children age 3 or 4 years of age who are recipients of child protective services or who, based upon written referral from a legal, medical, or social service agency, are at risk of being neglected, abused, or exploited. If unable to enroll a child in this category, the district shall refer the child's parent/guardian to local resource and referral services so that services for the child can be located. (Education Code 8236; 5 CCR 18131)

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

(cf. 1700 - Relations Between Private Industry and the Schools)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 8236, ~~as amended by SB 858 (Ch. 32, Statutes of 2014)~~, second priority for enrollment must be granted to children age 4 years of age who are not enrolled in a TK program, as provided in the following paragraph.

In any CSPP program operating with funding that was initially allocated in a prior fiscal year, at least one-half of the children enrolled at a preschool site must be children who are age 4 years of age unless an exception is granted by the SPI.

After all children with first priority are enrolled, the district shall give second priority to eligible children age 4 years of age who are not enrolled in a transitional kindergarten program prior to enrolling eligible children age 3 years of age. (Education Code 8236)

After enrolling all eligible children who meet the criteria for subsidized services, up to 10 percent of the program's enrollment, calculated throughout the entire contract, may be filled with children who exceed the age limitations and children whose family income is no more than 15 percent above the income eligibility threshold. (Education Code 8235; 5 CCR 18133)

The district may certify eligibility and enrollment up to 120 calendar days prior to the first day of the beginning of the preschool year. After establishing eligibility at the time of initial enrollment, a child shall remain eligible for the remainder of the program year. (Education Code 8237; 5 CCR 18082)

PRESCHOOL/EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (continued)

Note: Pursuant to 5 CCR 18130, CSPP programs are subject to 5 CCR 18094 and 18118, which require the district to provide written notification to parents/guardians as to whether their application for subsidized services has been approved or denied. For this purpose, the district should use the Notice of Action form available on the CDE's web site. If the services are denied, the parent/guardian may appeal the decision in accordance with 5 CCR 18120-18122; see section "Parent Hearing" below]

~~He/she must file a request for a hearing with the district within 14 calendar days of receiving the notice. Within 10 calendar days after receiving the request, the district must notify the parent/guardian of the time and place of the hearing. Within 10 calendar days after the hearing, the district must mail or deliver the written decision. If the parent/guardian disagrees with the district's written decision, he/she may appeal to the CDE's Early Education and Support Division within 14 calendar days.~~

The district's decision to approve or deny a child's enrollment shall be communicated to the family through a written Notice of Action mailed or delivered within 30 days from the date the application is signed by the parent/guardian. (5 CCR 18094, 18095, 18118)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Note: 5 CCR 18095 and 18119 require the district to notify a parent/guardian of any change in services or fees as described below. For such notification, the district should use the Notice of Action form available on the CDE's web site. Parents/guardians may appeal such actions using the same procedures described above in relation to appeals for denial of services pursuant to 5 CCR 18120-18122; see section "Parent Hearing" below]

Subsequently, the Superintendent or designee shall mail or deliver a Notice of Action to a parent/guardian at least 14 calendar days before any intended change in services, including, but not limited to, an increase or decrease in fees, an increase or decrease in the amount of services, or termination of services, due to any of the following circumstances: (5 CCR 18095, 18119)

1. A determination during recertification or update of the application that the need or eligibility requirements are no longer being met or the fee or amount of service needs to be modified
2. Failure of the parent/guardian to document the family's need or eligibility after the district requested such documentation in writing
3. An indication by the parent/guardian that he/she no longer wants the service
4. The death of a parent/guardian or child
5. The conclusion of a limited-term agreement, provided that the parent/guardian has been informed in writing of the date that the services would terminate

PRESCHOOL/EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (continued)

For each child enrolled in the district's preschool program, the Superintendent or designee shall maintain a family data file containing a completed and signed application for services, documentation of income eligibility, and a copy of all Notices of Action. For each child not receiving subsidized services, the family data file shall also include records of the specific reason(s) for enrolling each child, the child's family income, and evidence that the district has made a diligent search for children eligible for subsidized services. (5 CCR 18130, 18133, 18081, 18084)

(cf. 1340 - Access to District Records)

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

Fees and Charges

~~Note: Pursuant to Education Code 8273, the Superintendent of Public Instruction established a new family fee schedule applicable to CSPP programs that went into effect July 1, 2014.~~

Fees for participation in the district's preschool program shall be assessed and collected in accordance with the fee schedule established by the Superintendent of Public Instruction. (Education Code 8273, 8273.2; 5 CCR 18078)

(cf. 3260 - Fees and Charges)

~~Note: Education Code 8273.1 specifies circumstances under which families are exempted from fees for preschool and other state-contracted child care services. As amended by SB 858 (Ch. 32, Statutes of 2014), Education Code 8273.1 provides that family fees cannot be charged to income-eligible families whose children are enrolled in a part-day CSPP program.~~

However, no fee shall be charged to an income-eligible family whose child is enrolled in a part-day preschool program, a family that is receiving CalWORKs cash aid, or a family that is otherwise exempted pursuant to Education Code 8273.1. (Education Code 8273.1; 5 CCR 18110)

In addition, any family qualifying for subsidized preschool on the basis of having a child who is a recipient of child protective services, or having a certification by a county child welfare agency that services continue to be necessary, may be exempt from these fees for up to 12 months. Any family whose child is receiving subsidized preschool on the basis of being at risk of abuse, neglect, or exploitation may be exempt from these fees for up to three months, unless the family becomes eligible based on receipt of child protective services or certification of need by a county child welfare agency. The cumulative period of exemption for these purposes shall not exceed 12 months. (Education Code 8273.1)

PRESCHOOL/EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (continued)

Note: Education Code 8273.3 authorizes a district offering a CSPP program to charge a fee for field trips and/or to require parents/guardians to provide diapers, but mandates that the district adopt policy to include parents/guardians in the decision-making about such fees, as provided below. Pursuant to Education Code 8273.3, the fees cannot exceed \$25 per child in the contract year. The following paragraph may be modified to delete diapers as appropriate for the age of the children served.

The Superintendent or designee shall establish a process ~~which~~ **that** involves parents/guardians in determining whether to require parents/guardians to provide diapers. This process shall also be used to determine whether and how much to charge parents/guardians for field trip expenses, within the limit specified in law. A child shall not be denied participation in a field trip due to the parent/guardian's inability or refusal to pay the fee, and no adverse action shall be taken against a parent/guardian for that inability or refusal. (Education Code 8273.3)

Disenrollment

Note: Education Code 8263.3 specifies the order by which families will be disenrolled from child care and development services when funding levels are reduced. ~~CDE Management Bulletin 12-08 clarifies the order in which families will be disenrolled from CSPP programs and~~ **The following list applies that order of disenrollment to CSPP programs but** takes into account the priority specified in Education Code 8236 to enroll children ~~age 4 years of age before enrolling children age 3 years of age~~. **The following list reflects the order as specified in the CDE Management Bulletin**

When necessary due to a reduction in state reimbursements, families shall be disenrolled in the following order: (Education Code 8236, 8263.3)

1. Children ~~age 3 years of age~~ whose families have the highest income in relation to family size shall be disenrolled first, followed by children ~~age 4 years of age~~ whose families have the highest income in relation to family size.

At each age level, if two or more families have the same income ranking, the child with disabilities shall be disenrolled last. If there are no families that have a child with disabilities, the child who has received services the longest shall be disenrolled first.

2. Families of children ~~age 3 or 4 years of age~~ who are receiving child protective services or who have been documented to be at risk of being neglected, abused, or exploited, regardless of income, shall be disenrolled last.

Parent Hearing

Note: Pursuant to 5 CCR 18130, districts are subject to the requirements of 5 CCR 18120-18122 to provide due process to parents/guardians who disagree with certain district actions, such as when services are denied, there is a change in services or fees, or their child is disenrolled.

PRESCHOOL/EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (continued)

If a parent/guardian disagrees with any district action to deny his/her child's eligibility for subsidized preschool services, disenroll the child due to a funding shortage, increase or decrease fees, increase or decrease the amount of services, terminate services, or otherwise change the level of services, he/she may file a request for a hearing with the Superintendent or designee within 14 calendar days of the date the Notice of Action was received. Within 10 calendar days of receiving the request for a hearing, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the parent/guardian of the time and place of the hearing, which, to the extent possible, shall be convenient for the parent/guardian. (5 CCR 18120)

The hearing shall be conducted in accordance with the procedures specified in 5 CCR 18120 by a district administrator who is at a staff level higher in authority than the staff person who made the contested decision. Within 10 calendar days after the hearing, the district administrator shall mail or deliver a written decision to the parent/guardian. If the parent/guardian disagrees with the written decision, he/she may, within 14 calendar days, appeal the decision to the CDE. (5 CCR 18120-18122)

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Administrative Regulation

Preschool/Early Childhood Education

AR 5148.3
Students

When approved by the California Department of Education (CDE) under the California State Preschool Program, the district may operate one or more part-day preschool programs in accordance with law and the terms of its contract with the CDE.

(cf. 5148 - Child Care and Development)

The district's preschool program shall include all required program components, as described in 5 CCR 18272-18281 and AR 5148 - Child Care and Development, for the educational program, the creation of a developmental profile for each child, staff development, parent involvement and education, community involvement, health and social services, nutrition, and program evaluation. (5 CCR 18271-28281)

Minimum Hours/Days of Operation

The district's part-day preschool program shall operate a minimum of three hours per day, excluding time for home-to-school transportation, and for a minimum of 175 days per year unless otherwise specified in the program's contract. (Education Code 8235; 5 CCR 18136)

Staffing Ratios

The preschool program shall maintain an adult-child ratio of at least one adult for every eight children and a teacher-child ratio of at least one teacher for every 24 children. If the district cannot recruit a sufficient number of parents/guardians or volunteers to meet the required adult-child ratio, teacher aides shall be hired as necessary. (5 CCR 18135, 18290)

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)
(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

Wraparound Child Care Services

In accordance with its contract with the CDE, the district may offer full-day services to meet the needs of eligible families through a combination of part-day preschool and wraparound child care services that are offered for the remaining portion of the day or year following completion of the preschool services. Child care and development services offered through this program shall meet the requirements of general child care and development programs pursuant to Education Code 8240-8244. (Education Code 8239)

Wraparound services shall operate a minimum of 246 days per year unless otherwise specified in the contract. For this period of time, part-day preschool programs shall operate 175-180 days and general child care and development programs may operate a full day for the remainder of the year after the completion of the preschool program. (Education Code 8239)

Family Literacy Services

When any district preschool program receives funding for family literacy services pursuant to Education Code 8238.4, the Superintendent or designee shall coordinate the provision of: (Education Code 8238)

1. Opportunities for parents/guardians to work with their children on interactive literacy activities, including activities in which parents/guardians actively participate in facilitating their children's acquisition of prereading skills through guided activities such as shared reading, learning the alphabet, and basic vocabulary development
2. Parenting education for parents/guardians of participating children to support their children's development of literacy skills, including, but not limited to, parent education in:
 - a. Providing support for the educational growth and success of their children
 - b. Improving parent-school communications and parental understanding of school structures and expectations
 - c. Becoming active partners with teachers in the education of their children
 - d. Improving parental knowledge of local resources for the identification of and services for developmental disabilities, including, but not limited to, contact information for the district special education referral
3. Referrals to providers of adult education and instruction in English as a second language as necessary to improve parents/guardians' academic skills

(cf. 6200 - Adult Education)

4. Staff development for teachers in participating classrooms that includes, but is not limited to:
 - a. Development of a pedagogical knowledge, including, but not limited to, improved instructional strategies
 - b. Knowledge and application of developmentally appropriate assessments of the prereading skills of children in participating classrooms

- c. Information on working with families, including the use of on-site coaching, for guided practice in interactive literacy activities
- d. Providing targeted interventions for all young children to improve kindergarten readiness upon program completion

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

Eligibility and Enrollment

Children eligible for the district's preschool program include those who will have their third or fourth birthday on or before September 1 of the fiscal year that they are being served. (Education Code 8208, 8235, 8236)

When a child is eligible for both the preschool program and the district's transitional kindergarten program, the family may choose the most appropriate program for the child. In accordance with the enrollment priorities described below, the child may be enrolled in both programs provided that the child is not enrolled in both programs for the same time period on the same day.

(cf. 5111 - Admission)

(cf. 6170.1 - Transitional Kindergarten)

Eligibility for subsidized preschool shall be as follows:

1. Children shall be eligible for subsidized preschool services if their family is a current aid recipient, income eligible, or homeless and/or the family's children are recipients of protective services or have been identified as being, or at risk of being, abused, neglected, or exploited. (Education Code 8235, 8263, 8263.1; 5 CCR 18131, 18134)
2. Children shall be eligible for subsidized wraparound preschool and child care services if their family meets at least one of the criteria specified in item #1 above or needs child care services due to either of the following circumstances: (Education Code 8239, 8263)
 - a. The child is identified by a legal, medical, or social services agency or emergency shelter as a recipient of protective services or as being, or at risk of being, neglected, abused, or exploited.
 - b. The parents/guardians are engaged in vocational training leading directly to a recognized trade, paraprofession, or profession; are employed or seeking employment; are seeking permanent housing for family stability; or are incapacitated.

The Superintendent or designee shall consult the county's centralized eligibility list, when available, or shall maintain a district waiting list in accordance with admission priorities. As vacancies occur, applicants shall be contacted in order of their priority. (5 CCR 18106)

First priority for enrollment in a preschool program shall be given to neglected or abused children age 3 or 4 years who are recipients of child protective services or who, based upon written referral from a legal, medical, or social service agency, are at risk of being neglected, abused, or exploited. If unable to enroll a child in this category, the district shall refer the child's parent/guardian to local resource and referral services so that services for the child can be located. (Education Code 8236; 5 CCR 18131)

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

(cf. 1700 - Relations Between Private Industry and the Schools)

After all children with first priority are enrolled, the district shall give second priority to eligible children age 4 years who are not enrolled in a transitional kindergarten program prior to enrolling eligible children age 3 years. (Education Code 8236)

After enrolling all eligible children who meet the criteria for subsidized services, up to 10 percent of the program's enrollment, calculated throughout the entire contract, may be filled with children who exceed the age limitations and children whose family income is no more than 15 percent above the income eligibility threshold. (Education Code 8235; 5 CCR 18133)

The district may certify eligibility and enrollment up to 120 calendar days prior to the first day of the beginning of the preschool year. After establishing eligibility at the time of initial enrollment, a child shall remain eligible for the remainder of the program year. (Education Code 8237; 5 CCR 18082)

The district's decision to approve or deny a child's enrollment shall be communicated to the family through a written Notice of Action mailed or delivered within 30 days from the date the application is signed by the parent/guardian. (5 CCR 18094, 18095, 18118)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Subsequently, the Superintendent or designee shall mail or deliver a Notice of Action to a parent/guardian at least 14 calendar days before any intended change in services, including, but not limited to, an increase or decrease in fees, an increase or decrease in the amount of services, or termination of services, due to any of the following circumstances: (5 CCR 18095, 18119)

1. A determination during recertification or update of the application that the need or eligibility requirements are no longer being met or the fee or amount of service needs to be modified
2. Failure of the parent/guardian to document the family's need or eligibility after the district requested such documentation in writing
3. An indication by the parent/guardian that he/she no longer wants the service
4. The death of a parent/guardian or child

5. The conclusion of a limited-term agreement, provided that the parent/guardian has been informed in writing of the date that the services would terminate

For each child enrolled in the district's preschool program, the Superintendent or designee shall maintain a family data file containing a completed and signed application for services, documentation of income eligibility, and a copy of all Notices of Action. For each child not receiving subsidized services, the family data file shall also include records of the specific reason(s) for enrolling each child, the child's family income, and evidence that the district has made a diligent search for children eligible for subsidized services. (5 CCR 18130, 18133, 18081, 18084)

(cf. 1340 - Access to District Records)

(cf. 3580 - District Records)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

Fees and Charges

Fees for participation in the district's preschool program shall be assessed and collected in accordance with the fee schedule established by the Superintendent of Public Instruction. (Education Code 8273, 8273.2; 5 CCR 18078)

(cf. 3260 - Fees and Charges)

However, no fee shall be charged to an income-eligible family whose child is enrolled in a part-day preschool program, a family that is receiving CalWORKs cash aid, or a family that is otherwise exempted pursuant to Education Code 8273.1. (Education Code 8273.1; 5 CCR 18110)

In addition, any family qualifying for subsidized preschool on the basis of having a child who is a recipient of child protective services, or having a certification by a county child welfare agency that services continue to be necessary, may be exempt from these fees for up to 12 months. Any family whose child is receiving subsidized preschool on the basis of being at risk of abuse, neglect, or exploitation may be exempt from these fees for up to three months, unless the family becomes eligible based on receipt of child protective services or certification of need by a county child welfare agency. The cumulative period of exemption for these purposes shall not exceed 12 months. (Education Code 8273.1)

The Superintendent or designee shall establish a process which involves parents/guardians in determining whether to require parents/guardians to provide diapers. This process shall also be used to determine whether and how much to charge parents/guardians for field trip expenses, within the limit specified in law. A child shall not be denied participation in a field trip due to the parent/guardian's inability or refusal to pay the fee, and no adverse action shall be taken against a parent/guardian for that inability or refusal. (Education Code 8273.3)

Disenrollment

When necessary due to a reduction in state reimbursements, families shall be disenrolled in the following order: (Education Code 8236, 8263.3)

1. Children age 3 years whose families have the highest income in relation to family size shall be disenrolled first, followed by children age 4 years whose families have the highest income in relation to family size.

At each age level, if two or more families have the same income ranking, the child with disabilities shall be disenrolled last. If there are no families that have a child with disabilities, the child who has received services the longest shall be disenrolled first.

2. Families of children age 3 or 4 years who are receiving child protective services or who have been documented to be at risk of being neglected, abused, or exploited, regardless of income, shall be disenrolled last.

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BP 6111(a)

SCHOOL CALENDAR

Note: The following optional policy may be subject to collective bargaining agreements and should be modified to reflect district practice. The Public Employment Relations Board has determined that school calendar issues related to the work of employees, such as beginning and ending dates, summer vacations, and school holidays, are negotiable.

For each district school, the Governing Board shall adopt a school calendar that meets the requirements of law as well as the needs of the community, students, and the work year as negotiated with the district's employee organization(s). As appropriate, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the proposed calendar is aligned with assessment and accountability schedules in order to support the district's goals for student achievement.

(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)
(cf. 4143/4243 - Negotiations/Consultation)
(cf. 6162.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests)
(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

Each school calendar shall show the beginning and ending school dates, legal and local holidays, staff development days, orientation days, minimum days, vacation periods, and other pertinent dates.

(cf. 6112 - School Day)
(cf. 6115 - Ceremonies and Observances)
(cf. 6117 - Year-Round Schedules)
(cf. 6177 - Summer School Learning Programs)

Note: Education Code 41420 establishes 175 days of instruction as the minimum requirement to receive full average daily attendance (ADA) reimbursement. Education Code 46200 provides incentive funding for districts to increase to 180 days of instruction and imposes financial penalties, by way of withholding from the district's local control funding formula (LCFF) apportionment, upon districts that offer fewer than 180 days of instruction after receiving ~~accepting~~ the incentive funding. However, pursuant to Education Code 46208, once a district meets or exceeds its LCFF funding target, it will be required to offer 180 days or more of instruction or will have a portion of its apportionment withheld. For more information about the impact of the LCFF on instructional time, see the California Department of Education's "LCFF and Instructional Time FAQs" located on its web site. ~~Education Code 46201.2 was added in 2009 to authorize any district receiving the longer-year incentive funding to reduce the school year by up to five days of instruction without incurring financial penalties. This authorization, which was to be in effect through the 2012-13 school year, has now been extended until the end of the 2014-15 school year by Education Code 46201.2, as amended by SB 70 (Ch. 7, Statutes of 2011). In addition, Education Code 46201.3, added by AB 114 (Ch. 43, Statutes of 2011), would become operative, if certain conditions exist, to allow all districts to reduce the minimum instructional days and minutes for the 2011-12 school year by up to seven days.~~

SCHOOL CALENDAR (continued)

~~However, before any reduction in the number of working days, the district must first negotiate with employee organizations. In addition, constitutional equity issues may have to be considered. In Butt v. State of California, the California Supreme Court held that a district violated students' fundamental right to basic equality in public education when it shortened the school year by six weeks because of a lack of funds. Thus, it is possible that, despite the legislative authority, similar equality issues could be raised if one school district offers 175 days of instruction and a neighboring district offers 180 days.~~ Districts seeking to reduce instructional time should proceed cautiously and consult with legal counsel.

~~The following paragraph provides for 180 days of instruction. Districts that provide fewer than 180 days should modify the following paragraph accordingly.~~

The district shall offer ~~180~~ a **minimum of 175** days of instruction per school year, ~~except for any school year in which the district and employee organization(s) agree to have fewer days of instruction pursuant to the authorization in Education Code 46201.2, until it equals or exceeds the local control funding formula target established for it pursuant to Education Code 42238.02, at which time it shall offer 180 days or more of instruction per school year. (Education Code 41420, 46208)~~

(cf. 1431 - Waivers)

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that maintain one or more schools on a multitrack year-round schedule. Pursuant to Education Code 37670, such schools will be deemed to be in compliance with requirements pertaining to the minimum number of instructional days if they offer at least 163 school days per year and meet specified conditions. See BP 6117 - Year-Round Schedules.

However, district schools on a multitrack year-round schedule may be maintained for a minimum of 163 instructional days in accordance with Education Code 37670!

Note: Education Code 46300 identifies educational activities that are included in the computation of ADA. School districts may not receive ADA reimbursement for staff development programs conducted on regular school days.

Staff development days shall not be counted as instructional days.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

Notification of the schedule of minimum days and student-free staff development days shall be sent to all parents/guardians at the beginning of the school year. If any minimum days or student-free staff development days are added to the schedule, the Superintendent or designee shall notify parents/guardians of the affected students as soon as possible and at least one month before the scheduled minimum day. (Education Code 48980)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

SCHOOL CALENDAR (continued)

Note: Pursuant to Elections Code 12283, the Governing Board may determine whether to keep a school open or closed on an election day when the school will be used as a polling place. In some cases, districts have closed the school for safety reasons, as a precaution against the large number of visitors on school grounds. Elections officials are required to request the use of the school within sufficient time in advance of the school year so that the Board can make this determination before school calendars are printed and distributed to parents/guardians.

If a school will be used as a polling place on an election day, the Board shall determine whether to continue school in session, designate the day for staff training and development, or close the school to students and nonclassified staff. (Elections Code 12283)

(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Governmental Agencies and the Schools)
(cf. 5113 - Absences and Excuses)

Legal Reference:**EDUCATION CODE**

37200-37202 School calendar

37220-37223 Holidays

~~37252-37254.1 Summer school~~~~37300-37307 Year-Round School Demonstration Projects~~

37600-37672 Continuous school programs: year-round schools, especially:

37618 School calendar

37700-37714 Four-day week

~~41420 Apportionment withholding, schools not maintained for 175 days~~~~41422 Schools not maintained for 175 days~~

42238.02 Local control funding formula

46200-46206 Incentives for longer instructional day and year

46300 Method of computing ADA

48980 Notice at beginning of term

REPEALED EDUCATION CODE FOR CATEGORICAL PROGRAMS~~44570-44579.6 Instructional Time and Staff Development Reform Program~~**ELECTIONS CODE**

12283 School closures, election days

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School Calendar

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For each district school, the Governing Board shall adopt a school calendar that meets the requirements of law as well as the needs of the community, students, and the work year as negotiated with the district's employee organization(s). As appropriate, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the proposed calendar is aligned with assessment and accountability schedules in order to support the district's goals for student achievement.

(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)

(cf. 4143/4243 - Negotiations/Consultation)

(cf. 6162.51 - Standardized Testing and Reporting Program)

(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

Each school calendar shall show the beginning and ending school dates, legal and local holidays, staff development days, orientation days, minimum days, vacation periods, and other pertinent dates.

(cf. 6112 - School Day)

(cf. 6115 - Ceremonies and Observances)

(cf. 6117 - Year-Round Schedules)

(cf. 6177 - Summer School)

The district shall offer 180 days of instruction per school year, except for any school year in which the district and employee organization(s) agree to have fewer days of instruction pursuant to the authorization in Education Code 46201.2.

(cf. 1431 - Waivers)

Staff development days shall not be counted as instructional days.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

Notification of the schedule of minimum days shall be sent to all parents/guardians at the beginning of the school year. If any minimum days are added to the schedule, the Superintendent or designee shall notify parents/guardians of the affected students as soon as possible and at least one month before the scheduled minimum day. (Education Code 48980)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

If a school will be used as a polling place on an election day, the Board shall determine

whether to continue school in session, designate the day for staff training and development, or close the school to students and nonclassified staff. (Elections Code 12283)

(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Governmental Agencies and the Schools)
(cf. 5113 - Absences and Excuses)

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37700-37711 Four-day week

41422 Schools not maintained for 175 days

41530-41532 Professional Development Block Grant

46200-46206 Incentives for longer instructional day and year

46300 Method of computing ADA

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California Public Employment Relations Board: <http://www.perb.ca.gov>

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Antelope, California

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BP 6117(a)

YEAR-ROUND SCHEDULES

Note: The following optional policy is for use by districts that operate or are considering the establishment of a year-round calendar in one or more schools, as authorized by Education Code 37610. ~~Like schools on traditional calendar, year-round schools can have 180 days of instruction. Year-round schools generally have the same number of instructional days as schools on a traditional calendar.~~ However, they maintain a different pattern of instruction and vacations than schools on a traditional calendar. While traditional calendar schools have nine months of instruction and three months of vacation during the summer, year-round schools operate on shorter blocks of time for instruction and vacation, such as 60 days of instruction followed by 20 days of vacation. Some year-round schools operate a "multitrack" plan as defined in Education Code 17017.7. Such a program is designed to increase the enrollment capacity of the school by dividing the student body and staff into groups or tracks (usually three to five groups) and rotating attendance so that, at any time during the school year, at least one group or track is on vacation while the other groups are attending school.

~~Pursuant to Education Code 37692, the multitrack year-round program whereby a school operates on a three-track year-round calendar, with each track offering as few as 163 days of instruction per school year (Concept 6 program), has been eliminated.~~

The Governing Board believes that a year-round school schedule could benefit the district and its students by providing continuous instruction and reducing learning loss in students over extended vacations, allowing timely interventions to improve academic achievement, and alleviating overcrowding in schools through efficient use of school facilities. The Board shall consider the feasibility of establishing year-round schedules based on current and projected enrollments, facilities needs, and instructional needs.

(cf. 6111 - School Calendar)
(cf. 7110 - Facilities Master Plan)

Before approving a year-round program in any district school, the Board shall consult in good faith, in an effort to reach agreement with certificated and classified employees of the school, parents/guardians of students who would be affected by the change, and the community at large. Such consultation shall include at least one public hearing for which adequate notice has been given to the employees and parents/guardians of affected students. (Education Code 37616)

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)
(cf. 4112.9/4212.9/4312.9 - Employee Notifications)
(cf. 4143/4243 - Negotiations/Consultation)
(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)
(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

When the Board is considering a year-round schedule for any school, the Superintendent or designee shall submit to the Board a comprehensive proposal that, at a minimum, shall

YEAR-ROUND SCHEDULES (continued)

address the schedule to be operated, the number of tracks the school will have, any needed facilities modifications, a communications system for notifying off-track families of school activities and developments, and how the ethnic and socioeconomic composition of the school will be maintained within each track.

If the Board determines to operate a year-round program in a manner that would require any student to enroll, the Superintendent or designee shall publish, not later than November 1 of the school year preceding the commencement of the program, notice of the district's intention to operate the program. Such notice shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation within the district, or if there is no such newspaper, then in any newspaper of general circulation that is regularly circulated in the district. The notice shall be published once each week for three successive weeks or, if the newspaper is regularly published once a week or more often, at least three times with at least five days intervening between the respective publication dates not counting the publication dates. (Education Code 37611)

(cf. 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 37612, after the district has published the above notice, residents may request that the school not establish such a schedule by presenting a petition to the County Superintendent of Schools. This petition must be signed by at least 25 percent of the registered voters of the district and be submitted no later than December 10 of the year in which the notice is given. If the County Superintendent finds the petition to be sufficient as required by law, he/she will order a proposition to be placed upon the ballot of the appropriate election as provided in Education Code 37613. Irrespective of whether or not a petition is presented, the Board may request that an election be called and conducted.

On the Board's order, or upon a sufficient petition by the public to the County Superintendent of Schools after the above notice of intention is given by the district, an election shall be called to determine whether to permit a year-round program to be operated. (Education Code 37612)

Note: Education Code 37620 and 41420 establish 175 days of instruction as the minimum requirement to receive full average daily attendance (ADA) reimbursement. Districts have the ability to increase to 180 days of instruction with longer day or year incentives pursuant to Education Code 46200-46206. Pursuant to Education Code 46208, when a district equals or exceeds its funding target under the local control funding formula (LCFF), it will be required to offer 180 days of instruction in order to receive full ADA reimbursement. See BP 6111 - School Calendar. Year-round schools are subject to these requirements except that, pursuant to Education Code 37670, multitrack year-round schools will be in compliance if they are maintained for a minimum of 163 school days under the conditions described below. If all of the district's year-round schools operate on a multitrack schedule, the district may delete the following paragraph. For more information about the manner in which LCFF funding to districts may be impacted by instructional time, see the California Department of Education's (CDE) "LCFF and Instructional Time FAQ" and its accompanying "Instructional Time Table" located on the CDE's web site.

The following paragraph provides for 180 days of instruction. Districts that provide fewer than 180 days should modify the following paragraph accordingly.

YEAR-ROUND SCHEDULES (continued)

Each year-round school shall offer ~~180~~ a minimum of 175 days of instruction per school year, ~~except for any school year in which the district and employee organization(s) agree to have fewer days of instruction pursuant to the authorization in Education Code 46201.2,~~ until it equals or exceeds the local control funding formula target established for it pursuant to Education Code 42238.02, at which time each school shall offer 180 days or more of instruction per school year. (Education Code 37620, 41420, 46208)

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts that maintain one or more year-round schools on a multitrack schedule.

However, any school that operates on a multitrack schedule shall be deemed in compliance with these requirements if it offers a minimum of 163 instructional days per school year. To do so, the Board shall adopt a resolution at a regularly scheduled Board meeting certifying that the number of annual instructional minutes is not less than that of schools of the same grade levels utilizing the traditional school calendar and that it is not possible to maintain a multitrack schedule with the same number of instructional days provided by district schools on a traditional calendar given the facilities, program, class sizes, and projected number of students enrolled at the school site. The Superintendent or designee shall annually certify to the Superintendent of Public Instruction that any such school is maintained for at least 163 instructional days. (Education Code 37670, 46208)

(cf. 1431 - Waivers)
(cf. 6112 - School Day)

Each school operating on a year-round schedule shall be closed for all students and employees on regular school holidays. (Education Code 37619)

(cf. 6115 - Ceremonies and Observances)

The Superintendent or designee shall annually submit a report to the Board regarding each district school operating a year-round schedule. The report shall include results of the school's academic assessments and how they compare with those of other schools, necessary facilities maintenance or repairs, and costs incurred or saved on account of operating a year-round schedule at the school.

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)
(cf. 0510 - School Accountability Report Card)
(cf. 3460 - Financial Reports and Accountability)
(cf. 3517 - Facilities Inspection)

YEAR-ROUND SCHEDULES (continued)**Assignment to Year-Round Tracks**

The Superintendent or designee shall establish an unbiased process for determining assignment of students to tracks based on the following criteria guidelines:

1. Students of the same family shall be placed in the same group or track unless one or more of such students are enrolled in a special education class or unless the parent/guardian requests that the students be placed in different groups. (Education Code 37617)

Note: Items #2-3 below ~~lists optional criteria for assigning students to tracks~~ reflect the CDE's Year Round Education Guide, available on its web site and may be revised to reflect district practice.

2. ~~Assignment based on ability level or special education needs shall be minimized, except when necessary to accommodate special education needs or other specialized programs. If a special population must be put on one track, isolation and segregation should be minimized by partial day integration or self-selection of track.~~

(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)
(cf. 6172 - Gifted and Talented Student Program)

3. ~~Each track should reflect the ethnic and socioeconomic composition of the entire school community.~~
4. ~~After assignment based on the above priorities, remaining s~~Students shall be chosen on a lottery basis when the number of students requesting a particular track exceeds spaces available. ~~Students' S~~second choices of track assignment preferences shall be accommodated to the extent possible.

The Superintendent or designee shall give parents/guardians adequate notice regarding their child's schedule.

Note: The following paragraph is optional and may be modified to reflect district practice. In its Year-Round Education Program Guide, the California Department of Education CDE lists an appeal process that includes referral of a parent/guardian's concern to a site administrator, then to an appeal committee consisting of an administrator, teacher, and Board member, and finally to the full Board, ~~among track assignment considerations for implementing a year-round educational program.~~

Any parent/guardian who is dissatisfied with the track assignment of his/her child may appeal the assignment to the Superintendent or designee within five business days, stating the reason why a different track is more appropriate for his/her child. The Superintendent or designee shall respond to the parent/guardian within five business days. The Superintendent's decision shall be final.

YEAR-ROUND SCHEDULES (continued)

Once students are assigned to a track, priority shall be placed on keeping students on the same track each year unless the parent/guardian requests a change.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

17017.5 *Approval of applications; year-round education program*

17017.6 *Substantial enrollment, high school districts*

17017.7 *Priority for funding new construction*

17071.40 *Exemption from increase in school building capacity*

17088.3 *Qualifications for lease; submission of year-round multitrack educational program study*

37202 *Equity length of term, exceptions*

37220-37223 *Saturdays and holidays*

37600-37644 *Continuous school programs*

37670-37672 *Multitrack year round scheduling*

37693 *Concept 6 program elimination*

41420 *Minimum number of instructional days per year*

42238.02 *Local control funding formula*

42250.1 *Funding for air conditioning*

46200-462068 *Incentives for longer instructional day and year*

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

855 *Testing period*

~~884 Primary language testing period~~

14030 *School housing standards for multitrack programs*

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

Year-Round Education Program Guide

WEB SITES

California Department of Education, Multitrack Year-Round Education:

<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/fa/yr>

National Association for Year-Round Education: <http://www.nayre.org>

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Board Policy

Year-Round Schedules

BP 6117

Instruction

The Governing Board believes that a year-round school schedule could benefit the district and its students by providing continuous instruction and reducing learning loss in students over extended vacations, allowing timely interventions to improve academic achievement, and alleviating overcrowding in schools through efficient use of school facilities. The Board shall consider the feasibility of establishing year-round schedules based on current and projected enrollments, facilities needs, and instructional needs.

(cf. 6111 - School Calendar)

(cf. 7110 - Facilities Master Plan)

Before approving a year-round program in any district school, the Board shall consult in good faith, in an effort to reach agreement with certificated and classified employees of the school, parents/guardians of students who would be affected by the change, and the community at large. Such consultation shall include at least one public hearing. (Education Code 37616)

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)

(cf. 4143/4243 - Negotiations/Consultation)

(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

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(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)

(cf. 6172 - Gifted and Talented Student Program)

After assignment based on the above priorities, remaining students shall be chosen on a lottery basis when the number of students requesting a particular track exceeds spaces available. Second preferences shall be accommodated to the extent possible.

The Superintendent or designee shall give parents/guardians adequate notice regarding their child's schedule.

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37670-37672 Multi-track year round scheduling

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42250.1 Funding for air conditioning

46200-46206 Incentives for longer instructional day and year

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

855 Testing period

884 Primary language testing period

14030 School housing standards for multitrack programs

Management Resources:

WEB SITES

California Department of Education, Multitrack Year-Round Education:

<http://www.cde.ca.gov/ls/fa/yr>

National Association for Year-Round Education: <http://www.nayre.org>

Policy

adopted: November 20, 2013

CSBA Sample Board Policy

Instruction

BP 6142.2(a)

WORLD/FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION

Note: The following optional policy may be revised to reflect district practice.

Districts that do not maintain secondary schools may adapt this policy to reflect any elementary school programs designed to develop student's literacy in a language other than English. Education Code 51212 states legislative intent to encourage programs of world language (foreign language) instruction as early as feasible for the district.

In order to prepare students for global citizenship and to broaden their intercultural understanding and career opportunities, the Governing Board shall provide students with opportunities to develop linguistic proficiency and cultural literacy in one or more world languages in addition to English.

Note: The California Department of Education's (CDE) Foreign Language Framework for California Public Schools encourages districts to offer as many language course options as possible. Within the context of the CDE's framework, American Sign Language is recognized as a foreign language. The following paragraph may be revised to reflect language courses available in the district.

The Superintendent or designee shall recommend world languages to be taught in the district's educational program based on student interest, community needs, and available resources. He/she shall also consider providing English learners the opportunity to study their heritage language, when such a course is available, in order to continue developing skills in that language. American Sign Language courses shall be open to all students regardless of hearing status.

(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)

Note: On January 7, 2009, the State Board of Education (SBE) adopted voluntary content standards for world languages for grades K-12; see the accompanying administrative regulation. ~~The state's Foreign Language Framework for California Public Schools is scheduled to be revised in 2009-10 to reflect the content standards.~~ Education Code 60605.5, as added by AB 2290 (Ch. 643, Statutes of 2016), requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to recommend revisions to the standards and requires the SBE to adopt, reject, or modify the recommended revisions by March 31, 2019. The 2003 Foreign Language Framework for California Public Schools does not reflect current content standards and is scheduled to be updated in 2020.

In addition, Education Code 51228 requires districts to offer students in grades 7-12 a course of study that fulfills the requirements and prerequisites for admission to California colleges and universities; see BP 6143 - Courses of Study. Admissions criteria for California State University and University of California include two years of coursework in one foreign language, ~~other than English,~~ that have been approved by the University of California. "Frequently Asked Questions" in the University of California's A-G Guide, available on its web site, clarify that American Sign Language may be used to fulfill the requirement if used with a language other than English, but signing in English will not satisfy the requirement. The following paragraph may be revised by districts that do not maintain any of grades 7-12.

WORLD/FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION (continued)

The district shall offer a sequential curriculum aligned with the state content standards, state curriculum framework, and, as applicable, California university admission requirements for languages other than English.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

(cf. 6141 - Curriculum Development and Evaluation)

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts that maintain any of grades 7-12 and may be revised to reflect the grade levels at which instruction in world languages will be offered in the district. Education Code 51220 requires that the adopted course of study for grades 7-12, beginning no later than grade 7, include instruction in world languages designed to develop a facility for understanding, speaking, reading, and writing the particular language; see AR 6143 - Courses of Study.

Instruction in world languages shall be offered to secondary school students beginning no later than grade 7 and shall be designed to develop students' skills in understanding, speaking, reading, and writing the language. (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that maintain one or more high schools. Education Code 51225.3 requires high school students to complete a one-year course in either foreign language, American Sign Language, or visual and performing arts as a condition of high school graduation; see BP 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements. Pursuant to Education Code 51243-51245 and 5 CCR 1632, foreign language instruction completed in a private school must be granted credit toward high school graduation provided that the instruction meets specified standards and conditions; see BP/AR 6146.11 - Alternative Credits Toward Graduation.

A number of districts have chosen to present a biliteracy award upon high school graduation to students who demonstrate proficiency in speaking, reading, and writing skills in one or more languages in addition to English; see BP/AR 5126 - Awards for Achievement.

Students shall obtain credit toward high school graduation requirements for completion of a one-year course ~~during grades 9-12~~ in a world language or American Sign Language ~~during grades 9-12~~.

(cf. 5126 - Awards for Achievement)

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

(cf. 6146.11 - Alternative Credits Toward Graduation)

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that choose to offer a dual-language immersion program ~~maintain elementary schools~~ and may be revised to reflect district practice. Effective July 1, 2017, Proposition 58 (November 2016) amended Education Code 305-310 and repealed Education Code 311 to authorize parents/guardians of English learners to select a language acquisition program that best suits their child. Districts must offer a structured English immersion program in which nearly all of the instruction is in English, and may offer dual-language immersion programs or other language acquisition programs. Also see BP/AR 6174 - Education for English Learners.

WORLD/FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION (continued)

Education Code 51212 states legislative intent to encourage programs of foreign language instruction in the course of study for grades 1-6, as early as feasible for the district. The CDE and the Center for Applied Linguistics note that two-way dual-language immersion programs are often focused on the primary grades and that such programs may continue for five to seven years but optimally throughout grades K-12; also see the accompanying administrative regulation.

For further information and recommendations regarding dual-language immersion programs, see CSBA's governance brief *English Learners in Focus, Issue 2: The Promise of Two-Way Immersion Programs*.

In order to encourage higher levels of language proficiency throughout a student's education, the district may offer age-appropriate language programs in elementary schools. Beginning in the primary grades, the district may deliver language studies through a two-way immersion program in which instruction is delivered in both English and another language to both English-only students and English learners. The district may establish a dual-language immersion program that provides integrated language learning and academic instruction for native speakers of English and native speakers of another language, with the goals of high academic achievement, first and second language proficiency, and cross-cultural understanding. (Education Code 305-306)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 60119, as a condition of receiving funds for instructional materials from any state source under the Pupil Textbook and Instructional Materials Incentive Program Act, the Governing Board is required to hold a public hearing to determine whether each student has sufficient textbooks and/or instructional materials in specified subjects, including foreign language, that are aligned to the state content standards or curriculum frameworks; see BP 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials.

The Board shall ensure that students have access to high-quality instructional materials in world languages. In accordance with Board policy, teachers shall also be encouraged to identify and use supplemental resources, such as literature, technology, newspapers and other media, dictionaries, and volunteers from the community to enhance the world language instructional program.

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)
 (cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)
 (cf. 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials)
 (cf. 6163.1 - Library Media Centers)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide professional development as necessary to ensure that teachers of world languages have the knowledge and skills they need to implement an effective instructional program that helps students attain academic standards.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

Note: The following optional paragraph should be revised to reflect indicators agreed upon by the Board and Superintendent for evaluating the district's world/foreign languages instructional program.

WORLD/FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION (continued)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide periodic reports to the Board regarding the effectiveness of the district's world language program which may include, but not be limited to, a description of the district's curriculum and the extent to which it is aligned with the state's content standards and curriculum framework, student achievement of district standards for world language instruction, and student participation rates in each language course. Program evaluation shall be used to identify needed improvements and may be considered in determining the world languages to be taught in the district.

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

(cf. 6190 - Evaluation of the Instructional Program)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

WORLD/FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION (continued)**Legal Reference:****EDUCATION CODE**~~300-311310 Education for English learners~~~~42238.02 Local control funding formula; class size requirements~~~~44253.1-44253.11. Qualifications of teachers of English learners~~~~44256-44257 Credential requirements, including teachers of foreign language~~~~48980 Parental notifications~~~~51212 Legislative intent to encourage foreign language instruction in grades 1-6~~~~51220 Courses of study, grades 7-12~~~~51225.3 High school graduation requirements~~~~51243-51245 Alternative credits toward graduation for foreign language instruction in private school~~~~60119 Public hearings, instructional materials~~~~60605.3 Content standards for foreign world language instruction~~~~60605.5 Revision of state standards for world language instruction~~**CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5**~~1632 Alternative credits toward graduation for foreign language instruction in private school~~~~11300 English immersion programs, parental exception waivers~~**Management Resources:****CALIFORNIA SCHOOL BOARDS ASSOCIATION PUBLICATIONS**~~English Learners in Focus, Issue 2: The Promise of Two-Way Immersion Programs, Governance Brief, September 2014~~**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS**~~Two-Way Language Immersion Program FAQ~~~~World Language Content Standards for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, adopted January 7, 2009~~~~Foreign Language Framework for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, 2003~~**CENTER FOR APPLIED LINGUISTICS PUBLICATIONS**~~Guiding Principles for Dual Language Education, Second Edition, 2007~~**COLLEGE BOARD PUBLICATIONS**~~A Challenge to Change: The Language Learning Continuum, 1999~~**COMMISSION ON TEACHER CREDENTIALING PUBLICATIONS**~~CL-622 Serving English Learners~~**UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA PUBLICATIONS**~~A-G Guide~~**WEB SITES**~~CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>~~~~American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages: <http://www.actfl.org>~~~~California Association of for Bilingual Education: <http://www.bilingualeducationgocabe.org>~~~~California Department of Education, Foreign Language: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ci/fl>~~~~California Foreign Language Project: <http://www.stanford.edu/group/CFLP>~~~~California Language Teachers' Association: <http://www.clta.net>~~~~Center for Applied Linguistics: <http://www.cal.org>~~~~College Board: <http://www.collegeboard.edu>~~~~University of California, a-g Course Approval: <http://www.ucop.edu/a-gGuide/agagguid>~~

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Board Policy

World/Foreign Language Instruction

BP 6142.2

Instruction

In order to prepare students for global citizenship and to broaden their intercultural understanding and career opportunities, the Governing Board shall provide students with opportunities to develop linguistic proficiency and cultural literacy in one or more world languages in addition to English.

(cf. 6141.6 - Multicultural Education)

The Superintendent or designee shall recommend world languages to be taught in the district's educational program based on student interest, community needs, and available resources. He/she shall also consider providing English learners the opportunity to study their heritage language, when such a course is available, in order to continue developing skills in that language. American Sign Language courses shall be open to all students regardless of hearing status.

(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)

The district shall offer a sequential curriculum aligned with the state content standards, state curriculum framework, and, as applicable, California university admission requirements for languages other than English.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

(cf. 6141 - Curriculum Development and Evaluation)

Instruction in world languages shall be offered to secondary school students beginning no later than grade 7 and shall be designed to develop students' skills in understanding, speaking, reading, and writing the language. (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

Students shall obtain credit toward high school graduation requirements for completion of a one-year course during grades 9-12 in a world language or American Sign Language.

(cf. 5126 - Awards for Achievement)

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

(cf. 6146.11 - Alternative Credits Toward Graduation)

In order to encourage higher levels of language proficiency throughout a student's education, the district may offer age-appropriate language programs in elementary schools.

The Board shall ensure that students have access to high-quality instructional materials in

world languages. In accordance with Board policy, teachers shall also be encouraged to identify and use supplemental resources, such as literature, technology, newspapers and other media, dictionaries, and volunteers from the community to enhance the world language instructional program.

(cf. 1240 - Volunteer Assistance)
(cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)
(cf. 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials)
(cf. 6163.1- Library Media Centers)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide professional development as necessary to ensure that teachers of world languages have the knowledge and skills they need to implement an effective instructional program that helps students attain academic standards.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

300-311 Education for English learners

44256-44257 Credential requirements, including teachers of foreign language

51212 Legislative intent to encourage foreign language instruction in grades 1-6

51220 Courses of study, grades 7-12

51225.3 High school graduation requirements

51243-51245 Alternative credits toward graduation for foreign language instruction in private school

60117-60119 Pupil Textbook and Instructional Materials Incentive Program Act

60605.3 Content standards for foreign language instruction

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

1632 Alternative credits toward graduation for foreign language instruction in private school

11309 English immersion programs, parental exception waivers

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

World Language Content Standards for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, adopted January 7, 2009

Foreign Language Framework for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, 2003

CENTER FOR APPLIED LINGUISTICS PUBLICATIONS

Guiding Principles for Dual Language Education, Second Edition, 2007

COLLEGE BOARD PUBLICATIONS

A Challenge to Change: The Language Learning Continuum, 1999

WEB SITES

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

American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages: <http://www.actfl.org>

California Association of Bilingual Education: <http://www.bilingualeducation.org>

California Department of Education, Foreign Language: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ci/fl>

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California Language Teachers' Association: <http://www.clta.net>

Center for Applied Linguistics: <http://www.cal.org>
College Board: <http://www.collegeboard.co>
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Policy
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CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Antelope, California

CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

Instruction

AR 6142.2(a)

WORLD/FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION

Content of Instruction

Note: Items #1-5 below reflect the five categories of content standards for world languages adopted by the State Board of Education (SBE) on January 7, 2009. Within each category, the state standards describe four proficiency levels or performance benchmarks based on the Language Learning Continuum disseminated by the College Board. Education Code 60605.5, as added by AB 2290 (Ch. 643, Statutes of 2016), requires the Superintendent of Public Instruction to recommend revisions to the standards and requires the SBE to adopt, reject, or modify the recommended revisions by March 31, 2019.

The district may revise the following list to reflect the topics to be addressed in the district's program.

The district's instructional program for world languages shall be designed to help students gain knowledge about new language systems and use that knowledge to communicate. Students shall receive instruction which is aligned with state academic standards appropriate to their age and stage of linguistic and cultural proficiency in the following ~~five~~ categories:

1. Content: Students shall be presented with a wide variety of content that is age and stage appropriate and increases in complexity.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

2. Communication: Students shall be taught to effectively convey and receive messages by engaging in or interpreting written, spoken, and/or signed languages.

3. Cultures: Students shall receive instruction that allows them to make connections and comparisons between language and culture.

(cf. 6142.94 - History/Social Science Instruction)

4. Structures: The curriculum shall address components of grammar, syntax, and language patterns appropriate to the language being taught.

5. Settings: To help students comprehend meaning and use language that is culturally appropriate, students shall develop knowledge of the context or setting in which language is used, such as common daily settings, interpersonal settings, and informal and formal settings.

~~Two-Way-Dual-Language~~ Immersion Programs

Note: The following optional section is for use by districts that choose to establish ~~two-way~~ dual-language

WORLD/FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION (continued)

immersion programs integrating native English speakers and non-English speakers-English learners in a class that is taught in both English and a second language; see the accompanying Board policy.

Effective July 1, 2017, Proposition 58 (November 2016) amended Education Code 305-310 and repealed Education Code 311 to authorize parents/guardians of English learners to select a language acquisition program that best suits their child. Districts must offer a structured English immersion program in which nearly all classroom instruction is provided in English, and may offer dual-language immersion programs or other language acquisition programs. See BP/AR 6174 - Education for English Learners.

The following section Items #1-2 below reflects program models descriptions and recommendations on the California Department of Education's (CDE) web site and may be revised to reflect district practice.

The district's ~~may establish two-way~~ dual-language immersion programs may be based on either or both of the following models:

1. A 50:50 model in which instruction is provided in the non-English target language for 50 percent of the time and in English for 50 percent of the time, throughout the duration of the program
2. A 90:10 model in which instruction is provided in the non-English target language for 90 percent of the time and in English for 10 percent of the time during the first year of the program, decreasing the percentage of time in the non-English language in each subsequent year until there is a 50:50 balance of languages

(cf. 6174 - Education for English Learners)

Note: According to the CDE, two-way immersion programs generally do not accept English-only speakers after grade 1 and English learners after grade 2. The following paragraph may be revised to reflect the grade levels at which the program is offered and any restrictions on enrollment established by the district. The following two paragraphs reflect recommendations of the CDE in its "Two-Way Language Immersion Program FAQ," available on its web site, and may be revised to reflect district practice.

~~English-only~~ Native English speakers shall generally be accepted admitted into the program only during the first grade level at which the program is offered, and English learners may be admitted into the program during the first or second grade level at which the program is offered. Bilingual students may enter the program at any time. On a case-by-case basis, the Superintendent or designee may admit a student later in the program if he/she determines that the student is adequately prepared for and will benefit from the program.

In enrolling students for the program, the district shall strive to maintain a ratio of half native English speakers and half non-English speakers English learners, and such ratio shall not fall below one-third for either language group except under exceptional circumstances.

WORLD/FOREIGN LANGUAGE INSTRUCTION (continued)

~~Note: Education Code 305-306 require that English learners be placed in sheltered English language classrooms (i.e., nearly all classroom instruction in English but with the curriculum and presentation designed for students who are learning the language) during a temporary transition period normally not exceeding one year and then transferred to English language mainstream classrooms (i.e., classrooms in which the students are native English speakers or already have acquired reasonable fluency in English). Education Code 310-311 and 5 CCR 11309 authorize parental waivers of these requirements under specified circumstances. Thus, parents/guardians of English learners must annually submit a parental exception waiver allowing their child's participation in a two way immersion program. See BP/AR/E 6174 - Education of English Language Learners for legal requirements pertaining to parental exception waivers.~~

~~In order for a limited-English proficient student to participate in a two way immersion program, his/her parent/guardian shall annually submit a request for a parental exception waiver pursuant to Education Code 310-311 and 5 CCR 11309.~~

~~(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)~~

~~Note: The following paragraph may be deleted by districts that do not offer a dual-language immersion program in any of grades K-3. Pursuant to Education Code 310, as amended by Proposition 58 (November 2016), all language acquisition programs must comply with requirements related to class size in grades K-3.~~

~~Any dual-language immersion program offered in grades K-3 shall comply with class size requirements specified in Education Code 42238.02. (Education Code 310)~~

~~(cf. 6151 - Class Size)~~

~~At the beginning of each school year or upon a student's enrollment, parents/guardians shall be provided information on the district's dual-language immersion program and other language acquisition programs available to students enrolled in the district, including, but not limited to, a description of each program. (Education Code 310)~~

~~(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)~~

~~Note: Teachers in a class serving one or more English learners are required to possess the qualifications described in Education Code 44253.1-44253.11 and CTC leaflet CL-622, Serving English Learners. Also see AR 4112.22 - Staff Teaching English Learners.~~

~~Whenever a dual-language immersion classroom contains one or more English learners, the class shall be taught by a teacher who possesses the appropriate authorization issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.~~

~~(cf. 4112.22 - Staff Teaching English Learners)~~

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Administrative Regulation

World/Foreign Language Instruction

AR 6142.2
Instruction

Content of Instruction

The district's instructional program for world languages shall be designed to help students gain knowledge about new language systems and use that knowledge to communicate. Students shall receive instruction which is aligned with state academic standards appropriate to their age and stage of linguistic and cultural proficiency in the following five categories:

1. **Content:** Students shall be presented with a wide variety of content that is age and stage appropriate and increases in complexity.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

2. **Communication:** Students shall be taught to effectively convey and receive messages by engaging in or interpreting written, spoken, and/or signed languages.
3. **Cultures:** Students shall receive instruction that allows them to make connections and comparisons between language and culture.

(cf. 6141.6 - Multicultural Education)

4. **Structures:** The curriculum shall address components of grammar, syntax, and language patterns appropriate to the language being taught.
5. **Settings:** To help students comprehend meaning and use language that is culturally appropriate, students shall develop knowledge of the context or setting in which language is used, such as common daily settings, interpersonal settings, and informal and formal settings.

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Instruction

BP 6142.4(a)

SERVICE LEARNING/COMMUNITY SERVICE CLASSES

Note: The California Department of Education (CDE) defines "service learning" as an instructional strategy in which community service opportunities are integrated into the curriculum, with the goal of enhancing the core curriculum and helping students meet academic standards and develop a sense of civic responsibility that integrates community service opportunities into the curriculum and engages students in real-world problem solving. "Community service" also provides opportunities for students to volunteer for the benefit of the community, but is a separate course. Such opportunities are applicable to a variety of disciplines, but are particularly relevant to the development of civic responsibility and are an important component of civic education.

By helping students acquire civic knowledge and skills, service learning is an important component of civic education. In California, academic standards and guidelines for service learning, civics, and government are included in the state's history-social science content standards and the curriculum framework for history/social science. History-Social Science Framework for California Public Schools, as adopted by the State Board of Education on July 14, 2016. See BP 6142.3 - Civic Education and BP 6142.94 - History-Social Science Instruction.

The following optional policy should be modified to reflect the types of strategies and grade levels offered by the district.

The Governing Board recognizes that service learning can student involvement in community service enhances academic outcomes, helps students develop the skills and knowledge necessary to become informed and responsible citizens, and aids in individual career development. Service learning experiences may also motivate students by providing them the opportunity to apply their studies to school and community needs and showing them that they can make a contribution to their community through involved citizenship. The district shall offer separate community service classes and/or service learning opportunities that are integrated into other courses. Such classes and activities shall be designed to link academic content, practical skills, and meaningful service contributions to the community.

- (cf. 1020 - Youth Services)
- (cf. 6000 - Concepts and Roles)
- (cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)
- (cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)
- (cf. 6142.94 - History-Social Science Instruction)
- (cf. 6178.1 - Work-Based Learning)

Service Learning

Note: The following optional section is for use by districts that have integrated service learning into the curriculum and should be modified to reflect district practice. Various funding sources are available for districts implementing this strategy, including Learn and Serve America, a federal grant program through the National and Community Service Trust Act; the CDE's CalServe Initiative, a statewide regional service

SERVICE LEARNING/COMMUNITY SERVICES CLASSES (continued)

~~learning network, and districtwide school-community partnerships. Separate federal and state funding for service learning has been eliminated; however, many districts continue to support the use of service learning as an instructional method. Further information is available on the CDE's web site.~~

~~The Superintendent or designee shall integrate service learning opportunities into one or more courses at appropriate grade levels.~~

~~(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)~~

~~The Board supports service learning instructional strategies as integral components of the district's curriculum. The Board encourages staff to involve administrators, students, teachers, parents/guardians, and community members in the development, implementation, and evaluation of the district's plan service learning program, including a determination as to how projects will be evaluated as well as how supervision and transportation issues will be addressed. He/she shall also collaborate with local public agencies and nonprofit agencies organizations in order to identify and develop service learning activities opportunities that meet educational and civic learning objectives, align with state and local academic standards, and address current community the needs of the community.~~

~~(cf. 1600 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)~~

~~(cf. 1700 - Relations Between Private Industry and the Schools)~~

~~When service learning activities occur off campus, the Superintendent or designee shall arrange for transportation when necessary and shall ensure that students receive appropriate guidance and supervision.~~

~~(cf. 3540 - Transportation)~~

~~The Superintendent or designee shall develop a service learning plan which:~~

- ~~1. Integrates service learning into one or more of the core academic areas of science, English, social science, or mathematics at each grade span (K-5, 6-8, and 9-12) and includes instructional formats planned by teachers and students.~~
- ~~2. Ensures that the service learning opportunities offered by the district help meet identified community needs and include a balance of on-campus and off-campus activities.~~
- ~~3. Involves administrators, students, teachers, parents/guardians, and community members in the development, implementation, and evaluation of the district's plan, including how projects will be evaluated as well as how supervision and transportation issues will be addressed.~~

SERVICE LEARNING/COMMUNITY SERVICE CLASSES (continued)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide the Board with regular reports on the implementation of the plan and its effectiveness district's progress in meeting the district's its goals for service learning.

(cf. 6190 - Evaluation of the Instructional Program)
(cf. 9000 - Role of the Board)

Community Service Classes

Note: The following optional section is for use by districts with grades 7-12 that offer separate community service classes in any of grades 7-12, or through adult education, under the authority of Education Code 51226 and should be modified to reflect district practice.

The district shall may offer community service classes in any of grades 7-12 and/or through the district's adult education program which. Such classes shall be designed to:

- 1] Acquaint students with the historical basis for volunteer service; its importance and relevance; and its connection to with a wide range of identified school and community needs;
- 2] Students shall be offered volunteer opportunities which Include volunteer opportunities that Ssupport and strengthen their students' understanding of the academic instruction and help them recognize the relevance of what they are learning in school and how it relates to their community
- 3] Contribute to the physical, mental, moral, economic, and/or civic development of students
- 4] Provide students with an awareness of potential careers

(cf. 6200 - Adult Education)

If off-campus activities are included, the Superintendent or designee shall determine how students will be transported to the off-campus location and shall ensure adequate supervision of students during the activity.

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that require community service for as a high school graduation requirement. Such districts should also list the course in district policy detailing requirements for high school graduation. See BP 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements. Because California courts have not addressed the issue of mandatory service courses, it is recommended that districts requiring community service provide an alternative means whereby students who object to the service may fulfill the requirement.

SERVICE LEARNING/COMMUNITY SERVICE CLASSES (continued)

The district's community service course shall be required for high school graduation. On a case-by-case basis, the Superintendent or designee may allow students to fulfill the community service graduation requirement by performing alternative academic tasks.

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

The Superintendent or designee shall determine ~~how criteria and methods of assessing students and awarding credits for the class shall be awarded and how students will be evaluated, supervised, and, if off-campus activities are included, transported to the off-campus location.~~

(cf. 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement)

Notifications

Note: The district should notify parents/guardians of the different service learning opportunities available and obtain their consent for any off-campus activities. In order to protect the district against liability and to help ensure adequate insurance coverage, the Superintendent should consult with the district's risk manager, insurance carrier, or legal counsel.

Parents/guardians shall receive information about ~~the~~ service learning ~~or~~ and any community service opportunities offered by the district and ~~their~~ the benefits for both of such activities to the community and their student. The district shall ask parents/guardians to acknowledge this information and provide consent before their child participates in any off-campus service activities.

(cf. 3530 - Risk Management/Insurance)

(cf. 5143 - Insurance)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

SERVICE LEARNING/COMMUNITY SERVICE CLASSES (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

233.5 *Teaching of principles*

35160 *Authority of governing boards*

35160.1 *Broad authority of school districts*

37220.6 *Cesar Chavez Day of Service and Learning*

51210 *Areas of study, grades 1-6*

51220 *Areas of study, grades 7-12*

51745 *Independent study*

51810-51815 *Community service classes*

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

12501-12682 *National and Community Service Trust Act of 1993*

COURT DECISIONS

Steirer et al v. Bethlehem School District, (1993) 987 F.2d 989

Management Resources:

WEB SITES

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

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

Corporation for National and Community Service: <http://www.nationalservice.gov>

Learn and Serve America: <http://www.learnandserve.org>

National Service Learning Clearinghouse: <http://www.servicelearning.org>

Youth Service California: <http://www.yseal.org>

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Board Policy

Service Learning/Community Service Classes

BP 6142.4

Instruction

The Governing Board recognizes that service learning can enhance academic outcomes, help students develop the skills and knowledge necessary to become informed and responsible citizens, and aid in individual career development. Service learning experiences may also motivate students by providing them the opportunity to apply their studies to school and community needs and showing them that they can make a contribution to their community through involved citizenship.

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

(cf. 6000 - Concepts and Roles)

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

(cf. 6030 - Integrated Academic and Vocational Instruction)

(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)

Service Learning

The Board supports service learning instructional strategies as integral components of the district's curriculum. The Board encourages staff to collaborate with local public and nonprofit agencies in order to develop service learning activities that meet educational objectives, align with state and local academic standards, and address current community needs.

(cf. 1600 - Relations Between other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

(cf. 1700 - Relations Between Private Industry and the Schools)

The Superintendent or designee shall develop a service learning plan which:

1. Integrates service learning into one or more of the core academic areas of science, English, social science, or mathematics at each grade span (K-5, 6-8, and 9-12) and includes instructional formats planned by teachers and students
2. Ensures that the service learning opportunities offered by the district help meet identified community needs and include a balance of on-campus and off-campus activities
3. Involves administrators, students, teachers, parents/guardians, and community members in the development, implementation, and evaluation of the district's plan, including a determination as to how projects will be evaluated as well as how supervision and transportation issues will be addressed

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide the Board with regular reports on the implementation of the plan and its effectiveness in meeting the district's goals for service learning.

(cf. 6190 - Evaluation of the Instructional Program)
(cf. 9000 - Role of the Board)

Community Service Classes

The district shall offer community service classes which acquaint students in grades 7-12 with the history and importance of volunteer service and with a wide range of identified school and community needs. Students shall be offered volunteer opportunities which support and strengthen their understanding of academic instruction and help them recognize the relevance of what they are learning in school and how it relates to their community.

The district's community service course shall be required for high school graduation. On a case-by-case basis, the Superintendent or designee may allow students to fulfill the community service graduation requirement by performing alternative academic tasks.

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

The Superintendent or designee shall determine how credits shall be awarded and how students will be evaluated, supervised, and, if off-campus activities are included, transported to the off-campus location.

Notifications

Parents/guardians shall receive information about the service learning or community service opportunities offered by the district and their benefits for both the community and the student. The district shall ask parents/guardians to acknowledge this information and provide consent before their child participates in any off-campus service activities.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

233.5 Teaching of principles

35160 Authority of governing boards

35160.1 Broad authority of school districts

37220.6 Cesar Chavez Day of Service and Learning

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51220 Areas of study, grades 7-12

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Management Resources:

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Learn and Serve America: <http://www.learnandserve.org>

National Service Learning Clearinghouse: <http://www.servicelearning.org>

Youth Service California: <http://www.yscal.org>

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HISTORY-SOCIAL SCIENCE INSTRUCTION

Note: The following optional policy may be revised to reflect district practice. Education Code 51210 and 51220 require that social studies be included in the course of study offered in grades 1-12, including age-appropriate instruction drawing upon the disciplines of anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology, and sociology. For specific topics that must be included in the history-social science curriculum, see BP 6143 - Courses of Study.

In addition, Education Code 51225.3 requires completion of three courses of social studies ~~for to meet~~ high school graduation requirements; see BP 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements.

The Governing Board believes that the study of history and other social sciences is essential to prepare students to engage in responsible citizenship, comprehend complex global interrelationships, and understand the vital connections among the past, present, and future. The district's history-social science education program ~~shall be designed to develop students' knowledge of historical events within a chronological and geographic context and~~ shall include, at appropriate grade levels, instruction in American and world history, geography, economics, political science, anthropology, psychology, and sociology.

(cf. 6115 - Ceremonies and Observances)
(cf. 6141 - Curriculum Development and Evaluation)
(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)
(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)
(cf. 6142.4 - Service Learning/Community Service Classes)
(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)
(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

Note: The State Board of Education (SBE) has adopted ~~History-Social Science Content Standards for California Public Schools~~ state content standards for history-social science which covers grades K-12, with the exception of grade 9 which, in current California practice, is traditionally the year in which students choose a history-social science elective. In addition to core content knowledge, the standards describe intellectual reasoning, reflection, and research skills that should be learned through the content standards for grade ranges K-5, 6-8, and 9-12.

The Board shall adopt academic standards for history-social science which meet or exceed state content standards and describe the knowledge and skills ~~that students shall be~~ are expected to ~~achieve~~ possess at each grade level.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

Note: The History-Social Science Framework for California Public Schools, adopted by the SBE on July 14, 2016, reflects the state content standards as well as the California Common Core State Standards for English Language Arts and Literacy in History/Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects and the California English Language Development Standards. The updated framework includes greater emphasis on literacy skills (i.e., reading, writing, speaking, listening, and other language skills) required for college and career readiness.

HISTORY-SOCIAL SCIENCE INSTRUCTION (continued)

Pursuant to Education Code 33540, 51008, 51226.3, and 51284, the SBE added specified topics to the updated curriculum framework, including, but not limited to, financial literacy, voter education, genocide, and the contributions of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender Americans and the disabled. Education Code 51226.7, as added by AB 2016 (Ch. 327, Statutes of 2016), requires the SBE to adopt a model curriculum in ethnic studies by March 31, 2020 and encourages districts to offer an elective course in ethnic studies based on that model curriculum, when available, in at least one grade level during grades 9-12.

The Superintendent or designee shall develop and submit to the Board for approval a comprehensive, sequential curriculum aligned with the district standards and consistent with the state's curriculum framework for history-social science. The curriculum shall be designed to develop students' core knowledge in history and social science and their skills in chronological and spatial thinking, research, and historical interpretation. History-social science instruction shall also include an explicit focus on developing students' literacy in reading, writing, speaking, listening, and other language skills.

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)
(cf. 9000 - Role of the Board)

Note: The SBE's History-Social Science Framework for California Public Schools, updated in 2005, reflects the state content standards and is organized into three broad categories of curricular goals, each with several "basic learnings" or curriculum strands, as provided in items #1-3 below.

The Superintendent or designee shall develop a comprehensive, sequential curriculum that is aligned with the district standards and is consistent with the state's curriculum framework. At each grade level, the curriculum shall integrate age appropriate instruction designed to develop student achievement in the following areas:

1. Knowledge and cultural understanding, including historical, ethical, cultural, geographic, economic, and sociopolitical literacy.
2. Democratic understanding and civic values, including an understanding of national identity, constitutional heritage, and an individual's civic values, rights, and responsibilities.
3. Skills attainment and social participation, including basic study skills, critical thinking skills, and participation skills that are essential for effective citizenship.

The district's history-social science curriculum shall include a multicultural education component which is designed to teach students to respect and appreciate cultural diversity and different points of view while also developing their understanding of commonalities and collective experiences. The curriculum shall reflect the experiences of men and women and of various cultural, ethnic, racial, religious, and social groups and their contributions to the history, life, and culture of the local community, California, the United States, and other nations.

HISTORY-SOCIAL SCIENCE INSTRUCTION (continued)

Note: Instructional materials that will be used by the district must be adopted by the Governing Board in accordance with Education Code 60200-60206 for grades K-8 and Education Code 60400-60411 for grades 9-12.

Education Code 60119 requires the Board to hold a public hearing on the sufficiency of standards-aligned instructional materials in certain subjects, including history-social science; see BP 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials.

The state content standards for history-social science encourage schools to use supplementary materials as provided in the following paragraph.

The Board shall adopt standards-aligned instructional materials for history-social science in accordance with applicable law, Board policy, and administrative regulation. In addition, teachers are encouraged to supplement the curriculum ~~through the use of~~ by using biographies, original documents, diaries, letters, legends, speeches, other narrative artifacts, and literature from and about the period being studied.

(cf. 0400 - District Technology Plan)

(cf. 1312.2 - Complaints Concerning Instructional Materials)

(cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)

(cf. 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials)

(cf. 6162.6 - Use of Copyrighted Materials)

(cf. 6163.1 - Library Media Centers)

Note: The following paragraph is optional. Education Code 51221.3, 51221.4, and 51226.3 encourage the use of personal testimony (i.e., oral histories, videos, or other multimedia formats) during instruction on certain topics, including World War II, the Vietnam War, the Korean War, the Bracero program, human rights, the Holocaust, genocide, and violence awareness and prevention. Oral history related to World War II and the Vietnam War is required to meet certain standards specified below. Pursuant to Education Code 51221.3 and 51226.3, oral history presented on other topics is encouraged, but not required, to meet similar standards.

Personal testimony from persons who can provide first-hand accounts of significant historical events is encouraged and may be provided through oral histories, videos, or other multimedia formats. If oral history is used for instruction related to the role of Americans in World War II or the Vietnam War, such testimony shall exemplify the personal sacrifice and courage of the wide range of ordinary citizens who were called upon to participate in the war, provide views and comments concerning reasons for participating in the war, and provide commentary on the aftermath of the war in Eastern Europe and the former Soviet Union. (Education Code 51221.3, 51221.4)

Note: Education Code 99200-99206 establish the California History-Social Science Project, a statewide professional development project designed to develop and enhance teachers' knowledge and instructional strategies to improve student achievement in history-social science. Professional development resources also may be located through state and national professional associations, such as the California Council for the Social Studies or the National Council for History Education.

HISTORY-SOCIAL SCIENCE INSTRUCTION (continued)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide a standards-based professional development program designed to increase teachers' knowledge of adopted instructional materials and instructional strategies for teaching history-social science.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

Note: The following optional paragraph should be revised to reflect indicators that will be used to evaluate program effectiveness as agreed upon by the Board and Superintendent or designee.

The Superintendent or designee shall regularly evaluate and report to the Board regarding the implementation and effectiveness of the history-social science curriculum at each grade level, including, but not limited to, the extent to which the program is aligned with state standards, any applicable student assessment results, and feedback from students, parents/guardians, and staff regarding the program.

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

(cf. 6162.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

HISTORY-SOCIAL SCIENCE INSTRUCTION (continued)*Legal Reference:***EDUCATION CODE**

- 33540 *History-social science curriculum framework*
~~51008-51009~~ *Instruction on farm labor movement*
 51204 *Course of study designed for student's needs*
 51204.5 *History of California; contributions of men, women, and ethnic groups*
 51210 *Course of study, grades 1-6*
 51220 *Course of study, grades 7-12*
 51220.2 *Instruction in legal system; teen or peer court programs*
 51221 *Social science course of study, inclusion of instruction in use of natural resources*
 51221.3-51221.4 *Instruction on World War II and Vietnam War; use of oral histories*
 51225.3 *High school graduation requirements*
~~51226.3~~ *Instruction on civil rights, genocide, slavery, Holocaust, and deportation to Mexico*
~~51226.7~~ *Ethnic studies*
 60040-60051 *Criteria for instructional materials*
 60119 *Public hearing on the sufficiency of instructional materials*
 60200-60206 *Instructional materials, grades K-8*
 60400-60411 *Instructional materials, grades 9-12*
 60640-60649 *California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress*
 99200-99206 *Subject matter projects*

*Management Resources:***CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS**

- History-Social Science Framework for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, rev. 2005-2016*
~~*Common Core State Standards for English Language Arts and Literacy in History-Social Studies, Science, and Technical Subjects, 2013*~~
~~*California English Language Development Standards, 2012*~~
~~*Model Curriculum for Human Rights and Genocide, 2000*~~
~~*History-Social Science Content Standards for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, October 1998*~~

NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR THE SOCIAL STUDIES PUBLICATIONS

- ~~*College, Career, and Civic Life (C3) Framework for Social Studies State Standards: Guidance for Enhancing the Rigor of K-12 Civics, Economics, Geography, and History, 2013*~~

WEB SITES

- CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>
 California Council for History Education: <http://www.csus.edu/al/cche>
 California Council for the Humanities: <http://www.calhum.org>
 California Council for the Social Studies: <http://www.ccss.org>
 California Department of Education: <http://www.cde.ca.gov>
 California History-Social Science Course Models: <http://www.history.ctaponline.org>
 California Subject Matter Project: <http://csmp.ucop.edu/chssp>
 National Association for Multicultural Education: <http://www.nameorg.org>
 National Council for History Education: <http://www.nche.net>
 National Council for the Social Studies: <http://www.socialstudies.org>

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History-Social Science Instruction

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Cautionary Notice: As added and amended by SBX3 4 (Ch. 12, Third Extraordinary Session, Statutes of 2009) and ABX4 2 (Ch. 2, Fourth Extraordinary Session, Statutes of 2009), Education Code 42605 grants districts flexibility in "Tier 3" categorical programs. The Center Unified School District has accepted this flexibility and thus is deemed in compliance with the statutory or regulatory program and funding requirements for these programs for the 2008-09 through 2012-13 fiscal years. As a result, the district may temporarily suspend certain provisions of the following policy or regulation that reflect these requirements. For further information, please contact the Superintendent or designee.

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(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

The Board shall adopt academic standards for history-social science which meet or exceed state content standards and describe the knowledge and skills that students shall be expected to achieve at each grade level.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

The Superintendent or designee shall develop a comprehensive, sequential curriculum that is aligned with the district standards and is consistent with the state's curriculum framework. At each grade level, the curriculum shall integrate age-appropriate instruction designed to develop student achievement in the following areas:

1. Knowledge and cultural understanding, including historical, ethical, cultural, geographic, economic, and sociopolitical literacy
2. Democratic understanding and civic values, including an understanding of national identity; constitutional heritage; and an individual's civic values, rights, and responsibilities

3. Skills attainment and social participation, including basic study skills, critical thinking skills, and participation skills that are essential for effective citizenship

(cf. 6141 - Curriculum Development and Evaluation)

(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)

(cf. 6142.4 - Service Learning/Community Service Classes)

The district's history-social science curriculum shall include a multicultural education component which is designed to teach students to respect and appreciate cultural diversity and different points of view while also developing their understanding of commonalities and collective experiences. The curriculum shall reflect the experiences of men and women and of various cultural, ethnic, racial, religious, and social groups and their contributions to the history, life, and culture of the local community, California, the United States, and other nations.

(cf. 6115 - Ceremonies and Observances)

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)

The Board shall adopt standards-aligned instructional materials for history-social science in accordance with applicable law, Board policy, and administrative regulation. In addition, teachers are encouraged to supplement the curriculum through the use of biographies, original documents, diaries, letters, legends, speeches, other narrative artifacts, and literature from and about the period being studied.

(cf. 0400 - District Technology Plan)

(cf. 1312.2 - Complaints Concerning Instructional Materials)

(cf. 6161 - Equipment, Books and Materials)

(cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)

(cf. 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials)

(cf. 6162.6 - Use of Copyrighted Materials)

(cf. 6163.1 - Library Media Centers)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide a standards-based professional development program designed to increase teachers' knowledge of adopted instructional materials and instructional strategies for teaching history-social science.

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

The Superintendent or designee shall regularly evaluate and report to the Board regarding the implementation and effectiveness of the history-social science curriculum at each grade level, including, but not limited to, the extent to which the program is aligned with state standards, any applicable student assessment results, and feedback from students, parents/guardians, and staff regarding the program.

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

(cf. 6162.51 - Standardized Testing and Reporting Program)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 33540 History-social science curriculum framework
- 51204 Course of study designed for student's needs
- 51204.5 History of California; contributions of men, women, and ethnic groups
- 51210 Course of study, grades 1-6
- 51220 Course of study, grades 7-12
- 51220.2 Instruction in legal system; teen or peer court programs
- 51221 Social science course of study, inclusion of instruction in use of natural resources
- 51221.3-51221.4 Instruction on World War II and Vietnam War; use of oral histories
- 51225.3 High school graduation requirements
- 60040-60051 Criteria for instructional materials
- 60119 Public hearing on the sufficiency of instructional materials
- 60200-60206 Instructional materials, grades K-8
- 60400-60411 Instructional materials, grades 9-12
- 60420-60424 Instructional Materials Funding Realignment Program
- 60640-60649 Standardized Testing and Reporting Program
- 99200-99206 Subject matter projects

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

History-Social Science Framework for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, rev. 2005

Model Curriculum for Human Rights and Genocide, 2000

History-Social Science Content Standards for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve, October 1998

WEB SITES

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

California Council for the Humanities: <http://www.calhum.org>

California Council for the Social Studies: <http://www.ccss.org>

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

California History-Social Science Course Models: <http://www.history.ctaponline.org>

California Subject Matter Project: <http://csmp.ucop.edu>

National Association for Multicultural Education: <http://www.nameorg.org>

National Council for History Education: <http://www.nche.net>

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COURSES OF STUDY

Note: Education Code requirements for courses of study are generally classified into requirements for grades 1-6 and 7-12. Therefore, K-8 districts and high school districts need to collaborate with appropriate area districts to ensure that all required courses are offered sometime during grades 7-12.

The district should select the sections below ("Grades 1-6" and/or "Grades 7-12") that correspond with the grade levels it offers.

Grades 1-6

Note: Items #1-7 below are areas of study required by law for grades 1-6. The Governing Board may add other studies to this list.

Courses of study for grades 1-6 shall include the following:

(cf. 6146.5 - Elementary/Middle School Graduation Requirements)

1. English: knowledge and appreciation of language and literature, and the skills of speaking, reading, listening, spelling, handwriting, and composition (Education Code 51210)

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)

2. Mathematics: concepts, operational skills, and problem solving (Education Code 51210)

(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

3. Social sciences: age-appropriate instruction drawing upon the disciplines of anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology, and sociology, including instruction in: (Education Code 51210)

Note: SB 48 (Ch. 81, Statutes of 2011) amended Education Code 51204.5 and 60040 to require that social science instruction and instructional materials include the role and contributions of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender Americans, persons with disabilities, European Americans, and members of other cultural groups to the development of California and the United States, as provided in #a below. SB 48 also updated the terminology for various ethnic/racial groups.

- a. The history, resources, development, and government of California and the United States

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)

~~Instruction shall include the early history of California and a study of the role and contributions of both men and women, Native Americans, African Americans, Mexican Americans, Asian Americans, Pacific Islanders, European Americans, lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender Americans, persons with disabilities, and members of other ethnic and cultural groups to the economic, political, and social development of California and the United States, with particular emphasis on portraying the role of these groups in contemporary society. (Education Code 51204.5, 60040)~~

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)

(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)

(cf. 6142.94 - History-Social Science Instruction)

- b. The development of the American economic system, including the role of the entrepreneur and labor
- c. The relations of persons to their human and natural environments
- d. Eastern and western cultures and civilizations
- e. Contemporary issues
- f. The wise use of natural resources

(cf. 6142.5 - Environmental Education)

- 4. Science: biological and physical aspects, with emphasis on experimental inquiry and the place of humans in ecological systems (Education Code 51210)

(cf. 6142.93 - Science Instruction)

- 5. Visual and performing arts: instruction in dance, music, theatre, and visual arts aimed at developing aesthetic appreciation and creative expression (Education Code 51210)

(cf. 6142.6 - Visual and Performing Arts Education)

Note: Education Code 51202 requires that certain health-related topics be addressed at "the appropriate elementary and secondary grade levels" during grades K-12. Districts may revise #6a-e below to indicate topics that will be addressed in grades K-6.

Education Code 51203 requires the Board to adopt regulations specifying the grade(s) and course(s) in which drug and alcohol education will be given. For language fulfilling this mandate, see AR 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs.

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)

6. Health: principles and practices of individual, family, and community health, including instruction at the appropriate grade levels and subject areas in: (Education Code 51202, 51210)

- a. Personal and public safety and accident prevention, including instruction in emergency first aid, hemorrhage control, treatment for poisoning, resuscitation techniques, and cardiopulmonary resuscitation when appropriate equipment is available

(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)

- b. Fire prevention
- c. The protection and conservation of resources, including the necessity for the protection of the environment
- d. Venereal disease

(cf. 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction)

- e. The effects of alcohol, narcotics, drugs, and tobacco upon the human body

(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)

Note: The following item is optional pursuant to Education Code 51202.

- f. Violence as a public health issue

7. Physical education, with emphasis on physical activities conducive to health and vigor of body and mind (Education Code 51210)

(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)

Note: Item #8 below is optional. Education Code 51210.5 authorizes age-appropriate instruction on violence awareness and prevention within any area of study listed in items #1-7 above. Pursuant to Education Code 51210.5, such instruction may include personal testimony in the form of oral or video histories that illustrate the economic and cultural effects of violence within a city, the state, and the country. See BP 6142.94 - History-Social Science Instruction.

8. Violence awareness and prevention

Note: Optional item #89 below is not required by state law but is a highly recommended component of school-to-career instruction.

8.9 Career awareness exploration

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)

(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)

Grades 7-12

Note: Items #1-11 below are areas of study required by law for grades 7-12. The Board may add other studies to this list.

Courses of study for grades 7-12 shall include the following:

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)
(cf. 6146.5 - Elementary/Middle School Graduation Requirements)
(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

1. English: knowledge and appreciation of literature, language, and composition, and the skills of reading, listening, and speaking (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)

2. Social sciences: age-appropriate instruction drawing upon the disciplines of anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology, and sociology, with instruction in: (Education Code 51220)

Note: SB 48 (Ch. 81, Statutes of 2011) amended Education Code 51204.5 to require that social science instruction include the role and contributions of lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender Americans, persons with disabilities, European Americans, and members of other cultural groups to the development of California and the United States. SB 48 also updated the terminology for various ethnic/racial groups.

- a. The history, resources, development, and government of California and the United States, including instruction in:

- (1) ~~The early history of California and a study of the role and contributions of both men and women, Native Americans, African Americans, Mexican Americans, Asian Americans, Pacific Islanders, European Americans, lesbian, gay, bisexual, and transgender Americans, persons with disabilities, and members of other ethnic and cultural groups to the economic, political, and social development of California and the United States, with particular emphasis on portraying the role of these groups in contemporary society (Education Code 51204.5)~~

Note: Education Code 51221.3 and 51221.4 encourage, but do not require, instruction on the topics described in optional items #2) and 3) subitems #2)-(4) below. These items may be modified or deleted to reflect district practice. AB 199 (Ch. 607, Statutes of 2011) amended Education Code 51221.3 to encourage social science instruction in grades 7-12 to include the role of Filipinos in World

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)

~~War II, including the contributions of Filipino American veterans who fought under the leadership of General Douglas MacArthur. For districts that choose to offer such instruction on World War II and/or the Vietnam War, the Legislature Education Code 51221.3 and 51221.4 encourages that a component be included drawn from personal testimony, especially in the form of oral or video history. If oral histories are used, they must conform to the requirements of Education Code 51221.3 and 51221.4. See BP 6142.94 History-Social Science Instruction~~

- ~~(2) World War II, including and the role of Americans and Filipinos Americans who served in the United States Army during that time in that war~~
- ~~(3) The Vietnam War, including the "Secret War" in Laos and role of Southeast Asians in that war~~
- ~~(4) The Bracero program, under which temporary contract laborers were imported pursuant to a 1942 agreement between the United States and Mexico~~

- b. The American legal system, the operation of the juvenile and adult criminal justice systems, and the rights and duties of citizens under the criminal and civil law and the state and federal constitutions

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that offer a teen court or peer court program

This course may include participation in a teen court or peer court program. (Education Code 51220.2)

(cf. 5138 - Conflict Resolution/Peer Mediation)

- c. The development of the American economic system, including the role of the entrepreneur and labor
- d. The relations of persons to their human and natural environments, including the wise use of natural resources (Education Code 51221)

(cf. 6142.5 - Environmental Education)

- e. Eastern and western cultures and civilizations

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 51220, instruction related to human rights issues, as provided in item #2f below, may include the study of the Armenian genocide. Education Code 51226.3 encourages the incorporation of oral testimony into instruction in human rights, including the Armenian, Cambodian, Darfur, and Rwandan genocides.

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)

- f. Human rights issues, with particular attention to the study of the inhumanity of genocide (which may include, but is not limited to, the Armenian, Cambodian, Darfur, and Rwandan genocides), slavery, and the Holocaust
- g. Contemporary issues

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)

(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)

(cf. 6142.94 - History-Social Science Instruction)

- 3. Foreign language(s): understanding, speaking, reading, and writing, beginning not later than grade 7 (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6142.2 - World/Foreign Language Instruction)

- 4. Physical education: with emphasis on physical activities conducive to health and vigor of body and mind, as required by Education Code 51222 (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)

- 5. Science: physical and biological aspects; emphasis on basic concepts, theories, and processes of scientific investigation and on the place of humans in ecological systems; appropriate applications of the interrelation and interdependence of the sciences (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6142.93 - Science Instruction)

- 6. Mathematics: mathematical understandings, operational skills, and problem-solving procedures; algebra (Education Code 51220, 51224.5)

(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

- 7. Visual and performing arts: dance, music, theatre, and visual arts, with emphasis upon development of aesthetic appreciation and creative expression (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6142.6 - Visual and Performing Arts Education)

- 8. Applied arts: consumer and homemaking education, industrial arts, general business education, or general agriculture (Education Code 51220)

- 9. Career technical/vocational-technical education: in the occupations and in the numbers appropriate to the personnel needs of the state and community served and relevant to the career desires and needs of students (Education Code 51220)

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)*(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)*

Note: Education Code 51934 requires that students be provided comprehensive sexual health and HIV/AIDS prevention instruction at least once in middle school or junior high school and at least once in high school. See BP/AR 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction for required components of such instruction.

Education Code 51934, as amended by AB 329 (Ch. 398, Statutes of 2015), requires that comprehensive sexual health education include information about sexual harassment, sexual assault, adolescent relationship abuse, intimate partner violence, and sex trafficking. In addition, pursuant to Education Code 51225.36, as added by SB 695 (Ch. 424, Statutes of 2015), districts that require a course in health education for high school graduation must include instruction in sexual harassment and violence with specified components.

10. **Comprehensive sexual health and HIV/AIDS prevention** (Education Code 51225.36, 51934)

(cf. 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction)

Note: Education Code 51202 requires that certain health-related topics be addressed at "the appropriate elementary and secondary grade levels" during grades K-12. Districts may revise item #11 below to indicate topics that will be addressed in grades 7-12.

Education Code 51203 requires the Board to adopt regulations specifying the grade(s) and course(s) in which drug and alcohol education will be given. For language fulfilling this mandate, see AR 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs.

11. **Personal and public safety, accident prevention and health, including instruction in:** (Education Code 51202, 51203)
- a. **Emergency first aid, hemorrhage control, treatment for poisoning, resuscitation techniques, and cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR)** when appropriate equipment is available

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts that require a course in health education for high school graduation; see BP 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements. Pursuant to Education Code 51225.6, as added by AB 1719 (Ch. 556, 2016), such districts are required to include instruction in performing compression-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), as described below, beginning in the 2018-19 school year. Such instruction must be based on national evidence-based emergency cardiovascular care guidelines for the performance of compression-only CPR, such as those developed by the American Heart Association or the American Red Cross, and must include hands-on practice in compression-only CPR. Before the start of the 2017-18 school year, the CDE is required to provide guidance on how to implement this requirement, including, but not limited to, who may provide instruction.

Education Code 51225.6, as added, also encourages districts to provide students with general information on the use and importance of an automated external defibrillator.

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)

Beginning in the 2018-19 school year, instruction shall be provided in compression-only CPR. Such instruction shall be based on national evidence-based guidelines and shall include hands-on practice in compression-only CPR. (Education Code 51225.6)

- b. Fire prevention
- c. The protection and conservation of resources, including the necessity for the protection of the environment
- d. Venereal disease
- e. The effects of alcohol, narcotics, drugs, and tobacco upon the human body and upon prenatal development

(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)
(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)

Note: The following two items are optional pursuant to Education Code 51202.

- f. Prenatal care
- g. Violence as a public health issue

Note: Item #12 is optional. Education Code 51220.3 authorizes age-appropriate instruction on violence awareness and prevention within any area of study listed above for grades 7-12.

12. Violence awareness and prevention

Note: Item #13 is optional. Education Code 51226.7, as added by AB 2016 (Ch. 327, Statutes of 2016), requires the SBE to adopt a model curriculum in ethnic studies by March 31, 2020 and encourages districts to offer a course in ethnic studies based on that model curriculum as an elective course in social sciences or English language arts in at least one grade level during grades 9-12. At their discretion, districts may choose to offer a course in ethnic studies prior to the availability of the model curriculum.

13. Ethnic studies

Note: Education Code 51220.5 requires the equivalent content of a one-semester course in parenting skills and education in grades 7 and/or 8, subject to funding which was not subsequently appropriated; thus the following paragraph and items #1-8 are currently optional.

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)

In addition, the course of study for grade 7 and/or 8 may include parenting skills and education, that address at least all of the following including, but not limited to, child growth and development, parental responsibilities, household budgeting, child abuse and neglect issues, personal hygiene, maintenance of healthy relationships, teen parenting issues, and self-esteem. (Education Code 51220.5)

1. Child growth and development
2. Parental responsibilities
3. Household budgeting
4. Child abuse and neglect issues
5. Personal hygiene
6. Maintenance of healthy relationships
7. Teen parenting issues
8. Self esteem

(cf. 5146 - Married/Pregnant/Parenting Students)

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts that maintain high schools.

High schools shall offer automobile driver education that includes instruction in: (Education Code 51220, 51220.1, 51220.4)

1. Vehicle Code provisions and other relevant state laws
2. Proper acceptance of personal responsibility in traffic
3. Appreciation of the causes, seriousness, and consequences of traffic accidents
4. Knowledge and attitudes necessary for the safe operation of motor vehicles
5. The safe operation of motorcycles
6. The dangers involved in consuming alcohol or drugs in connection with the operation of a motor vehicle

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)

7. The rights and duties of a motorist pertaining to pedestrians and the rights and duties of pedestrians pertaining to traffic laws and traffic safety

Certification of College Preparatory Courses

Note: The following optional section is for use by districts that maintain grades 9-12 and may be revised to reflect district practice. Among the criteria for admission to the University of California (UC) or California State University system is a requirement that students satisfactorily complete 15 units of specified courses ("a-g" courses). In order to qualify as an "a-g" course, the course must first be submitted to and approved by UC. The district or school should develop course descriptions using the templates provided by UC and submit them through UC's online system.

According to the Frequently Asked Questions on UC's web site, UC considers the principal to be the certifying agent of the school, although the district's curriculum coordinator or an assistant principal or head counselor from the school may be assigned this responsibility. The following paragraph may be revised to reflect the position in the district or school(s) that is responsible for submitting and updating "a-g" courses.

The Superintendent or designee shall identify courses in history-social science, English, mathematics, laboratory science, languages other than English, visual and performing arts, career technical education, and college preparatory electives that may qualify for designation as "a-g" college preparatory courses. He/she shall submit course information to the University of California (UC) including, but not necessarily limited to, the course title, subject area, grade level(s), unit value, a brief course description, prerequisites and co-requisites, texts and supplemental instructional materials used in the course, whether the school is seeking designation of the course as an honors course, and whether the course is classified as a career technical education or regional occupational program course. He/she also shall electronically submit updates to UC whenever course content changes or a course will not be offered in a particular year.

Notification to Students in Grades 9-12

Note: The following section is for use by districts that maintain grades 9-12.

At the beginning of each school year, the Superintendent or designee shall provide written notice to parents/guardians of students in grades 9-12 that, to the extent possible, shall not exceed one page in length and that includes all of the following: (Education Code 51229)

1. A brief explanation of the course requirements for admission to UC and the California State University (CSU)

Note: The UC maintains a searchable web site that lists certified "a-g" courses for all regular California public high schools; see the management resources in the accompanying Board policy.

COURSES OF STUDY (continued)

2. A list of the current UC and CSU web sites that help students and their families learn about college admission requirements and that list high school courses that have been certified by UC as satisfying the requirements for admission to UC and CSU
3. A brief description of what career technical education is, as defined by the California Department of Education (CDE)
4. The Internet address for the portion of the CDE web site where students can learn more about career technical education
5. Information about how students may meet with school counselors to help them choose courses that will meet college admission requirements and/or enroll in career technical education courses

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

(cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)

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Grades 1-6

Courses of study for grades 1 through 6 shall include the following:

(cf. 6146.5 - Elementary/Middle School Graduation Requirements)

1. **English: knowledge and appreciation of language and literature, and the skills of speaking, reading, listening, spelling, handwriting, and composition (Education Code 51210)**

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)

2. **Mathematics: concepts, operational skills and problem solving (Education Code 51210)**

(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

3. **Social sciences: age-appropriate instruction drawing upon the disciplines of anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology, and sociology, including instruction in: (Education Code 51210)**

a. **The history, resources, development, and government of California and the United States**

Instruction shall include the early history of California and a study of the role and contributions of men and women, black Americans, American Indians, Mexicans, Asians, Pacific Island people, and other ethnic groups to the economic, political, and social development of California and the United States, with particular emphasis on portraying the role of these groups in contemporary society. (Education Code 51204.5)

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)

(cf. 6141.6 - Multicultural Education)

b. **The development of the American economic system, including the role of the entrepreneur and labor**

c. **The relations of persons to their human and natural environments**

- d. Eastern and western cultures and civilizations
- e. Contemporary issues
- f. The wise use of natural resources

(cf. 6142.5 - Environmental Education)

4. Science: biological and physical aspects, with emphasis on experimental inquiry and the place of humans in ecological systems (Education Code 51210)

(cf. 6142.93 - Science Instruction)

5. Visual and performing arts: instruction in dance, music, theatre, and visual arts aimed at developing aesthetic appreciation and creative expression (Education Code 51210)

(cf. 6142.6 - Visual and Performing Arts Education)

6. Health: principles and practices of individual, family, and community health (Education Code 51210)

The adopted course of study shall provide instruction at the appropriate grade levels and subject areas in: (Education Code 51202)

a. Personal and public safety and accident prevention, including instruction in emergency first aid, hemorrhage control, treatment for poisoning, resuscitation techniques, and cardiopulmonary resuscitation when appropriate equipment is available

b. Fire prevention

c. The protection and conservation of resources, including the necessity for the protection of our environment

d. Venereal disease

(cf. 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction)

e. The effects of alcohol, narcotics, drugs, and tobacco upon the human body

(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)

7. Physical education, with emphasis on physical activities conducive to health and vigor of body and mind (Education Code 51210)

(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education)

8. Career awareness exploration

(cf. 6010 - Goals and Objectives)

(cf. 6030 - Integrated Academic and Vocational Instruction)

Grades 7-12

Courses of study for grades 7 through 12 shall include the following:

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

(cf. 6146.5 - Elementary/Middle School Graduation Requirements)

(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

1. English: knowledge and appreciation of literature, language and composition, and the skills of reading, listening, and speaking (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)

2. Social sciences: age-appropriate instruction drawing upon the disciplines of anthropology, economics, geography, history, political science, psychology and sociology, with instruction in: (Education Code 51220)

a. The history, resources, development, and government of California and the United States, including:

(1) Early California history, and the role and contributions of both men and women, black Americans, American Indians, Mexicans, Asians, Pacific Island people and other ethnic groups to the economic, political and social development of California and the nation, with particular emphasis on the role of these groups in contemporary society (Education Code 51204.5)

(2) World War II and the American role in that war and the Vietnam War, including the "Secret War" in Laos and role of Southeast Asians in that war

b. The American legal system, the operation of the juvenile and adult criminal justice systems, and the rights and duties of citizens under the criminal and civil law and the state and federal constitutions

This course may include participation in a teen court or peer court program. (Education Code 51220.2)

(cf. 5138 - Conflict Resolution/Peer Mediation)

c. The development of the American economic system, including the role of the entrepreneur and labor

d. The relations of persons to their human and natural environments, including the wise use of natural resources (Education Code 51221)

(cf. 6142.5 - Environmental Education)

e. Eastern and western cultures and civilizations

f. Human rights issues, with particular attention to the study of the inhumanity of genocide, slavery, and the Holocaust

g. Contemporary issues

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)

(cf. 6141.6 - Multicultural Education)

3. Foreign language(s): understanding, speaking, reading, and writing, beginning not later than grade 7 (Education Code 51220)

4. Physical education: with emphasis on physical activities conducive to health and vigor of body and mind, as required by Education Code 51222 (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education)

5. Science: physical and biological aspects; emphasis on basic concepts, theories, and processes of scientific investigation and on the place of humans in ecological systems; appropriate applications of the interrelation and interdependence of the sciences (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6142.93 - Science Instruction)

6. Mathematics: mathematical understandings, operational skills and problem-solving procedures; algebra (Education Code 51220, 51224.5)

(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

7. Visual and performing arts: dance, music, theatre, and visual arts, with emphasis upon development of aesthetic appreciation and creative expression (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6142.6 - Visual and Performing Arts Education)

8. Applied arts: consumer and homemaking education, industrial arts, general business education, or general agriculture (Education Code 51220)

9. Career technical/vocational-technical education: in the occupations and in the numbers appropriate to the personnel needs of the state and community served and relevant to the career desires and needs of students (Education Code 51220)

(cf. 6030 - Integrated Academic and Vocational Instruction)
(cf. 6178 - Vocational Education)

10. HIV/AIDS prevention (Education Code 51934)

(cf. 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction)

11. Personal and public safety, accident prevention and health, including instruction in:
(Education Code 51202, 51203)

- a. Emergency first aid, hemorrhage control, treatment for poisoning, resuscitation techniques, and cardiopulmonary resuscitation when appropriate equipment is available
- b. Fire prevention
- c. The protection and conservation of resources, including the necessity for the protection of our environment
- d. Venereal disease
- e. The effects of alcohol, narcotics, drugs, and tobacco upon the human body and upon prenatal development
(cf. 5131.6 - Alcohol and Other Drugs)
- f. Prenatal care
- g. Violence as a public health issue

In addition, the course of study for grade 7 and/or 8 may include parenting skills and education that address at least all of the following: (Education Code 51220.5)

1. Child growth and development
2. Parental responsibilities
3. Household budgeting
4. Child abuse and neglect issues
5. Personal hygiene
6. Maintenance of healthy relationships
7. Teen parenting issues

8. Self-esteem

(cf. 5146 - Married/Pregnant/Parenting Students)

High schools shall offer automobile driver education that includes instruction in:

- 1. Vehicle Code provisions and other relevant state laws (Education Code 51220)**
- 2. Proper acceptance of personal responsibility in traffic (Education Code 51220)**
- 3. Appreciation of the causes, seriousness and consequences of traffic accidents (Education Code 51220)**
- 4. Knowledge and attitudes necessary for the safe operation of motor vehicles (Education Code 51220)**
- 5. The safe operation of motorcycles (Education Code 51220)**
- 6. The dangers involved in consuming alcohol or drugs in connection with the operation of a motor vehicle (Education Code 51220.1)**
- 7. The rights and duties of a motorist pertaining to pedestrians and the rights and duties of pedestrians pertaining to traffic laws and traffic safety (Education Code 51220.4)**

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CSBA Sample Board Policy

Instruction

BP 6144(a)

CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES

Note: The following optional policy may be revised to reflect district practice.

The Governing Board recognizes that the district's educational program may sometimes include instruction related to controversial issues that may arouse strong reactions based on personal values and beliefs, political philosophy, culture, religion, or other influences. Instruction concerning such topics shall be relevant to the adopted course of study and curricular goals and should be designed to develop students' critical thinking skills, ability to discriminate between fact and opinion, respect for others, and understanding and tolerance of diverse points of view.

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)
(cf. 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction)
(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)
(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)
(cf. 6142.94 - History-Social Science Instruction)
(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

Note: ~~District~~Recommended criteria for determining the appropriateness of supplementary instructional materials and/or the circumstances under which materials should be submitted to the principal or other designee for review prior to their use (e.g., when materials relate to controversial issues or are presented in a controversial manner or context, such as when materials contain nudity, sexual content, graphic violence, or extensive profanity) are addressed in BP 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials.

The Board expects administrators and teachers to exercise professional judgment when deciding whether or not a particular issue is suitable for study or discussion. They shall consult with the Superintendent or designee as necessary to determine the appropriateness of the subject matter, guest speakers, and/or related instructional materials or resources.

(cf. 6141 - Curriculum Development and Evaluation)
(cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)
(cf. 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials)

When providing instruction related to a controversial issue, the following guidelines shall apply:

1. The topic shall be suitable to the age and maturity of the students.
2. Instruction shall be presented in a balanced manner, addressing all sides of the issue without bias or prejudice and without promoting any particular point of view.

CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES (continued)

3. ~~The teacher may express a personal opinion provided he/she identifies it as a personal opinion and clarifies that he/she is not speaking on behalf of the school or district. The teacher shall not express an opinion for the purpose of persuading students to his/her point of view. In the classroom, teachers act on behalf of the district and are expected to follow the adopted curriculum. In leading or guiding class discussions about issues that may be controversial, a teacher may not advocate his/her personal opinion or viewpoint. When necessary, the Superintendent or designee may instruct teachers to refrain from sharing personal views in the classroom on controversial topics.~~

Note: The First Amendment of the U.S. Constitution and Article 1, Section 2 of the California Constitution guarantee freedom of speech, including freedom of speech for students. However, under court decisions and Education Code 48950, discipline may be imposed upon students for speech or conduct that constitutes harassment, threats, or intimidation. See BP 5145.2 - Freedom of Speech/Expression.

4. ~~No student's viewpoint shall be suppressed, provided such expression is not malicious or abusive toward others. Students shall be assured of their right to form and express an opinion without jeopardizing their relationship with the teacher or school grades or being subject to discrimination, retaliation, or discipline, provided the viewpoint does not constitute harassment, threats, intimidation, or bullying or is otherwise unlawful.~~

(cf. 5022 - Student and Family Privacy Rights)
(cf. 5121 - Grades/Evaluation of Student Achievement)
(cf. 5145.2 - Freedom of Speech/Expression)
(cf. 6145.5 - Student Organizations and Equal Access)

5. Students shall be informed of conduct expected during such instruction and the importance of being courteous and respectful of the opinions of others.

(cf. 5131 - Conduct)
(cf. 5131.2 - Bullying)
(cf. 5137 - Positive School Climate)

6. Adequate factual information shall be provided to help students objectively analyze and evaluate the issue and draw their own conclusions.

7. The instruction shall not reflect adversely upon persons because of their race, ethnicity, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, disability, religion, or any other basis prohibited by law.

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)
(cf. 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment)
(cf. 5145.9 - Hate-Motivated Behavior)

CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES (continued)

8. The subject matter of the instruction shall not otherwise be prohibited by state or federal law.

When a guest speaker is invited to make a presentation related to a controversial issue, the Board requires that he/she be notified Superintendent or designee shall notify him/her of this policy and the expectations and goals regarding the instruction. If the guest speaker is presenting only one point of view on an issue, the teacher shall be responsible for ensuring that students also receive information on opposing viewpoints.

(cf. 6145.8 - Assemblies and Special Events)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 51938, districts must notify parents/guardians of any sexual health and HIV/AIDS prevention instruction and of the opportunity to request that their child not receive the instruction; see BP/AR 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction. The following optional paragraph provides that, at the discretion of the teacher or other designated staff, parents/guardians may be notified and asked to give consent for their child's participation in instruction related to other controversial issues. The following optional paragraph permits parents/guardians to excuse their child from certain types of instruction. For example, pursuant to Education Code 51938, districts must notify parents/guardians of the opportunity to request that their child not receive comprehensive sexual health and HIV prevention instruction. Districts must use a "passive consent" or "opt out" process in which the student receives the instruction unless the parent/guardian notifies the district in writing that the student should not receive the instruction; see BP/AR 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction. In addition, Education Code 51240 provides that parents/guardians may request in writing that their child be excused from any part of health instruction that conflicts with their religious training or beliefs; see AR 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education. Pursuant to Education Code 51513, districts may not administer exams, surveys, or questionnaires containing questions about a student's or his/her family's personal beliefs or practices in sex, family life, morality, and religion unless the student's parent/guardian has provided prior written consent. See AR 5022 - Student and Family Privacy Rights.

When required by law, such as in regards to comprehensive sexual health and HIV prevention education, or otherwise deemed appropriate by the teacher or administrator, parents/guardians shall be notified prior to instruction related to any controversial issue and parent/guardian consent shall be obtained for student participation that they may request in writing that their child be excused from the instruction. Students whose parents/guardians decline such instruction may be offered the option to participate in an alternative activity of similar educational value.

A student or parent/guardian with concerns regarding instruction about controversial issues may communicate directly with the teacher or principal and/or use shall be directed to appropriate district complaint procedures.

(cf. 1312.1 - Complaints Concerning District Employees)

(cf. 1312.2 - Complaints Concerning Instructional Materials)

CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES (continued)

School Library Materials

The Assistant Superintendent, principals, and librarian in the district believe that library materials should be selected to implement the curriculum and to provide books and other materials which are most appropriate for the growth and development of our students.

We endorse the principles set forth in the School Library Bill of Rights, as follows:

We believe that the library collection be developed systematically, so that it is well-rounded and balanced in its coverage of subjects, types of materials, and variety of content. Materials should be reliable and authoritative and should be selected in terms of their overall value and permanent worth. Reputable, unbiased, professionally prepared selection aids, such as the Standard Junior High School Catalog, the Children's Catalog, School Library Journal, Booklist, and Hornbook are consulted as guides.

In the event of criticism of any material by individuals or groups, the principal and/or librarian will listen to the complaint and request the complainant to supply the information requested on the form provided by the district for this purpose.

The controversial material will be removed from circulation until the principal and librarian can read and discuss it. A report will be made and a verbal or written report sent to the complainant. Material rejected shall be removed from the library collection.

(cf. 1312.2 Complaints Concerning Instructional Materials)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

~~220 Prohibition of discrimination~~

~~48950 Freedom of speech~~

~~51240 Excuse from health instruction due to religious beliefs~~

~~51500 Prohibited instruction or activity~~

~~51510 Prohibited study or supplemental materials~~

~~51511 Religious matters properly included in courses of study~~

~~51513 Materials containing questions about beliefs or practices~~

~~51530 Prohibition and definition regarding advocating or teaching communism with intent to indoctrinate~~

~~51930-51939 California Healthy Youth Act; comprehensive sexual health and HIV prevention education~~

~~51933 Sex education courses~~

~~51938 Right of parent/guardian to excuse child from sexual health instruction~~

~~60040 Portrayal of cultural and racial diversity~~

~~60044 Prohibited instructional materials~~

~~60045 Criteria for instructional materials~~

COURT DECISIONS

~~Johnson v. Poway Unified School District, (2011) 658 F.3d 954 (9th Cir.)~~

~~Maver v. Monroe County Community School Corporation, (2007) 474 F.3d 477 (7th Cir.)~~

~~Garcetti v. Ceballos, (2006) 547 U.S. 410~~

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EDUCATION CODE

51510 Prohibited study or supplemental materials

51511 Religious matters properly included in courses of study

51530 Prohibition and definition (re advocating or teaching communism with the intent to indoctrinate, etc.)

51933 Sex education courses

60040 Cultural and racial diversity of society

Policy

adopted: October 15, 1986

CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Antelope, California

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Instruction

BP 6146.1(a)

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Note: The following policy is for use by districts that maintain grades 9-12.

Education Code 60851.5, ~~as added by SB 172 (Ch. 572, Statutes of 2015)~~ provides that the administration of the California High School Exit Examination and the requirement that each student completing grade 12 successfully pass the exam as a condition of receiving a diploma or graduating from high school are suspended for the 2015-16, 2016-17, and 2017-18 school years.

The Governing Board desires to prepare all students to obtain a high school diploma to enable them to take advantage of opportunities for postsecondary education and employment.

(cf. 5127 - Graduation Ceremonies and Activities)

(cf. 5147 - Dropout Prevention)

~~*(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)*~~

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

(cf. 6146.3 - Reciprocity of Academic Credit)

Course Requirements

Note: Education Code 51225.3 specifies the courses that a student is required to complete in order to graduate from high school as listed in items #1-6 below.

Pursuant to Education Code 66204, each district that maintains a high school also is required to develop a process for submitting courses to the University of California to ensure that they align with the "a-g" course requirements for college admission.

To obtain a high school diploma, students shall complete at least the following courses in grades 9-12, with each course being one year unless otherwise specified:

1. ~~Three~~ Four courses in English (Education Code 51225.3)

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)

~~Note: Education Code 51224.5 provides that, as part of the mathematics requirement, students must complete coursework at least equivalent to state content standards for Algebra I or, as amended by AB 220 (Ch. 165, Statutes of 2015), for Mathematics I. This requirement applies to all students, including students in alternative or continuing education, adult education, or special education. The State Board of Education may grant waivers for students on an individual basis.~~

2. ~~Two~~ Three courses in mathematics (Education Code 51225.3)

At least one mathematics course, or a combination of the two mathematics courses, shall meet or exceed state academic content standards for Algebra I or Mathematics I.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (continued)

Completion of such coursework prior to grade 9 shall satisfy the Algebra I or Mathematics I requirement, but shall not exempt a student from the requirement to complete ~~two~~ three mathematics courses in grades 9-12. (Education Code 51224.5)

Note: The following optional paragraph is for use only by districts that require more than two courses in mathematics for graduation and should be deleted by other districts. Pursuant to Education Code 51225.3 and 51225.35, ~~as added by AB 1764 (Ch. 888, Statutes of 2014)~~ a district that requires more than two courses in mathematics may award up to one mathematics course credit for an approved computer science course, as defined. Any such course must have been approved by the University of California as a "category c" (mathematics) course in the university's "a-g" course admission criteria; see BP 6143 - Courses of Study.

Students may be awarded up to one mathematics course credit for successful completion of an approved computer science course that is classified as a "category c" course based on the "a-g" course requirements for college admission. (Education Code 51225.3, 51225.35)

(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

(cf. 6152.1 - Placement in Mathematics Courses)

3. Two courses in science, including biological and physical sciences (Education Code 51225.3)

(cf. 6142.93 - Science Instruction)

4. Three courses in social studies, including United States history and geography; world history, culture, and geography; a one-semester year course in American government and civics; and a one-semester course in economics (Education Code 51225.3)

(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)

(cf. 6142.94 - History-Social Science Instruction)

Note: Education Code 51225.3 authorizes the Board to include a course in career technical education (CTE) as an alternative to the visual or performing arts or foreign language course requirement for high school graduation. If the Board chooses to do so, it must, at a regular Board meeting prior to allowing a CTE course as an alternative, notify parents/guardians, students, teachers, and the public of information specified in Education Code 51225.3. In addition, the information must be included in the district's annual notification to parents/guardians pursuant to Education Code 48980; see the accompanying administrative regulation. Districts that do not allow this alternative course requirement should delete references to CTE in item #5 below.

The CTE course may be offered through different means, including a district-operated program, regional occupational center or program, or county office of education program pursuant to a joint powers agreement. See BP/AR 6178 - Career Technical Education and BP 6178.2 - Regional Occupational Center/Program for program details pertaining to CTE.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (continued)

5. One course in visual or performing arts, foreign language, including American Sign Language, or career technical education (CTE) (Education Code 51225.3)

To be counted towards meeting graduation requirements, a CTE course shall be aligned to the CTE model curriculum standards and framework adopted by the State Board of Education.

(cf. 6142.2 - World/Foreign Language Instruction)
(cf. 6142.6 - Visual and Performing Arts Education)
(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)
(cf. 6178.2 - Regional Occupational Center/Program)

6. Two courses in physical education, unless the student has been otherwise exempted pursuant to other sections of the Education Code (Education Code 51225.3)

(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 51225.3, the Board may prescribe additional coursework (e.g., health education, service learning) or other requirements (e.g., portfolios or senior projects) that district students must complete in order to obtain a diploma. If the Board does so, such courses or projects should be listed below.

If the district requires a course in health education for graduation, Education Code 51225.36, as added by SB 695 (Ch. 424, Statutes of 2015), requires that the district include instruction in sexual harassment and violence, including, but not limited to, information on the affirmative consent standard pursuant to Education Code 67386. Also see AR 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction.

In addition, pursuant to Education Code 51225.6, as added by AB 1719 (Ch. 556, Statutes of 2016), a district that requires a course in health education for graduation is required to include instruction in compression-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation beginning in the 2018-19 school year. See AR 6143 - Courses of Study

7. One semester in Consumer Finance (5 units)
8. One semester in Computer Applications (5 units)
9. One semester in CTE/Technology (5 units)
10. Elective credits (85 credits)

(cf. 6142.1 - Sexual Health and HIV/AIDS Prevention Instruction)
(cf. 6142.4 - Service Learning/Community Service Classes)
(cf. 6142.8 - Comprehensive Health Education)

Note: Education Code 51225.3 requires the Board to adopt alternative means for students to complete the prescribed course of study; see BP/AR 6146.11 - Alternative Credits Toward Graduation.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (continued)

Because the prescribed course of study may not accommodate the needs of some students, the Board shall provide alternative means for the completion of prescribed courses in accordance with law.

(cf. 6146.11 - Alternative Credits Toward Graduation)

(cf. 6146.2 - Certificate of Proficiency/High School Equivalency)

(cf. 6146.4 - Differential Graduation and Competency Standards for Students with Disabilities)

Exemptions and Waivers

Note: Education Code 51225.1 requires the district to exempt from any district-adopted graduation requirements a foster youth or homeless student who transfers into the district or between district high schools any time after completing his/her second year of high school, unless the Superintendent or designee makes a finding that the youth is reasonably able to complete the requirements in time to graduate by the end of his/her fourth year of high school; see BE/AR 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth and As amended by AB 1806 (Ch. 767, Statutes of 2014), Education Code 51225.1 provides that a homeless student who transfers any time after completing his/her second year of high school is exempted from locally established high school graduation requirements in the same manner as a foster youth who transfers in the same grades; see BE/AR 6173 - Education for Homeless Children. AB 2306 (Ch. 464, Statutes of 2016) amends Education Code 51225.1 to extend this exemption and related requirements to a student transferring from a juvenile court school any time after his/her second year of high school; see AR 6173.3 - Education for Juvenile Court School Students.

Pursuant to Education Code 51225.1, within 30 calendar days of the transfer of a foster youth or homeless student, or former juvenile court school student, the district is required to provide notice to the student of the availability of the exemption and whether the student qualifies for it. As amended by AB 1166 (Ch. 171, Statutes of 2015), Education Code 51225.1 provides that if the district fails to provide that notification, the student will be eligible for the exemption once notified, even if the notification is received after the termination of the court's jurisdiction over the foster youth or former juvenile court school student or after the homeless student ceases to be homeless.

Education Code 51225.1 also provides that, if an exempted student completes the statewide coursework requirements before the end of his/her fourth year of high school, the district or a district school must not require or request that he/she graduate before the end of his/her fourth year of high school.

Any complaint alleging the district's failure to comply with the requirements of Education Code 51225.1 may be filed using the district's uniform complaint procedures pursuant to 5 CCR 4600-4687; see BE/AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures.

The Superintendent or designee shall exempt or waive specific course requirements for foster youth, homeless students, and children of military families in accordance with Education Code 51225.1 and 49701. A foster youth, homeless student, or former juvenile court school student who transfers into the district any time after completing his/her second year of high school shall be required to complete all graduation requirements specified in Education Code 51225.3 but shall be exempt from any additional district-adopted graduation requirements; unless the Superintendent or designee makes a finding that

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (continued)

the student is reasonably able to complete the requirements in time to graduate by the end of his/her fourth year of high school. Within 30 days of the transfer, any such student shall be notified of the availability of the exemption and whether he/she qualifies for it. (Education Code 51225.1)

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

(cf. 6173 - Education for Homeless Children)

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

(cf. 6173.3 - Education for Juvenile Court School Students)

Note: Education Code 49701 requires district officials to help facilitate the on-time graduation of children of military families by waiving specific course requirements for graduation if the student has satisfactorily completed similar coursework in another district. If the district does not grant such a waiver, then "best efforts" must be used to provide the student with alternative means to acquire the required coursework so that he/she can graduate on time. See BP/AR 6173:2 - Education of Children of Military Families for additional language implementing this requirement

In addition, the Superintendent or designee shall facilitate the on-time graduation of children of military families by waiving specific course requirements for graduation if the student has satisfactorily completed similar coursework in another district. (Education Code 49701)

(cf. 6173.2 - Education for Children of Military Families)

Retroactive Diplomas

Note: Education Code 60851.6, as added by SB 172 (Ch. 572, Statutes of 2015), requires districts, until July 31, 2018, to grant a diploma to any student who completed grade 12 in the 2003-04 school year or a subsequent school year and has met all applicable graduation requirements other than the passage of the high school exit examination.

Until July 31, 2018, any student who completed grade 12 in the 2003-04 school year or a subsequent school year and has met all applicable graduation requirements other than the passage of the high school exit examination shall be granted a high school diploma. (Education Code 60851.6)

Note: The remainder of this section is optional.

The district may retroactively grant a high school diploma to a former student who was interned by order of the federal government during World War II or who is an honorably discharged veteran of World War II, the Korean War, or the Vietnam War, provided that he/she was enrolled in a district school immediately preceding the internment or military service and he/she did not receive a diploma because his/her education was interrupted due to

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS (continued)

the internment or military service. A deceased former student who satisfies these conditions may be granted a retroactive diploma to be received by his/her next of kin. (Education Code 51430)

In addition, the district may grant a diploma to a veteran who entered the military service of the United States while he/she was a district student in grade 12 and who had completed the first half of the work required for grade 12. (Education Code 51440)

*Legal Reference:*EDUCATION CODE

- 47612 Enrollment in charter school
- 48200 Compulsory attendance
- 48412 Certificate of proficiency
- 48430 Continuation education schools and classes
- 48645.5 Acceptance of coursework
- 48980 Required notification at beginning of term
- 49701 Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children
- 51224 Skills and knowledge required for adult life
- 51224.5 Algebra instruction
- 51225.1 Exemption from district graduation requirements
- 51225.2 Pupil in foster care defined; acceptance of coursework, credits, retaking of course
- 51225.3 High school graduation
- 51225.35 Mathematics course requirements; computer science
- 51225.36 Instruction in sexual harassment and violence; districts that require health education for graduation
- 51225.5 Honorary diplomas; foreign exchange students
- ~~51225.6 Compression-only cardiopulmonary resuscitation~~
- 51228 Graduation requirements
- 51240-51246 Exemptions from requirements
- 51250-51251 Assistance to military dependents
- 51410-51412 Diplomas
- 51420-51427 High school equivalency certificates
- 51430 Retroactive high school diplomas
- 51440 Retroactive high school diplomas
- 51450-51455 Golden State Seal Merit Diploma
- 51745 Independent study restrictions
- 56390-56392 Recognition for educational achievement, special education
- 60851.5 Suspension of high school exit examination
- 60851.6 Retroactive diploma; completion of all graduation requirements except high school exit examination
- 66204 Certification of high school courses as meeting university admissions criteria
- 67386 Student safety; affirmative consent standard
- CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5
- 1600-1651 Graduation of students from grade 12 and credit toward graduation
- ~~4600-4687 Uniform complaint procedures~~
- COURT DECISIONS
- O'Connell v. Superior Court (Valenzuela), (2006) 141 Cal.App.4th 1452

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Management Resources:

WEB SITES

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

California Department of Education, High School: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ci/gs/hs>

University of California, List of Approved a-g Courses:

<http://www.universityofcalifornia.edu/admissions/freshman/requirements>

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High School Graduation Requirements

BP 6146.1

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Cautionary Notice: As added and amended by SBX3 4 (Ch. 12, Third Extraordinary Session, Statutes of 2009), ABX4 2 (Ch. 2, Fourth Extraordinary Session, Statutes of 2009), and SB 70 (Ch. 7, Statutes of 2011), Education Code 42605 grants districts flexibility in "Tier 3" categorical programs and provides that districts are deemed in compliance with the program and funding requirements for these programs for the 2008-09 through 2014-15 fiscal years. As a result of this flexibility, the district may choose to temporarily suspend certain provisions of the following policy or administrative regulation that reflect those requirements. However, this flexibility does not affect or alter any existing contract or bargaining agreement that the district may have in place. Thus, districts should examine the terms of those contracts and agreements and consult with district legal counsel for additional guidance. Also see BP 2210 - Administrative Discretion Regarding Board Policy.

The Governing Board desires to prepare all students to obtain a high school diploma to enable them to take advantage of opportunities for postsecondary education and employment.

(cf. 5127 - Graduation Ceremonies and Activities)

(cf. 5147 - Dropout Prevention)

(cf. 5149 - At-Risk Students)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

(cf. 6146.3 - Reciprocity of Academic Credit)

Course Requirements

To obtain a high school diploma, students shall complete at least the following courses in grades 9-12, with each course being one year unless otherwise specified:

1. Three courses in English (Education Code 51225.3)

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)

2. Two courses in mathematics (Education Code 51225.3)

At least one mathematics course, or a combination of the two mathematics courses required for completion in grades 9-12, shall meet or exceed state academic content standards for Algebra I. (Education Code 51224.5)

Completion, prior to grade 9, of algebra coursework that meets or exceeds state academic content standards shall satisfy the algebra coursework requirement, but

shall not exempt a student from the requirement to complete two mathematics courses in grades 9-12. (Education Code 51224.5)

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)
(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

3. Two courses in science, including biological and physical sciences (Education Code 51225.3)

(cf. 6142.93 - Science Instruction)

4. Three courses in social studies, including United States history and geography; world history, culture, and geography; a one-semester course in American government and civics; and a one-semester course in economics (Education Code 51225.3)

(cf. 6142.3 - Civic Education)
(cf. 6142.93 - History-Social Science Instruction)

5. One course in visual or performing arts, foreign language, including American Sign Language, or career technical education (Education Code 51225.3)

To be counted towards meeting graduation requirements, a course in career technical education shall be aligned to the career technical model curriculum standards and framework adopted by the State Board of Education.

(cf. 6142.2 - World/Foreign Language Instruction)
(cf. 6142.6 - Visual and Performing Arts Education)
(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)
(cf. 6178.2 - Regional Occupational Center/Program)

6. Two courses in physical education, unless the student has been otherwise exempted pursuant to other sections of the Education Code (Education Code 51225.3)

(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education and Activity)

7. Four courses - Advocacy (8 units)
8. One Course - Community Service (2 units)
9. Career Technical Education (10 units)
10. Health/Safety (5 units)
11. Consumer Finance (5 units)
12. Elective Credits (60 units)

(cf. 6142.4 - Service Learning/Community Service Classes)

Because the prescribed course of study may not accommodate the needs of some students, the Board shall provide alternative means for the completion of prescribed courses in accordance with law.

(cf. 6146.11 - Alternative Credits Toward Graduation)
(cf. 6146.2 - Certificate of Proficiency/High School Equivalency)

The Superintendent or designee shall exempt or waive specific course requirements for foster youth or children of military families in accordance with Education Code 51225.3 and 49701.

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)
(cf. 6173.2 - Education for Children of Military Families)

High School Exit Examination

As a condition of high school graduation, each student completing grade 12 shall have successfully passed the state exit examination in language arts and mathematics unless he/she receives a waiver or exemption. (Education Code 60851, 60859)

(cf. 6146.4 - Differential Graduation and Competency Standards for Students with Disabilities)
(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)
(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

Supplemental instruction shall be offered to any student in grade 7-12 who does not demonstrate "sufficient progress," as defined in BP 6179 - Supplemental Instruction, toward passing the exit exam. (Education Code 37252, 60851)

(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)
(cf. 6176 - Weekend/Saturday Classes)
(cf. 6177 - Summer School)
(cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)

Students who have not passed one or both parts of the exit exam by the end of grade 12 shall have the opportunity to receive intensive instruction and services for up to two consecutive academic years after completion of grade 12 or until they have passed both parts of the exam, whichever comes first. (Education Code 37254)

(cf. 1312.4 - Williams Uniform Complaint Procedures)
(cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)

The Superintendent or designee shall regularly report to the Board regarding the number of students who have fulfilled all local and state graduation requirements except for the passage of the exit exam and the resources that have been offered to such students.

Certificates of Completion

Students who have passed all the district's course requirements by the end of their senior year but are unable to pass the high school exit exam shall receive a certificate of completion.

The Superintendent or designee shall regularly report to the Board regarding the number of students receiving a certificate of completion and the resources that have been offered to such students.

Retroactive Diplomas

The district may retroactively grant a high school diploma to a former student who was interned by order of the federal government during World War II or who is an honorably discharged veteran of World War II, the Korean War, or the Vietnam War, provided that he/she was enrolled in a district school immediately preceding the internment or military service and he/she did not receive a diploma because his/her education was interrupted due to the internment or military service. (Education Code 51430)

The district also may retroactively grant a diploma to a deceased former student who satisfies the above conditions. The diploma shall be received by the deceased student's next of kin. (Education Code 51430)

In addition, the district may grant a diploma to a veteran who entered the military service of the United States while he/she was a district student in grade 12 and who had completed the first half of the work required for grade 12. (Education Code 51440)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 35186 *Williams Uniform Complaint Procedures*
- 37252 *Supplemental instructional programs*
- 37254 *Supplemental instruction based on failure to pass exit exam by end of grade 12*
- 37254.1 *Required student participation in supplemental instruction*
- 47612 *Enrollment in charter school*
- 48200 *Compulsory attendance*
- 48412 *Certificate of proficiency*
- 48430 *Continuation education schools and classes*
- 48645.5 *Acceptance of coursework*
- 48980 *Required notification at beginning of term*
- 49701 *Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children*
- 51224 *Skills and knowledge required for adult life*
- 51224.5 *Algebra instruction*
- 51225.3 *Requirements for graduation*
- 51225.5 *Honorary diplomas; foreign exchange students*
- 51228 *Graduation requirements*
- 51240-51246 *Exemptions from requirements*
- 51250-51251 *Assistance to military dependents*
- 51410-51412 *Diplomas*
- 51420-51427 *High school equivalency certificates*
- 51450-51455 *Golden State Seal Merit Diploma*
- 51745 *Independent study restrictions*
- 52378 *Supplemental school counseling program*
- 56390-56392 *Recognition for educational achievement, special education*
- 60850-60859 *High school exit examination*
- 66204 *Certification of high school courses as meeting university admissions criteria*

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CSBA Sample Board Policy

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BP 6164.6(a)

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504

Note: The following policy and accompanying administrative regulation address the identification and education of students who may be eligible for services under the provisions of Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC 794; 34 CFR 104.1-104.39). Pursuant to 34 CFR 104.33, eligible students are entitled to a free appropriate public education (FAPE) which is designed to meet the student's individual educational needs as adequately as the needs of nondisabled students without disabilities are met. Enforcement of Section 504 requirements is the responsibility of the U.S. Department of Education's Office for Civil Rights (OCR), which monitors districts' policies, processes, and practices to ensure legal compliance.

All students may be identified as disabled a student with a disability under Section 504 even though they do not require services pursuant to he/she is not identified as a child with a disability under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) (20 USC 1400-1482). The identification of students eligible for special education and related services under the IDEA is addressed at BP/AR 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education.

The Governing Board believes that all children, including children with disabilities, should have an the opportunity to learn in a safe and nurturing environment. The district Superintendent or designee shall work to identify children with disabilities who reside within its the jurisdiction of the district in order to ensure that they receive educational and related services required by law.

Note: Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and its implementing regulations (34 CFR 104.1-104.39) prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability in district programs and activities; see BP 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities.

The Superintendent or designee shall provide identified-qualified students with disabilities with a free appropriate public education (FAPE), as defined under Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973. Such students shall receive regular or special education and related aids and services designed to meet their individual educational needs as adequately as the needs of nondisabled students without disabilities are met. (34 CFR 104.33)

- (cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)
- (cf. 0430 - Comprehensive Local Plan for Special Education)
- (cf. 5141.21 - Administering Medication and Monitoring Health Conditions)
- (cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)
- (cf. 5141.23 - Asthma Management)
- (cf. 5141.24 - Specialized Health Care Services)
- (cf. 5141.27 - Food Allergies/Special Dietary Needs)
- (cf. 5144.2 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process (Students with Disabilities))
- (cf. 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education)

Note: Pursuant to 34 CFR 104.33, as interpreted by OCR in its January 2013 Dear Colleague Letter, a district's responsibility under Section 504 requirements extends to providing students with disabilities equal opportunity to participate in extracurricular athletics and other nonacademic programs or activities that constitute the overall educational program.

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504 (continued)

In addition, qualified students with disabilities shall be provided an equal opportunity to participate in programs and activities that are integral components of the district's basic education program, including, but not limited to, extracurricular athletics, interscholastic sports, and/or other nonacademic activities. (34 CFR 104.37)

(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)

(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

(cf. 6145.5 - Student Organizations and Equal Access)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Education Code 52060 requires that the district adopt a local control and accountability plan (LCAP) that includes annual goals, aligned with specified state priorities, to be achieved for all students and for each numerically significant subgroup as defined in Education Code 52052. Pursuant to Education Code 52052, students with disabilities are one of the numerically significant subgroups whose needs must be addressed in the LCAP, when there are at least 30 students with disabilities in the district or a school. See BP/AR 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan.

The district's local control and accountability plan shall include goals and specific actions to improve student achievement and other outcomes of students with disabilities. At least annually, the Superintendent or designee shall assess the district's progress in attaining the goals established for students with disabilities and shall report these results to the Board. (Education Code 52052, 52060)

(cf. 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan)

In providing services to students with disabilities under Section 504, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure district compliance with law, including providing the students and their parents/guardians with applicable procedural safeguards and required notifications. Any dispute as to the identification, evaluation, or placement of any student with a disability shall be resolved in accordance with the processes specified in the "Procedural Safeguards" section of the accompanying administrative regulation.

Note: The following optional paragraph ensures the availability of hearing officers to conduct impartial hearings to resolve disagreements about the provision of FAPE, pursuant to 34 CFR 104.36.

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain a list of impartial hearing officers who are qualified and willing to conduct Section 504 hearings. To ensure impartiality, such officers shall not be employed by or under contract with the district in any other capacity except as hearing officer and shall not have any professional or personal involvement that would affect their impartiality or objectivity in the matter.

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504 (continued)

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CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

3051.12 *Health and Nursing Services*

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1400-1482 *Individuals with Disabilities Education Act*

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705 *Definitions; Vocational Rehabilitation Act*

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12101-12213 *Americans with Disabilities Act*

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 28

35.101-35.190 *Nondiscrimination on the basis of disability in state and local government services*

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34

104.1-104.61 *Nondiscrimination on the basis of handicap, especially:*

104.1 *Purpose to effectuate Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973*

104.3 *Definitions*

104.32 *Location and notification*

104.33 *Free appropriate public education*

104.34 *Educational setting*

104.35 *Evaluation and placement*

104.36 *Procedural safeguards*

104.37 *Nonacademic services*

104.7 *Responsible employee; grievance procedures*

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Board Policy

Identification And Education Under Section 504

BP 6164.6

Instruction

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(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

(cf. 0430 - Comprehensive Local Plan for Special Education)

(cf. 5141.21 - Administering Medication and Monitoring Health Conditions)

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(cf. 5144.2 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process (Students with Disabilities))

(cf. 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education)

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(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)

(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

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CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

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AR 6164.6(a)

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504

Note: Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC 794) prohibits discrimination on the basis of disability. Pursuant to 34 CFR 104.7, the district is required to designate the person(s) responsible for the overall implementation of the requirements of Section 504, as specified below.

The U.S. Department of Education Office for Civil Rights (OCR), which is responsible for enforcing the provisions of Section 504 and also for receiving and handling complaints from parents/guardians, students, and advocates, has issued guidance on Section 504 requirements. In its Dear Colleague Letter issued in January 2012, and the attached Questions and Answers on ADA Amendments Act of 2008 for Students with Disabilities Attending Public Elementary and Secondary Schools, OCR clarifies the extent to which 29 USC 705, which was amended by the Americans with Disabilities Amendments Act (ADA) of 2008, affects the definition of "disability" and "substantially limits" for Section 504 purposes. In addition, in January 2012, OCR issued another Dear Colleague Letter to clarify districts' obligations under Section 504, particularly as they relate to providing students with disabilities an opportunity to participate in extracurricular athletics and other nonacademic activities that are a part of the overall education program.

The following optional administrative regulation focuses on district procedures for identifying and evaluating students who are eligible to receive a free appropriate public education (FAPE) under Section 504 and is consistent with OCR guidance from the U.S. Department of Education Office for Civil Rights (OCR), which is responsible for enforcing the provisions of Section 504 and also for receiving and handling complaints from parents/guardians, students, and advocates.

Pursuant to 34 CFR 104.7, the district is required to designate the person(s) responsible for the overall implementation of the requirements of Section 504. The district should fill in the blanks below to specify the position title and contact information of the designated employee(s).

The Superintendent designates the following position as the district's 504 Coordinator to implement the requirements of Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973: (34 CFR 104.7)

Director of Personnel and Student Services
8408 Watt Avenue, Antelope, CA 95843
(916) 338-6413

Definitions

Note: The following definitions are consistent with 42 USC 12101-12213, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) Amendments Act of 2008 (42 USC 12101-12213), and its implementing regulations (28 CFR 35.101-35.190, as amended by 81 Fed. Reg. 53203).

For the purpose of implementing Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the following terms and phrases shall have only the meanings specified below:

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504 (continued)

Free appropriate public education (FAPE) means the provision of regular or special education and related aids and services designed to meet the individual educational needs of a student with disabilities as adequately as the needs of ~~nondisabled~~ students without disabilities are met, ~~without at no cost to the student or his/her parent/guardian except when a fee is imposed on nondisabled students specifically authorized by law for all students.~~ (34 CFR 104.33)

(cf. 3260 - Fees and Charges)

Note: Pursuant to ~~34 CFR 104.3-28~~ **CFR 35.108**, a student is considered disabled to have a disability when he/she has a physical or mental impairment that substantially limits a major life activity, has a record of such impairment, or is regarded as having such impairment. ~~According to OCR, a district is required to provide FAPE only to those students whose impairment currently limits a major life activity.~~ Accordingly, a student may have a disability and technically meet eligibility requirements under Section 504, but not actually need any services. A Dear Colleague Letter issued by OCR in July 2016 clarifies that a district is not required to provide additional services to a student with a disability if the student does not need any special education or related service as a result of the disability. However, Section 504 still requires districts to protect a student who has a record of or is regarded as having such an impairment from discriminatory treatment. For example, it would be discriminatory and thus illegal to prohibit a student who has a record of bone cancer, ~~but is even if~~ currently in remission, from trying out for the basketball team based on his/her history of cancer.

As added by 81 Fed. Reg. 53203, 28 CFR 35.108 expands and clarifies the definition of "disability" and its associated terms. In general, the term "disability" must be interpreted broadly, in favor of providing "expansive coverage" to the maximum extent permitted by the ADA.

Student with a disability means a student who has a physical or mental impairment which substantially limits one or more major life activities. (28 CFR 35.108 ~~34 CFR 104.3~~)

Note: ~~Examples of physical or mental impairments that may constitute disabling conditions under Section 504 if they substantially limit a major life activity may include, but are not limited to, diabetes; communicable diseases such as HIV/AIDS; tuberculosis; attention deficit disorder (ADD) or attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD); chronic asthma and severe allergies; physical disabilities such as spina bifida or hemophilia; and temporary disabilities depending on the anticipated length of disability, the seriousness of the illness/injury, and the needs of the student (e.g., students injured in accidents or suffering short-term illnesses).~~ As added by 81 Fed. Reg. 53203, 28 CFR 35.108 defines "physical and mental impairment" and provides a nonexhaustive list of conditions that qualify as physical and mental impairments, updated to include dyslexia, attention deficit hyperactivity disorder (ADHD), and disorders and conditions affecting the immune and circulatory systems. In the event that these conditions fall within the disabilities categories specified in the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), then the student may need to be considered for services under that law; see BP/AR 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education.

Physical impairment means any physiological disorder or condition, cosmetic disfigurement, or anatomical loss affecting one or more of the following body systems, such as: neurological; musculoskeletal, special sense organs; respiratory; (including speech organs); cardiovascular; reproductive, digestive, genito-urinary; immune; hemic; and lymphatic;

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504 (continued)

Mental impairment means any mental or psychological disorder, such as ~~mental retardation~~ ~~intellectual disability~~, organic brain syndrome, emotional or mental illness, and specific learning disabilities. (28 CFR 35.108 ~~34 CFR 104.3~~)

Note: 28 CFR 35.108, as added by 81 Fed. Reg. 53203, requires the term "substantially limits" to be construed broadly. An impairment is a disability if it substantially limits the ability of an individual to perform a major life activity as compared to most people in the general population. Such comparison usually does not require scientific, medical, or statistical evidence. An impairment need not prevent or significantly or severely restrict the performance of a major life activity, in order to qualify as substantially limiting.

28 CFR 35.108 also provides that (1) in determining whether or not an impairment substantially limits a major life activity, the ameliorative effects of mitigating measures, other than ordinary eyeglasses or contact lenses, may not be considered; (2) an impairment that is episodic or in remission is a disability if it would substantially limit a major life activity when active; and (3) an impairment that substantially limits one major life activity need not substantially limit other major life activities in order to be considered a substantially limiting impairment.

Additionally, 28 CFR 35.108 expands the definition of "major life activities" to include the operation of specific major bodily functions.

Substantially limits major life activities means limiting a person's ability to perform functions, as compared to most people in the general population, such as caring for himself/herself, performing manual tasks, seeing, hearing, eating, sleeping, walking, standing, lifting, bending, speaking, breathing, learning, reading, concentrating, thinking, writing, communicating, and working. *Major life activities* also includes major bodily functions such as functions of the immune system, special sense organs and skin, normal cell growth, and digestive, bowel, bladder, neurological, brain, respiratory, circulatory, cardiovascular, endocrine, hemic, lymphatic, musculoskeletal, and reproductive functions, as well as the operation of an individual organ within a body system. The determination of whether an impairment ~~substantially limits~~ a student's major life activities shall be ~~determined made~~ without regard to the ameliorative effects of mitigating measures other than ordinary eyeglasses or contact lenses. *Mitigating measures* are measures that an individual may use to eliminate or reduce the effects of an impairment, including, but are not limited to, medications, medical supplies or equipment, prosthetic devices, assistive devices, reasonable modifications or auxiliary aids or services, learned behavioral, or adaptive neurological modifications, psychotherapy, behavioral therapy, or physical therapy, which an individual may use to eliminate or reduce the effects of an impairment. (42 USC 12102; 28 CFR 35.108 ~~34 CFR 104.3~~)

Referral, Identification, and Evaluation

Note: 34 CFR 104.35 requires the district to conduct an evaluation of any student who needs or is believed to need special education or related services under Section 504. However, the law does not require a specific procedure for referral of a student for the evaluation. Items #1-2 below provide such a procedure and should be modified to reflect district practice.

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504 (continued)

Any action or decision to be taken by the district involving the referral, identification, or evaluation of a student with disabilities shall be in accordance with the following procedures:

1. A parent/guardian, teacher, other school employee, student success team, or community agency may refer a student to the principal or 504 Coordinator for identification as a student with a disability under Section 504.

(cf. 6164.5 - Student Success Teams)

2. Upon receipt of any such referral, the principal, 504 Coordinator, or other qualified individual with expertise in the area of the student's suspected disability shall consider the referral and determine whether an evaluation is appropriate. This determination shall be based on a review of the student's school records, including those in academic and nonacademic areas of the school program; consultation with the student's teacher(s), other professionals, and the parent/guardian, as appropriate; and analysis of the student's needs.

If it is determined that an evaluation is unnecessary, the principal or 504 Coordinator shall inform the parents/guardians in writing of this decision and of the procedural safeguards available, as described in the "Procedural Safeguards" section below.

3. If ~~it is determined that~~ the student needs or is believed to need special education or related services under Section 504, the district shall conduct an evaluation of the student prior to his/her initial placement. (34 CFR 104.35)

Note: OCR has interpreted Section 504 to require districts to obtain ~~parental~~parent/guardian permission for initial evaluations. Although the law is silent on the form of ~~parental~~parent/guardian consent, it is recommended that the district obtain such consent in writing. The following paragraph should be modified to reflect district practice.

Prior to conducting an initial evaluation of a student for eligibility under Section 504, the district shall obtain written parent/guardian consent.

Note: 34 CFR 104.35 requires that the district's evaluation and placement procedures include the elements specified in items #a-c below.

The district's evaluation procedures shall ensure that the tests and other evaluation materials: (34 CFR 104.35)

- a. Have been validated and are administered by trained personnel in conformance with the instruction provided by the test publishers
- b. Are tailored to assess specific areas of educational need and are not merely ~~designed to provide a single general intelligence quotient~~

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504 (continued)

- c. Reflect the student's aptitude or achievement or whatever else the tests purport to measure rather than his/her impaired sensory, manual, or speaking skills, except where those skills are the factors that the tests purport to measure

Section 504 Services Plan and Placement

Services and placement decisions for students with disabilities shall be determined as follows:

1. A multidisciplinary 504 team shall be convened to review the evaluation data in order to make placement decisions.

The 504 team shall consist of a group of persons knowledgeable about the student, the meaning of the evaluation data, and the placement options. (34 CFR 104.35)

In interpreting evaluation data and making placement decisions, the team shall draw upon information from a variety of sources, including aptitude and achievement tests, teacher recommendations, physical condition, social or cultural background, and adaptive behavior. The team shall also ensure that information obtained from all such sources is documented and carefully considered and that the placement decision is made in conformity with 34 CFR 104.34. (34 CFR 104.35)

Note: While there is no specific requirement that a Section 504 services plan (sometimes called an accommodation plan) be in writing, it is strongly recommended that the district develop a written plan for each student detailing the regular and/or special education and related services that the student will be provided in order to ensure that the student is receiving FAPE in accordance with 34 CFR 104.33.

2. If, upon evaluation, a student is determined to be eligible for services under Section 504, the team shall meet to develop a written 504 services plan which shall specify the types of regular or special education services, accommodations, and supplementary aids and services necessary to ensure that the student receives FAPE.

The parents/guardians shall be invited to participate in the meeting and shall be given an opportunity to examine all relevant records.

- (cf. 5141.21 - Administering Medication and Monitoring Health Conditions)*
- (cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)*
- (cf. 5141.23 - Asthma Management)*
- (cf. 5141.24 - Specialized Health Care Services)*
- (cf. 5141.26 - Tuberculosis Testing)*
- (cf. 5141.27 - Food Allergies/Special Dietary Needs)*

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3. If the 504 team determines that no services are necessary for the student, the record of the team's meeting shall reflect whether or not the student has been identified as a disabled person with a disability under Section 504 and shall state the basis for the determination that no special services are presently needed. The student's parent/guardian shall be informed in writing of his/her rights and procedural safeguards, as described in the "Procedural Safeguards" section below.
4. The student shall be placed in the regular educational environment, unless the district can demonstrate that the education of the student in the regular environment with the use of supplementary aids and services cannot be achieved satisfactorily. The student shall be educated with those who are not disabled to the maximum extent appropriate to his/her individual needs. (34 CFR 104.34)

Note: The law does not specify a time frame for completion of the evaluation and placement process, but OCR requires completion within "a reasonable amount of time." Generally, compliance with the timelines in the IDEA will be considered "reasonable" and thus in compliance with Section 504. However, Section 504 does not provide for an automatic suspension of the timelines during extended breaks or when schools are not in session, as is permitted for the IDEA-associated timelines pursuant to Education Code 56043 and 56321. For timelines under the IDEA, see AR 6164.4 - Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education.

5. The district shall complete the identification, evaluation, and placement process within a reasonable time frame. The district shall adhere to this time frame regardless of any extended school breaks or times that school is otherwise not in session.
6. A copy of the student's Section 504 services plan shall be kept in his/her student record. The student's teacher(s) and any other staff who provide services to the student shall be informed of the plan's requirements.

If a student transfers to another school within the district, the principal or designee at the school from which the student is transferring shall ensure that the principal or designee at the new school receives a copy of the plan prior to the student's enrollment in the new school.

(cf. 5116.1 - Intradistrict Open Enrollment)
(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

Review and Reevaluation

Note: 34 CFR 104.35 requires a district to establish procedures for the periodic reevaluation of a student who has been identified as needing services under Section 504. A reevaluation procedure consistent with the IDEA is one means of meeting this requirement. The following section should be modified to reflect district practice.

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504 (continued)

The 504 team shall monitor the progress of the student and, at least annually, shall review the effectiveness of the student's Section 504 services plan to determine whether the services are appropriate and necessary and whether the student's needs are being met as adequately as the needs of ~~non-disabled~~ students **without disabilities are met**. In addition, each student with a disability under Section 504 shall be reevaluated at least once every three years.

Note: As part of its responsibilities pursuant to 34 CFR 104.35, the district is required to reevaluate a student's needs before a significant change in his/her placement. Examples of actions that might constitute a "significant change in placement" triggering a reevaluation include, but are not limited to, expulsions, suspensions that exceed 10 school days within a school year, or removal from a fully integrated curriculum to a resource room, home instruction, independent study, or continuation school.

A reevaluation of the student's needs shall be conducted before any subsequent significant change in placement. (34 CFR 104.35)

(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process)

(cf. 5144.2 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process (Students with Disabilities))

Procedural Safeguards

Note: 34 CFR 104.36 requires districts to adopt a system of procedural safeguards which must include the rights of parents/guardians to receive notice, examine relevant records, have an impartial hearing in which they would have an opportunity to participate and be represented by legal counsel, and a process for review of the hearing and decision as detailed in the following section.

Timelines suggested in this section should be revised to reflect district practice; however, OCR requires that the due process hearing procedures be completed within a "reasonably prompt time frame."

The Superintendent or designee shall notify the parents/guardians of students with disabilities of all actions and decisions by the district regarding the identification, evaluation, or educational placement of their children. He/she also shall notify the parents/guardians of all the procedural safeguards available to them if they disagree with the district's action or decision, including an opportunity to examine all relevant records and an impartial hearing in which they shall have the right to participate. (34 CFR 104.36)

(cf. 6159.1 - Procedural Safeguards and Complaints for Special Education)

Note: 34 CFR 104.36 requires that the district's procedural safeguards for Section 504 include an impartial hearing to resolve disagreements about the provision of FAPE. This Section 504 due process hearing is separate from the due process hearing procedures under the IDEA and from the district's uniform complaint procedures, which are used to resolve complaints regarding discriminatory treatment (e.g., harassment or accessibility issues). See BP/AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures.

If a parent/guardian disagrees with any district action or decision regarding the identification, evaluation, or educational placement of his/her child under Section 504, he/she may request a Section 504 due process hearing within 30 days of that action or decision.

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504 (continued)

Note: According to OCR, the parent/guardian cannot be required to participate in an administrative review prior to exercising his/her right to a Section 504 due process hearing. Districts with questions should consult legal counsel, as appropriate.

Prior to requesting a Section 504 due process hearing, the parent/guardian may, at his/her discretion, but within 30 days of the district's action or decision, request an administrative review of the action or decision. The Coordinator shall designate an appropriate administrator to meet with the parent/guardian to attempt to resolve the issue and the administrative review shall be held within 14 days of receiving the parent/guardian's request. If the parent/guardian is not satisfied with the resolution of the issue, or if the parent/guardian did not request an administrative review, he/she may request a Section 504 due process hearing.

A) Section 504 due process hearing shall be conducted in accordance with the following procedures:

1. The parent/guardian shall submit a written request to the Coordinator within 30 days of receiving the district's decision or, if an administrative review is held, within 14 days of the completion of the review. The request for the due process hearing shall include:
 - a. The specific nature of the decision with which he/she disagrees
 - b. The specific relief he/she seeks
 - c. Any other information he/she believes is pertinent to resolving the disagreement
2. Within 30 days of receiving the parent/guardian's request, the Superintendent or designee and 504 Coordinator shall select an impartial hearing officer. This 30-day deadline may be extended for good cause or by mutual agreement of the parties.
3. Within 45 days of the selection of the hearing officer, the Section 504 due process hearing shall be conducted and a written decision mailed to all parties. This 45-day deadline may be extended for good cause or by mutual agreement of the parties.
4. The parties to the hearing shall be afforded the right to:
 - a. Be accompanied and advised by legal counsel and by individuals with special knowledge or training related to the problems of students with disabilities under Section 504
 - b. Present written and oral evidence

IDENTIFICATION AND EDUCATION UNDER SECTION 504 (continued)

- c. Question and cross-examine witnesses
- d. Receive written findings by the hearing officer stating the decision and explaining the reasons for the decision

If desired, either party may seek a review of the hearing officer's decision by a federal court of competent jurisdiction.

Notifications

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the district has taken appropriate steps to notify students and parents/guardians of the district's duty under Section 504. (34 CFR 104.32)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

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Administrative Regulation

Identification And Education Under Section 504

AR 6164.6
Instruction

The Superintendent designates the following position as the district's 504 Coordinator to implement the requirements of Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973: (34 CFR 104.7)

Director of Personnel and Student Services
8408 Watt Avenue, Antelope, CA 95843
(916) 338-6413

Definitions

Free appropriate public education (FAPE) under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 means the provision of either regular or special education and related aids and services, designed to meet the student's individual educational needs as adequately as the needs of nondisabled students are met. (34 CFR 104.33)

Eligibility to receive FAPE under Section 504 means a student has a physical or mental impairment which substantially limits one or more major life activities. (34 CFR 104.33)

Major life activities means functions such as caring for one's self, performing manual tasks, walking, seeing, hearing, speaking, breathing, learning, and working. (34 CFR 104.3)

Physical or mental impairment means any of the following: (34 CFR 104.3)

1. Any physiological disorder or condition, cosmetic disfigurement, or anatomical loss affecting one or more of the following body systems: neurological; musculoskeletal, special sense organs; respiratory, including speech organs; cardiovascular; reproductive, digestive, genito-urinary; hemic and lymphatic; skin; and endocrine
2. Any mental or psychological disorder, such as mental retardation, organic brain syndrome, emotional or mental illness, and specific learning disabilities

Referral, Identification, and Evaluation

Any action or decision to be taken by the district involving the referral, identification, or evaluation of a student with disabilities shall be in accordance with the following procedures:

1. A parent/guardian, teacher, other school employee, student success team, or community agency may refer a student to the principal or 504 Coordinator for identification as a student with a disability under Section 504.

(cf. 6164.5 - Student Success Teams)

2. Upon receipt of any such referral, the principal, 504 Coordinator, or other qualified individual with expertise in the area of the student's suspected disability shall consider the referral and determine whether an evaluation is appropriate. This determination shall be based on a review of the student's school records, including those in academic and nonacademic areas of the school program; consultation with the student's teacher(s), other professionals, and the parent/guardian, as appropriate; and analysis of the student's needs.

If it is determined that an evaluation is unnecessary, the principal or 504 Coordinator shall inform the parents/guardians in writing of this decision and of the procedural safeguards available, as described in the "Procedural Safeguards" section below.

3. If it is determined that the student needs or is believed to need special education or related services under Section 504, the district shall conduct an evaluation of the student prior to his/her initial placement. (34 CFR 104.35)

Prior to conducting an initial evaluation of a student for eligibility under Section 504, the district shall obtain written parent/guardian consent.

The district's evaluation procedures shall ensure that the tests and other evaluation materials: (34 CFR 104.35)

- a. Have been validated and are administered by trained personnel in conformance with the instruction provided by the test publishers
- b. Are tailored to assess specific areas of educational need and are not merely designed to provide a single general intelligence quotient
- c. Reflect the student's aptitude or achievement or whatever else the tests purport to measure rather than his/her impaired sensory, manual, or speaking skills, except where those skills are the factors that the tests purport to measure

Section 504 Services Plan and Placement

Services and placement decisions for students with disabilities shall be determined as follows:

1. A multi-disciplinary 504 team shall be convened to review the evaluation data in order to make placement decisions.
The 504 team shall consist of a group of persons knowledgeable about the student, the meaning of the evaluation data, and the placement options. (34 CFR 104.35)

In interpreting evaluation data and making placement decisions, the team shall draw upon information from a variety of sources, including aptitude and achievement tests, teacher recommendations, physical condition, social or cultural background, and adaptive behavior. The team shall also ensure that information obtained from all such

sources is documented and carefully considered and that the placement decision is made in conformity with 34 CFR 104.34. (34 CFR 104.35)

2. If, upon evaluation, a student is determined to be eligible for services under Section 504, the team shall meet to develop a written 504 services plan which shall specify the types of regular or special education services, accommodations, and supplementary aids and services necessary to ensure that the student receives FAPE.

The parents/guardians shall be invited to participate in the meeting and shall be given an opportunity to examine all relevant records.

(cf. 5141.21 - Administering Medication and Monitoring Health Conditions)

(cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)

(cf. 5141.23 - Asthma Management)

(cf. 5141.24 - Specialized Health Care Services)

(cf. 5141.26 - Tuberculosis Testing)

(cf. 5141.27 - Food Allergies/Special Dietary Needs)

3. If the 504 team determines that no services are necessary for the student, the record of the team's meeting shall reflect whether or not the student has been identified as a disabled person under Section 504 and shall state the basis for the determination that no special services are presently needed. The student's parent/guardian shall be informed in writing of his/her rights and procedural safeguards, as described in the "Procedural Safeguards" section below.
4. The student shall be placed in the regular educational environment, unless the district can demonstrate that the education of the student in the regular environment with the use of supplementary aids and services cannot be achieved satisfactorily. The student shall be educated with those who are not disabled to the maximum extent appropriate to his/her individual needs. (34 CFR 104.34)
5. The district shall complete the identification, evaluation, and placement process within a reasonable time frame.
6. A copy of the student's Section 504 services plan shall be kept in his/her student record. The student's teacher(s) and any other staff who provide services to the student shall be informed of the plan's requirements.

If a student transfers to another school within the district, the principal or designee at the school from which the student is transferring shall ensure that the principal or designee at the new school receives a copy of the plan prior to the student's enrollment in the new school.

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

Review and Reevaluation

The 504 team shall monitor the progress of the student and, at least annually, shall review the effectiveness of the student's Section 504 services plan to determine whether the services are appropriate and necessary and whether the student's needs are being met as adequately as the needs of nondisabled students. In addition, each student with a disability under Section 504 shall be reevaluated at least once every three years.

A reevaluation of the student's needs shall be conducted before any subsequent significant change in placement. (34 CFR 104.35)

(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process)

(cf. 5144.2 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process (Students with Disabilities))

Procedural Safeguards

The Superintendent or designee shall notify the parents/guardians of students with disabilities of all actions and decisions by the district regarding the identification, evaluation, or educational placement of their children. He/she also shall notify the parents/guardians of all the procedural safeguards available to them if they disagree with the district's action or decision, including an opportunity to examine all relevant records and an impartial hearing in which they shall have the right to participate. (34 CFR 104.36)

(cf. 6159.1 - Procedural Safeguards and Complaints for Special Education)

If a parent/guardian disagrees with any district action or decision regarding the identification, evaluation, or educational placement of his/her child under Section 504, he/she may request a Section 504 due process hearing within 30 days of that action or decision.

Prior to requesting a Section 504 due process hearing, the parent/guardian may, at his/her discretion, but within 30 days of the district's action or decision, request an administrative review of the action or decision. The Coordinator shall designate an appropriate administrator to meet with the parent/guardian to attempt to resolve the issue and the administrative review shall be held within 14 days of receiving the parent/guardian's request. If the parent/guardian is not satisfied with the resolution of the issue, he/she may request a Section 504 due process hearing.

Section 504 due process hearing shall be conducted in accordance with the following procedures:

1. The parent/guardian shall submit a written request to the Coordinator within 30 days of receiving the district's decision or, if an administrative review is held, within 14 days of the completion of the review. The request for the due process hearing shall include:
 - a. The specific nature of the decision with which he/she disagrees
 - b. The specific relief he/she seeks
 - c. Any other information he/she believes is pertinent to resolving the disagreement
2. Within 30 days of receiving the parent/guardian's request, the Superintendent or designee and 504 Coordinator shall select an impartial hearing officer. This 30-day deadline may be extended for good cause or by mutual agreement of the parties.

3. Within 45 days of the selection of the hearing officer, the Section 504 due process hearing shall be conducted and a written decision mailed to all parties. This 45-day deadline may be extended for good cause or by mutual agreement of the parties.
4. The parties to the hearing shall be afforded the right to:
 - a. Be accompanied and advised by counsel and by individuals with special knowledge or training related to the problems of students with disabilities under Section 504
 - b. Present written and oral evidence
 - c. Question and cross-examine witnesses
 - d. Receive written findings by the hearing officer stating the decision and explaining the reasons for the decision

If desired, either party may seek a review of the hearing officer's decision by a federal court of competent jurisdiction.

Notifications

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the district has taken appropriate steps to notify students and parents/guardians of the district's duty under Section 504. (34 CFR 104.32)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

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Board Policy

Instruction

BP 6173(a)

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN

Note: The following policy reflects the intent of the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 USC 11431-11435), as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (P.L. 114-95), that each homeless student should have equal access to the same free, appropriate public education and services as other students. 42 USC 11432 mandates that districts adopt, review, and revise policies to remove barriers to the identification, enrollment, and retention of homeless children and youth, ensure that homeless students are not segregated or stigmatized on the basis of their status as homeless, and provide for professional development for appropriate staff, as provided in the following policy:

The Governing Board desires to ensure that homeless students have access to the same free and appropriate public education provided to other students within the district. The district shall provide homeless students with access to education and other services necessary for them to meet the same challenging academic standards as other students.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

Note: The following paragraph is mandated pursuant to 42 USC 11432, as amended by P.L. 114-95: 42 USC 11432 requires that districts adopt policy to remove barriers to homeless students' enrollment and retention due to absences or outstanding fees or fines. See the accompanying administrative regulation for additional procedures designed to remove barriers to the identification and enrollment of homeless students:

The Superintendent or designee shall identify and remove any barriers to the identification and enrollment of homeless students, and to the retention of homeless students due to absences or outstanding fees or fines. (42 USC 11432)

(cf. 3250 - Transportation Fees)

(cf. 3260 - Fees and Charges)

(cf. 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy)

Note: Education Code 52060-52077 require districts to develop a local control and accountability plan (LCAP) which must be aligned to specific state priorities and any additional local priorities, and which must contain annual goals for all students and for each "numerically significant" student subgroup and the specific actions to be taken to achieve each goal; see BP/AR 0460 Local Control and Accountability Plan AB 104 (Ch. 13, Statutes of 2015) amended the definition of "numerically significant student subgroups" in Education Code 52052 to include homeless students when there are at least 15 homeless students in the school or district:

When there are at least 15 homeless students in the district or a district school, the district's local control and accountability plan (LCAP) shall include goals and specific actions to improve student achievement and other outcomes of homeless students. (Education Code 52052, 52060)

(cf. 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan)

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

Note: Pursuant to 42 USC 11432, districts are required to designate an appropriate staff person, who may also be a coordinator for other federal programs, as a district liaison for homeless students. See the accompanying administrative regulation for information about the designation and duties of the district liaison.

The Superintendent or designee shall designate an appropriate staff person to serve as a district liaison for homeless children and youths. The district liaison shall fulfill the duties specified in 42 USC 11432 to assist in identifying and supporting homeless students to succeed in school.

Note: The U.S. Department of Education's Non-Regulatory Guidance, Education for Homeless Children and Youths Program, emphasizes that districts should include the identification of homeless students and their unique educational needs in district needs assessments and school improvement plans. The following optional paragraph reflects strategies included in the Guidance for identifying homeless students and may be revised to reflect district practice. Also see the California Department of Education's (CDE) web site for a sample student residency questionnaire and "You Can Enroll in School" poster.

In order to identify district students who are homeless, the Superintendent or designee may give a housing questionnaire to all parents/guardians during school registration, make referral forms readily available, include the district liaison's contact information on the district and school web sites, provide materials in a language easily understood by families and students, provide school staff with professional development on the definition and signs of homelessness, and contact appropriate local agencies to coordinate referrals for homeless children and youth and unaccompanied youth.

(cf. 1113 - District and School Web Sites)

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

Note: Although students' addresses generally may be designated as "directory information" that is not harmful if disclosed, P.L. 114-95 amended 42 USC 11432 to provide that information about a homeless student's living situation must instead be provided the protections afforded to other student records under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act. For further information about the disclosure of homeless students' records, see the USDOE's Non-Regulatory Guidance, Education for Homeless Children and Youths Program.

Information about a homeless student's living situation shall be considered part of a student's educational record, subject to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act and shall not be deemed to be directory information as defined in 20 USC 1232g. (42 USC 11432)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

(cf. 5125.1 - Release of Directory Information)

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

Note: Pursuant to 42 USC 11432, placement determinations for homeless students must be made according to the student's "best interest," as defined in the accompanying administrative regulation.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that placement decisions for homeless students are based on the student's best interest as defined in law and administrative regulation.

Each homeless student shall be provided services that are comparable to services offered to other students in the school, including, but not limited to, transportation, educational programs for which the student meets the eligibility criteria (such as federal Title I services or similar state or local programs, programs for students with disabilities, and educational programs for English learners), career and technical education programs, programs for gifted and talented students, and school nutrition programs. (42 USC 11432)

(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)
 (cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)
 (cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)
 (cf. 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education)
 (cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)
 (cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)
 (cf. 6171 - Title I Programs)
 (cf. 6172 - Gifted and Talented Student Program)
 (cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)
 (cf. 6177 - Summer Learning Programs)
 (cf. 6178 - Career and Technical Education)
 (cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)

Note: The following paragraph is mandated by 42 USC 11432. ~~mandates that districts adopt policies and practices that ensure that homeless children are not segregated or stigmatized on the basis of their status as homeless. Although this law also prohibits the segregation of homeless students into a separate school or program, however, separate schools that were in operation before the reauthorization in 2001 may continue to operate under specified conditions. Districts that maintain such a school may revise the following paragraph to reflect district practice.~~

Homeless students shall not be segregated into a separate school or program based on their status as homeless and shall not be stigmatized in any way. However, the Superintendent or designee may separate homeless students on school grounds as necessary for short periods of time for health and safety emergencies or to provide temporary, special, and supplementary services to meet the unique needs of homeless students. (42 USC 11432, 11433)

(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)
 (cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

Note: Pursuant to 42 USC 11432, districts receiving assistance through the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act are required to coordinate services as provided below. Other districts may delete or revise the following paragraph to reflect district practice.

The Superintendent or designee shall coordinate with other agencies and entities to ensure that homeless children and youth are promptly identified, ensure that homeless students have access to and are in reasonable proximity to available education and related support services, and raise the awareness of school personnel and service providers of the effects of short-term stays in a shelter and other challenges associated with homelessness. Toward these ends, the Superintendent or designee shall collaborate with local social services agencies, other agencies or entities providing services to homeless children and youth, and, if applicable, transitional housing facilities. In addition, the Superintendent or designee shall coordinate transportation, transfer of school records, and other interdistrict activities with other local educational agencies. As necessary, the Superintendent or designee shall coordinate, within the district and with other involved local educational agencies, services for homeless students and services for students with disabilities. (42 USC 11432)

(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)

Note: 42 USC 11432, as amended by P.L. 114-95, mandates that districts adopt policies and practices to ensure participation by district liaisons and other appropriate staff in professional development and other technical assistance activities, as determined appropriate by the federal Office of the Coordinator.

SB 1068 (Ch. 538, Statutes of 2016) requires the CDE to provide specified informational and training materials to district liaisons, including informational materials on the educational rights of homeless children and youth and resources available to assist homeless children and youth. It also requires the CDE to adopt policies and practices to ensure that liaisons participate in professional development and technical assistance programs.

District liaisons and other appropriate staff shall participate in professional development and other technical assistance activities to assist them in identifying and meeting the needs of homeless students and to provide training on the definitions of terms related to homelessness. (42 USC 11432)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Pursuant to Education Code 52064.5, as amended by AB 104 (Ch. 13, Statutes of 2015), the State Board of Education is required to have adopted evaluation rubrics by October 1, 2016, for use by districts in evaluating their strengths, weaknesses, and areas that require improvement for the purpose of updating their LCAP.

In addition, pursuant to 20 USC 6311, as amended by P.L. 114-95, annual district report cards for districts receiving Title I funds are required to include disaggregated student achievement data and graduation rates of homeless students.

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

At least annually, the Superintendent or designee shall report to the Board on outcomes for homeless students, which may include, but are not limited to, school attendance, student achievement test results, promotion and retention rates by grade level, graduation rates, suspension/expulsion rates, and other outcomes related to any goals and specific actions identified in the LCAP. Based on the evaluation data, the district shall revise its strategies as needed to better support the education of homeless students.

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

(cf. 6162.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests)

(cf. 6190 - Evaluation of the Instructional Program)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

2558.2 *Use of revenue limits to determine average daily attendance of homeless children*

39807.5 *Payment of transportation costs by parents*

48850 *Educational rights of homeless and foster youth; participation in extracurricular activities*

48852.5 *Notice of educational rights of homeless students*

48852.7 *Enrollment of homeless students*

48915.5 *Recommended expulsion, homeless student with disabilities*

48918.1 *Notice of recommended expulsion*

51225.1-51225.3 *Graduation requirements*

52060-52077 *Local control and accountability plan*

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

4600-4687 *Uniform complaint procedures*

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1087vv *Free Application for Federal Student Aid; definitions*

1232g *Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act*

6311 *Title I state plan; state and local educational agency report cards*

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

11431-11435 *McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act*

12705 *Cranston-Gonzalez National Affordable Housing Act; state and local strategies*

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA CHILD WELFARE COUNCIL

Partial Credit Model Policy and Practice Recommendations

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Homeless Education Dispute Resolution Process, January 30, 2007

NATIONAL CENTER FOR HOMELESS EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

Homeless Liaison Toolkit, 2013

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION GUIDANCE

Dear Colleague Letter, July 27, 2016

Education for Homeless Children and Youth Program, Non-Regulatory Guidance, July 2004 2016

WEB SITES

California Child Welfare Council: <http://www.chhs.ca.gov/Pages/CAChildWelfareCouncil.aspx>

California Department of Education, Homeless Children and Youth Education:

<http://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/hs/cy>

National Center for Homeless Education at SERVE: <http://www.serve.org/nche>

National Law Center on Homelessness and Poverty: <http://www.nlchp.org>

U.S. Department of Education: <http://www.ed.gov/programs/homeless/index.html>

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Board Policy

Education For Homeless Children

BP 6173

Instruction

The Governing Board desires to ensure that homeless students have access to the same free and appropriate public education provided to other students within the district. The district shall provide homeless students with access to education and other services necessary for these students to meet the same challenging academic standards as other students.

Homeless students shall not be segregated into a separate school or program based on their status as homeless and shall not be stigmatized in any way.

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced Price Meals)

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that placement decisions for homeless students are based on the student's best interest as defined in law and administrative regulation.

(cf. 5111.13 - Residency for Homeless Children)

Transportation

The district shall provide transportation for a homeless student to and from his/her school of origin when the student is residing within the district and the parent/guardian requests that such transportation be provided. If the student moves outside of district boundaries, but continues to attend his/her school of origin within this district, the Superintendent or designee shall consult with the superintendent of the district in which the student is now residing to agree upon a method to apportion the responsibility and costs of the transportation. (42 USC 11432)

(cf. 3250 - Transportation Fees)

(cf. 3541 - Transportation Routes and Services)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

1980-1986 County community schools

2558.2 Use of revenue limits to determine average daily attendance of homeless children

39807.5 Payment of transportation costs by parents

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

11431-11435 McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act

Management Resources:

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION GUIDANCE

Education for Homeless Children and Youth Program, Non-Regulatory Guidance, July 2004

WEB SITES

California Department of Education, Homeless Children and Youth Education:

<http://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/hs/cy>

National Center for Homeless Education at SERVE: <http://www.serve.org/nche>

National Law Center on Homelessness and Poverty: <http://www.nlchp.org>

U.S. Department of Education: <http://www.ed.gov/programs/homeless/index.html>

Policy CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Adopted: September 21, 2005 Antelope, California

CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

Instruction

AR 6173(a)

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN

Note: The following administrative regulation is mandated pursuant to 42 USC 11432; see section on "Transportation" below.

Definitions

Note: The federal McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 USC ~~11431-11435~~ 11434a) defines "homeless students" as provided below. This law applies to foster youth in certain circumstances (i.e., when they are living in emergency or transitional shelters and when they are awaiting foster care placement) but as amended by P.L. 114-95, the definition of "homeless students" no longer includes youth who are awaiting foster care placement. See BP/AR 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth for state law regarding foster children.

Homeless students means students who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence and includes: (Education Code 48852.7; 42 USC 11434a)

1. Students who are sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; or are abandoned in hospitals; ~~or are awaiting foster care placement~~

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

2. Students who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as regular sleeping accommodations for human beings
3. Students who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings
4. Migratory children who qualify as homeless because they are living in conditions described in items #1-3 above

~~§1~~—*Unaccompanied youth* includes youth who are not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian. (20 USC 11434a)

Note: The following definition of "school of origin" generally reflects Education Code 48852.7, as added by SB 445 (Ch. 289, Statutes of 2015), adds the following definition of "school of origin" which exceeds the definition in 42 USC 11432 and is consistent with the state definition of "school of origin" that applies to foster youth. However, as amended by P.L. 114-95, 42 USC 11432 includes preschools in the definition as provided below.

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

School of origin means the school that the homeless student attended when permanently housed or the school in which he/she was last enrolled, including a preschool. If the school the homeless student attended when permanently housed is different from the school in which he/she was last enrolled, or if there is some other school that he/she attended within the preceding 15 months and with which he/she is connected, the district liaison shall determine, in consultation with and with the agreement of the homeless student and the person holding the right to make educational decisions for the student, and in the best interests of the homeless student, which school shall be deemed the school of origin. (Education Code 48852.7; 42 USC 11432)

Note: Education Code 48850 expresses legislative intent that the "best interest" of a homeless student or foster youth includes educational stability as well as placement in the least restrictive educational program, as provided below. Education Code 48853 further provides that the placement of a foster youth should consider the student's access to academic resources, services, and extracurricular and enrichment activities. For consistency with the definition of "best interest" applicable to foster youth (see AR 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth), the following definition also reflects Education Code 48853.

Best interest means that, in making educational and school placement decisions for a homeless student, consideration is given to, among other factors, educational stability, the opportunity to be educated in the least restrictive educational setting necessary to achieve academic progress, and the student's access to academic resources, services, and extracurricular and enrichment activities that are available to all district students. (Education Code 48850, 48853; 42 USC 11432)

District Liaison

Note: Pursuant to 42 USC 11432, districts are required to designate an appropriate staff person, who may also be a coordinator for other federal programs, as a district liaison for homeless students. The district should fill in the blanks below with the title or position, address, and phone number of the district liaison:

The Superintendent designates the following staff person as the district liaison for homeless students: (42 USC 11432)

Family Resource Center Program Coordinator
3401 Scotland Drive
Antelope, CA 95843
(916) 338-6387

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

Note: The duties of the district liaison for homeless students are listed in 42 USC 11432, as amended by P.L. 114-95 and are specified below. ~~In its July 2004 Non-Regulatory Guidance Education for Homeless Children and Youth Program, the U.S. Department of Education (USDOE) gives some specific examples of activities that the liaison could perform in furtherance of these duties, such as assisting homeless children in enrolling in school and accessing school activities; obtaining immunization or medical records; informing parents/guardians, school personnel, and others of the rights of homeless children; working with school staff to make sure that homeless children are immediately enrolled in school pending resolution of disputes; and helping to coordinate transportation services. In addition, the Guidance~~ Also see the U.S. Department of Education's (USDOE) Non-Regulatory Guidance Education for Homeless Children and Youths Program ~~recommends that the district's liaison refer to~~ and the Homeless Liaison Toolkit developed by the National Center for Homeless Education.

The district's liaison for homeless students shall: (Education Code 48852.5; 42 USC 11432)

1. Ensure that homeless students are identified by school personnel ~~and~~ through outreach and coordinated coordination activities with other entities and agencies

(cf. 1400 - Relations Between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced-Price Meals)

(cf. ~~5141.6 - School Health Services~~)

2. Ensure that homeless students ~~are~~ enrolled in, and have a full and equal opportunity to succeed in, district schools

3. Ensure that homeless families and ~~students-children and youth have access to and receive educational services for which they are eligible, including services through Head Start and Early Head Start programs, early intervention services under Part C of the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, and other preschool programs administered by the district~~

(cf. ~~5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education~~)

4. ~~Ensure that homeless families and students receive referrals to health care services, dental services, mental health and substance abuse services, housing services, and other appropriate services~~

(cf. ~~5141.6 - School Health Services~~)

4. 5] Inform parents/guardians of the educational and related opportunities available to their children and ensure that they are provided with meaningful opportunities to participate in the education of their children

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

- 5-6.** Disseminate notice of the educational rights of homeless students in district schools that provide services to homeless children and at places where they receive services, such as locations frequented by parents/guardians of homeless children and youth, and by unaccompanied youth, including schools, family shelters, public libraries, and hunger relief agencies (soup kitchens). The rights shall be presented in a manner and form understandable to the parents/guardians of homeless students and unaccompanied youth.
- 6-7.** Mediate enrollment disputes in accordance with law, Board policy, and administrative regulation and the section "Resolving Enrollment Disputes" below
- 7-8.** Fully inform parents/guardians of homeless students and unaccompanied youth of all transportation services, including transportation to the school of origin, and assist them in accessing transportation to the school of choice

~~(cf. 3250 - Transportation Fees)~~
 (cf. 3541 - Transportation Routes and Services)

Note: P.L. 114-95 amended 42 USC 11432 to add the duties specified in items #9-10 below

- 9.** Ensure that school personnel providing services to homeless students receive professional development and other support

~~(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)~~
~~(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)~~
~~(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)~~

- 10.** Ensure that unaccompanied youth are enrolled in school, have opportunities to meet the same challenging state academic standards established for other students, and are informed of their status as independent students under 20 USC 1087vv and that they may receive assistance from the district liaison to receive verification of their independent student status for purposes of applying for federal student aid pursuant to 20 USC 1090
- 11.** Coordinate and collaborate with state coordinators and community and school personnel responsible for the provision of education and related services to homeless students, including the provision of comprehensive data to the state coordinator as required by law

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48918.1, the district liaison must be notified before the expulsion hearing for a homeless student, when the student's alleged violation does not require a mandatory recommendation for expulsion; see AR 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process. When so notified, the district liaison is expected to assist the student and, as necessary, advocate on the student's behalf.

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Furthermore, pursuant to Education Code 48915.5, if the homeless student has also been identified as an individual with a disability and the district has proposed a change of placement due to an act for which decision to recommend expulsion is discretionary, the district liaison must be invited to participate in the individualized education program team meeting that makes a manifestation determination pursuant to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (20 USC 1415(k)).

8. In addition, when notified pursuant to Education Code 48918.1, **the district liaison shall** assist, facilitate, or represent a homeless student who is undergoing a disciplinary proceeding that could result in his/her expulsion. **9.** When notified pursuant to Education Code 48915.5, **the district liaison shall** participate in an individualized education program team meeting to make a manifestation determination regarding the behavior of a student with a disability.

(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process)

(cf. 5144.2 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process (Students with Disabilities))

(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)

~~10. Assist a homeless student to obtain records necessary for his/her enrollment into or transfer out of district schools, including immunization, medical, and academic records~~

Note: 42 USC 11432, as amended by P.L. 114-95, requires that the California Department of Education (CDE) publish a list of district liaisons on its web site. The CDE collects the name and contact information of district liaisons through the consolidated application process, along with information about district compliance with federal program requirements.

The Superintendent or designee shall inform homeless children and youth, their parents/guardians, school personnel, service providers, and advocates working with homeless families of the duties of the district's liaison. He/she shall also provide the name and contact information of the district's liaison to the California Department of Education (CDE) for publishing on the CDE's web site. (42 USC 11432)

Enrollment

The district shall make placement decisions for homeless students based on the student's best interest. (42 USC 11432)

Note: 42 USC 11432, as amended by P.L. 114-95, specifies factors that must be considered in determining a student's best interest, as provided below:

In determining the best interest of the student, the district shall consider student-centered factors related to the student's best interest, including factors related to the impact of mobility on achievement, education, health, and safety, giving priority to the request of the student's parent/guardian or, in the case of an unaccompanied youth, the youth. (42 USC 11432)

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Note: The following optional paragraph presents examples of factors that may be considered in making placement decisions based on a student's "best interest," and may be revised to reflect district practice. In its Non-Regulatory Guidance Education for Homeless Children and Youth Program, the USDOE recommends that the placement determination be student-centered and individualized. The Guidance lists the following factors for the district to consider when making a determination of a student's "best interest." The following paragraph is optional and should be revised to include any other factors used by the district in making this determination.

When making a placement decision for a homeless student, the Superintendent or designee may consider. Such factors may include, but are not limited to, the age of the student, the distance of the commute and the impact it may have on the student's education, personal safety issues, the student's need for special instruction, the length of anticipated stay in the temporary shelter or other temporary location, likely area of future housing, school placement of siblings, and the time remaining in the school year.

However, placement decisions shall not be based on whether a homeless student lives with his/her homeless parent/guardian or has been temporarily placed elsewhere. (42 USC 11432)

In the case of an unaccompanied youth, the liaison shall assist in placement or enrollment decisions, consider give priority to the views of the student, and provide notice to the student of his/her appeal rights. (42 USC 11432)

In determining a student's best interest, a homeless student shall, to the extent feasible, be placed in his/her school of origin, unless his/her the student's parent/guardian or the unaccompanied youth requests otherwise. (Education Code 48852.7; 42 USC 11432)

Note: Education Code 48852.7, as added by SB 445 (Ch. 289, Statutes of 2015) and 42 USC 11432 require schools to immediately enroll homeless students as specified below. In its Non-Regulatory Guidance Education for Homeless Children and Youths Program, the USDOE recommends that the district take steps to facilitate immediate enrollment such as accepting school records directly from families, establishing school-based immunization clinics, and training staff on the legal requirements for immediate enrollment. See AR 5111.1 - District Residency.

Once a placement decision has been made, the principal or designee shall immediately enroll the student in the school of choice. The student shall be enrolled even if he/she: (Education Code 48852.7; 42 USC 11432)

1. Has outstanding fees, fines, textbooks, or other items or monies due to the school last attended

(cf. 5125.2 - Withholding Grades, Diploma or Transcripts)

2. Does not have clothing normally required by the school, such as school uniforms

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3. Is unable to produce records normally required for enrollment, such as previous academic records, proof of residency, and medical records, including, but not limited to, ~~records or other proof of immunization history~~ records of immunization and other required health records

*(cf. 5111 - Admission)**(cf. 5111.1 - District Residency)**(cf. 5125 - Student Records)**(cf. 5141.26 - Tuberculosis Testing)**(cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)**(cf. 5141.32 - Health Screening for School Entry)*

Note: P.L. 114-95 amended 42 USC 11432 to add the circumstance specified in item #4 below
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4. ~~Has missed application or enrollment deadlines during any period of homelessness~~

The principal or designee shall immediately contact the school last attended by the student to obtain the relevant records. If the student needs to obtain immunizations or does not possess immunization or other ~~medical required health~~ records, the principal or designee shall refer the parent/guardian to the district liaison for homeless students. The district liaison shall assist the parent/guardian, or the student if he/she is an unaccompanied youth, in obtaining the necessary immunizations, ~~screenings~~ or records for the student. (42 USC 11432)

If the student is placed at a school other than his/her school of origin or the school requested by his/her parent/guardian or an unaccompanied youth, the Superintendent or designee shall provide the parent/guardian or the unaccompanied youth with a written explanation of the decision along with a statement regarding the ~~parent/guardian's~~ right to appeal the placement decision. (42 USC 11432)

The student may continue attending his/her school of origin for the duration of the homelessness. (Education Code 48852.7; 42 USC 11432)

To ensure that the homeless student has the benefit of matriculating with his/her peers in accordance with the established feeder patterns, the following shall apply: (Education Code 48852.7; 42 USC 11432)

1. If the student is transitioning between grade levels, he/she shall be allowed to continue in the same attendance area.
2. If the student is transitioning to a middle school or high school, and the school

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designated for matriculation is in another school district, he/she shall be allowed to continue to the school designated for matriculation in that district.

Note: ~~42 USC 11432 and Education Code 48852.7 require that homeless students who become permanently housed during the school year be allowed to remain in the school of origin for the remainder of the school year.~~ Education Code 48852.7, as added by SB 445 (Ch. 289, Statutes of 2015), allows homeless students to remain in the school of origin, or matriculate to a feeder school, even if the student is no longer homeless. The district may revise the following list to reflect the grade levels and feeder school patterns in the district.

If the student's status changes before the end of the school year so that he/she is no longer homeless, he/she shall be allowed to stay in the school of origin: (Education Code 48852.7)

1. Through the duration of the school year if he/she is in grades K-8
2. Through graduation if he/she is in high school

Resolving Enrollment Disputes

Note: In the event that a dispute arises over the district's decision related to student eligibility, school selection, or enrollment, the district must comply with the requirements of 42 USC 11432 and the dispute resolution process established by the CDE. The CDE's process is described in a January 30, 2007 letter to districts, available on the CDE's web site. The CDE's letter does not specify a hearing process or timelines for the district-level dispute resolution process. Thus, the district may revise the following section to reflect district practice, provided that the process is consistent with law.

If a dispute arises over student eligibility, school selection, or enrollment in a particular school, the matter shall be referred to the district liaison, who shall carry out the dispute resolution process as expeditiously as possible. (42 USC 11432)

The parent/guardian or unaccompanied youth shall be provided with a written explanation of the placement decision any decisions related to eligibility, school selection, or enrollment and of the right of the parent/guardian or unaccompanied youth to appeal such decisions. (42 USC 11432)

Note: Pursuant to 42 USC 11432, when a dispute over school selection or enrollment exists between the district and a parent/guardian, the district must provide written explanation of its decision. The following optional paragraph list should be modified to reflect district practice. In its Non-Regulatory Guidance Education for Homeless Children and Youths Program, the USDOE recommends that the written explanation contain the elements specified below. See the accompanying Exhibit for a sample explanation and appeal form.

The written explanation shall include:

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1. **The district liaison's contact information**
2. **A description of the district's placement decision**
3. **Notice of the student's right to enroll in the school of choice pending resolution of the dispute, including the right to fully participate in all school activities**
4. **Notice of the parent/guardian's right to appeal the decision to the county office of education and, if the dispute remains unresolved, to the California Department of Education**

1. **A description of the action proposed or refused by the district**
2. **An explanation of why the action is proposed or refused**
3. **A description of any other options the district considered and the reasons that any other options were rejected**
4. **A description of any other factors relevant to the district's decision and information related to the eligibility or best interest determination including the facts, witnesses, and evidence relied upon and their sources**
5. **Appropriate timelines to ensure any relevant deadlines are not missed**
6. **Contact information for the district liaison and state coordinator, and a brief description of their roles**

The written explanation shall be complete, as brief as possible, simply stated, and provided in language that the parent/guardian or student can understand.

Note: The following optional paragraph is recommended in the USDOE's Non-Regulatory Guidance Education for Homeless Children and Youths Program

The district liaison may use an informal process as an alternative to formal dispute resolution procedures, provided that the parents/guardians or unaccompanied youths have access to the more formal process if informal resolution is not successful in resolving the matter.

Note: The following optional paragraph is recommended by the CDE in the CDE's January 30, 2007 letter to districts

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In working with a student's parents/guardians ~~or unaccompanied youth~~ to resolve an enrollment dispute, the district liaison shall:

1. Inform them that they may provide written and/or oral documentation to support their position
2. Inform them that they may seek the assistance of social services, advocates, and/or service providers in having the dispute resolved
3. Provide them a simple form that they may use and turn in to the school to initiate the dispute resolution process
4. Provide them a copy of the dispute form they submit for their records
5. Provide them the outcome of the dispute for their records

If a parent/guardian ~~or unaccompanied youth~~ disagrees with the liaison's enrollment decision, he/she may appeal the decision to the Superintendent. The Superintendent shall make a determination within five working days.

Note: In its January 30, 2007 letter to districts, the CDE describes the process for appealing a district's enrollment decision to the county office of education and the CDE. Upon receipt of materials describing the dispute from the district, the county office liaison will determine the school selection or enrollment decision within five working days. If the dispute remains unresolved or is appealed, the county office liaison will forward the documentation to the state homeless coordinator who will notify the parent/guardian of the final school selection or enrollment decision within five working days.

~~The CDE's letter does not specify a timeline for the district liaison to make a determination of the enrollment decision, nor does it specify a hearing process at the district level. The following optional paragraph should be revised to reflect district practice.~~

If the parent/guardian chooses to appeal the district's placement decision, the district liaison shall forward all written documentation and related paperwork to the homeless liaison at the county office of education.

Note: 42 USC 11432, as amended by P.L. 114-95, provides that during any dispute over a student's enrollment, the student must be allowed to be enrolled in the school during the period of all appeals. 42 USC. 11434a defines "enrollment" as including attendance in classes and participation in school activities.

Pending final resolution of the dispute, including all available appeals, the student shall be immediately ~~admitted to enrolled in~~ the school in which enrollment is sought ~~pending resolution of the dispute.~~ and shall be allowed to attend classes and participate fully in school activities. (42 USC 11432, 11434a)

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)**Transportation**

Note: 42 USC 11432 mandates that districts adopt policies and practices to ensure that transportation is provided to homeless students, at the request of their parent/guardian or of the district liaison in the case of an unaccompanied youth to and from their school of origin as specified below.

In its Non-Regulatory Guidance Education for Homeless Children and Youths Program, the USDOE states that the law imposes an affirmative obligation to transport homeless students, even if transportation is not provided to other students. The Guidance clarifies that, because the State of California receives funds under McKinney-Vento, all districts in California are subject to this requirement.

Federal law does not address the authorization provided by Education Code 39807.5 for the district to charge for the cost of home-to-school transportation. However, it is likely that most homeless students would be identified as indigent and would therefore be exempt from transportation costs. See AR 3250 - Transportation Fees.

The district shall provide transportation for a homeless student to and from his/her school of origin when the student is residing within the district and the parent/guardian, or the district liaison in the case of an unaccompanied youth requests that such transportation be provided. If the student moves outside of district boundaries, but continues to attend his/her school of origin within this district, the Superintendent or designee shall consult with the superintendent of the district in which the student is now residing to agree upon a method to apportion the responsibility and costs of the transportation. (42 USC 11432)

(cf. 3250 - Transportation Fees)

(cf. 3541 - Transportation Routes and Services)

Note: Education Code 48852.7, as added by SB 445 (Ch. 289, Statutes of 2015), requires that the district provide transportation to a formerly homeless student with an individualized education program that provides for transportation as a related service. Education Code 48852.7 does not supersede or exceed other laws governing special education services for eligible homeless students.

The following paragraph may be revised if the district chooses to provide transportation to other formerly homeless students attending their school of origin.

The district shall not be obligated to provide transportation to students who continue attending their school of origin after they cease to be homeless, unless the formerly homeless student has an individualized education program that includes transportation as a necessary related service for the student. (Education Code 48852.7)

Transfer of Coursework and Credits

Note: The following section is for use by districts maintaining high schools.

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When a homeless student transfers into a district school, the district shall accept and issue full credit for any coursework that the student has satisfactorily completed while attending another public school, a juvenile court school, or a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency and shall not require the student to retake the course. (Education Code 51225.2)

If the homeless student did not complete the entire course, he/she shall be issued partial credit for the coursework completed and shall be required to take the portion of the course that he/she did not complete at his/her previous school. However, the district may require the student to retake the portion of the course completed if, in consultation with the holder of educational rights for the student, the district finds that the student is reasonably able to complete the requirements in time to graduate from high school. Whenever partial credit is issued to a homeless student in any particular course, he/she shall be enrolled in the same or equivalent course, if applicable, so that he/she may continue and complete the entire course. (Education Code 51225.2)

Note: Although Education Code 51225.2 requires districts to award partial credits to homeless students who transfer from school to school, there is no uniform system for calculating and awarding partial credits. A recommendation for how to award partial credit is available in the California Child Welfare Council's Partial Credit Model Policy and Practice Recommendations and should be revised to reflect district practice.

Partial credits shall be awarded on the basis of 0.5 credits for every seven class periods attended per subject. If the school is on a block schedule, each block schedule class period attended shall be equal to two regular class periods per subject. Partial credits and grades earned by a student shall be included on the student's official transcript within two business days of the district's notification of the student's transfer, as required under Education Code 49069.5.

In no event shall the district prevent a homeless student from taking or retaking a course to meet the eligibility requirements for admission to the California State University or the University of California. (Education Code 51225.2)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

Applicability of Graduation Requirements

Note: The following section is for use by districts maintaining high schools. Also see BP 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements.

Education Code 60851.5, ~~as added by SB 172 (Ch. 572, Statutes of 2015)~~, provides that the administration of the California High School Exit Examination and the requirement that each student completing grade 12 successfully pass the exam as a condition of receiving a diploma or a condition of graduation from high school are suspended for the 2015-16, 2016-17, and 2017-18 school years.

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To obtain a high school diploma, a homeless student shall complete all courses required by Education Code 51225.3 and fulfill any additional graduation requirements prescribed by the Governing Board.

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

~~Note: Pursuant to Education Code 51225.1, homeless students who transfer after the second year of high school are exempted from locally established high school graduation requirements in the same manner as foster youth who transfer in the same grades. The district is required to notify the homeless student, the person holding rights to make educational decisions for the student, and the district liaison of the availability of this exemption and whether the student qualifies for it. As amended by AB 1166 (Ch. 171, Statutes of 2015), Education Code 51225.1 provides that, if the district fails to provide this notification, a student who qualifies for the exemption will be eligible for the exemption once he/she is notified, even if that notification is received after the student is no longer homeless.~~

However, when a homeless student who has completed his/her second year of high school transfers into the district from another school district or transfers between high schools within the district, he/she shall be exempted from all district-adopted coursework and other district-established graduation requirements, unless the district makes a finding that the student is reasonably able to complete the additional requirements in time to graduate from high school by the end of his/her fourth year of high school. Within 30 calendar days of the homeless student's transfer, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the student, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her, and the district liaison for homeless students of the availability of the exemption and whether the student qualifies for it. If the Superintendent or designee fails to provide this notification, the student shall be eligible for the exemption once notified, even if the notification occurs after the student is no longer homeless. (Education Code 51225.1)

To determine whether a homeless student is in his/her third or fourth year of high school, the district shall use either the number of credits he/she has earned as of the date of the transfer or the length of his/her school enrollment, whichever qualifies him/her for the exemption. (Education Code 51225.1)

The Superintendent or designee shall notify any homeless student who is granted an exemption and the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her how any requirements that are waived will affect the student's ability to gain admission to a postsecondary educational institution and shall provide information about transfer opportunities available through the California Community Colleges. (Education Code 51225.1)

The district shall not require or request a homeless student to transfer schools in order to qualify for an exemption and no request for a transfer solely to qualify for an exemption shall be made by a homeless student, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for the student, or the district liaison on behalf of the student. (Education Code 51225.1)

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If a homeless student is exempted from local graduation requirements, the exemption shall continue to apply after the student is no longer homeless or if he/she transfers to another school or school district. (Education Code 51225.1)

If the Superintendent or designee determines that a homeless student is reasonably able to complete district graduation requirements within his/her fifth year of high school, he/she shall: (Education Code 51225.1)

1. Inform the student and, if under 18 years of age, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her, of the option available to the student to remain in school for a fifth year to complete the district's graduation requirements and how that will affect his/her ability to gain admission to a postsecondary educational institution
2. Provide information to the homeless student about transfer opportunities available through the California Community Colleges
3. Upon agreement with the homeless student or with the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her if he/she is under 18 years of age, permit the student to stay in school for a fifth year to complete the district's graduation requirements

Eligibility for Extracurricular Activities

Note: The following paragraph is required pursuant to Education Code 48850. See BP 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities for additional eligibility requirements.

A homeless student who enrolls in any district school shall be immediately deemed to meet all residency requirements for participation in interscholastic sports or other extracurricular activities. (Education Code 48850)

(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)
(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

Notification and Complaints

Note: ~~Education Code 51225.1 and 51225.2, as amended by AB 379 (Ch. 772, Statutes of 2015), require that specified educational rights of homeless students be included in the annual uniform complaint procedures notification distributed pursuant to 5 CCR 4622.~~

Information regarding the educational rights of homeless students, as specified in Education Code 51225.1 and 51225.2, shall be included in the annual uniform complaint procedures notification distributed to students, parents/guardians, employees, and other interested parties pursuant to 5 CCR 4622. (Education Code 51225.1, 51225.2)

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Note: ~~AB 379 (Ch. 772, Statutes of 2015) amended~~ Education Code 51225.1 and 51225.2 to provide that complaints of noncompliance with specified requirements related to the educational rights of homeless students may be filed in accordance with the uniform complaint procedures specified in 5 CCR 4600-4687. As with other complaints covered under the uniform complaint procedures, a complainant may appeal the district's decision to the CDE and, if the district or CDE finds any merit in the complaint, the district must provide a remedy to the affected student. See BP/AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures.

Any complaint that the district has not complied with requirements regarding the education of homeless students, as specified in Education Code 51225.1 or 51225.2, may be filed in accordance with the district's procedures in AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures.

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

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Education For Homeless Children

AR 6173
Instruction

Definitions

Homeless students means students who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence and includes: (42 USC 11434a)

1. Students who are sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; are abandoned in hospitals; or are awaiting foster care placement

(cf. 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth)

2. Students who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as regular sleeping accommodations for human beings
3. Students who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings
4. Migratory children who qualify as homeless because they are living in conditions described in items #1-3 above
5. Unaccompanied youth who are not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian

School of origin means the school that the student attended when permanently housed or the school in which the student was last enrolled. (42 USC 11432)

Best interest means, to the extent feasible, continuing a student's enrollment in the school of origin for the duration of his/her homelessness, except when doing so is contrary to the wishes of his/her parent/guardian. (42 USC 11432)

District Liaison

The Superintendent designates the following staff person as the district liaison for homeless students: (42 USC 11432)

Family Resource Center Program Coordinator

3401 Scotland Drive
Antelope, CA 95843
(916) 338-6387

The district's liaison for homeless students shall: (Education Code 48852.5; 42 USC 11432)

1. Ensure that homeless students are identified by school personnel and through coordinated activities with other entities and agencies

(cf. 1400 - Relations between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced-Price Meals)

(cf. 5141.6 - School Health Services)

2. Ensure that homeless students enroll in, and have a full and equal opportunity to succeed in, district schools
3. Ensure that homeless families and students receive educational services for which they are eligible
4. Inform parents/guardians of the educational and related opportunities available to their children and ensure that they are provided with meaningful opportunities to participate in the education of their children

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

5. Disseminate notice of the educational rights of homeless students in district schools that provide services to homeless children and at places where they receive services, such as schools, family shelters, and hunger relief agencies (soup kitchens)
6. Mediate enrollment disputes in accordance with law, Board policy, and administrative regulation
7. Fully inform parents/guardians of all transportation services

(cf. 3250 - Transportation Fees)

(cf. 3541 - Transportation Routes and Services)

8. When notified pursuant to Education Code 48918.1, assist, facilitate, or represent a homeless student who is undergoing a disciplinary proceeding that could result in his/her expulsion

(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process)

9. When notified pursuant to Education Code 48915.5, participate in an individualized education program team meeting to make a manifestation determination regarding the behavior of a student with a disability

(cf. 5144.2 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process (Students with Disabilities))

10. Assist a homeless student to obtain records necessary for his/her enrollment into or transfer out of district schools, including immunization, medical, and academic records

Enrollment

The district shall make placement decisions for homeless students based on the student's best interest. In determining a student's best interest, a homeless student shall, to the extent feasible, be placed in his/her school of origin, unless his/her parent/guardian requests otherwise. (42 USC 11432)

The student may continue attending his/her school of origin for the duration of the homelessness or, if the student moves into permanent housing, until the end of any academic year in which he/she moves into permanent housing. (42 USC 11432)

In the case of an unaccompanied youth, the liaison shall assist in placement or enrollment decisions, consider the views of the student, and provide notice to the student of his/her appeal rights. (42 USC 11432)

When making a placement decision for a homeless student, the Superintendent or designee may consider the age of the student, the distance of the commute and the impact it may have on the student's education, personal safety issues, the student's need for special instruction, the length of anticipated stay in the temporary shelter or other temporary location, likely area of future housing, school placement of siblings, and the time remaining in the school year.

However, placement decisions shall not be based on whether a homeless student lives with his/her homeless parent/guardian or has been temporarily placed elsewhere. (42 USC 11432)

Once a placement decision has been made, the principal or designee shall immediately enroll the student in the school of choice, even if the parent/guardian is unable to provide the school with the records normally required for enrollment. (42 USC 11432)

(cf. 5111.1 - District Residency)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

(cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)

The principal or designee shall immediately contact the school last attended by the student to obtain the relevant records. If the student needs to obtain immunizations or does not possess immunization or other medical records, the principal or designee shall refer the parent/guardian to the district liaison for homeless students. The district liaison shall assist the parent/guardian, or the student if he/she is an unaccompanied youth, in obtaining the necessary immunizations or records for the student. (42 USC 11432)

If the student is placed at a school other than his/her school of origin or the school requested by his/her parent/guardian, the Superintendent or designee shall provide the parent/guardian

with a written explanation of the decision along with a statement regarding the parent/guardian's right to appeal the placement decision. (42 USC 11432)

Resolving Enrollment Disputes

If a dispute arises over school selection or enrollment in a particular school, the student shall be immediately admitted to the school in which enrollment is sought pending resolution of the dispute. (42 USC 11432)

The parent/guardian shall be provided with a written explanation of the placement decision, which shall be complete, as brief as possible, simply stated, and provided in language that the parent/guardian or student can understand. The written explanation shall include:

1. The district liaison's contact information
2. A description of the district's placement decision
3. Notice of the student's right to enroll in the school of choice pending resolution of the dispute, including the right to fully participate in all school activities
4. Notice of the parent/guardian's right to appeal the decision to the county office of education and, if the dispute remains unresolved, to the California Department of Education

The district liaison shall work to resolve an enrollment dispute as expeditiously as possible after receiving notice of the dispute. (42 USC 11432)

In working with a student's parents/guardians to resolve an enrollment dispute, the district liaison shall:

1. Inform them that they may provide written and/or oral documentation to support their position
2. Inform them that they may seek the assistance of social services, advocates, and/or service providers in having the dispute resolved
3. Provide them a simple form that they may use and turn in to the school to initiate the dispute resolution process
4. Provide them a copy of the dispute form they submit for their records
5. Provide them the outcome of the dispute for their records

If a parent/guardian disagrees with the liaison's enrollment decision, he/she may appeal the decision to the Superintendent. The Superintendent shall make a determination within five working days.

If the parent/guardian chooses to appeal the district's placement decision, the district liaison shall forward all written documentation and related paperwork to the homeless liaison at the county office of education.

Transfer of Coursework and Credits

When a homeless student transfers into a district school, the district shall accept and issue full credit for any coursework that the student has satisfactorily completed while attending another public school, a juvenile court school, or a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency and shall not require the student to retake the course. (Education Code 51225.2)

If the homeless student did not complete the entire course, he/she shall be issued partial credit for the coursework completed and shall be required to take the portion of the course that he/she did not complete at his/her previous school. However, the district may require the student to retake the portion of the course completed if, in consultation with the holder of educational rights for the student, the district finds that the student is reasonably able to complete the requirements in time to graduate from high school. Whenever partial credit is issued to a homeless student in any particular course, he/she shall be enrolled in the same or equivalent course, if applicable, so that he/she may continue and complete the entire course. (Education Code 51225.2)

In no event shall the district prevent a homeless student from taking or retaking a course to meet the eligibility requirements for admission to the California State University or the University of California. (Education Code 51225.2)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

Exemption from District Graduation Requirements

To obtain a high school diploma, a homeless student shall pass the high school exit examination in English language arts and mathematics, complete all courses required by Education Code 51225.3, and fulfill any additional graduation requirement prescribed by the Governing Board.

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

(cf. 6162.52 - High School Exit Examination)

However, when a homeless student who has completed his/her second year of high school transfers into the district from another school district or transfers between high schools within the district, he/she shall be exempted from all district-adopted coursework and other district-established graduation requirements, unless the district makes a finding that the student is reasonably able to complete the additional requirements in time to graduate from high school by the end of his/her fourth year of high school. Within 30 calendar days of the homeless student's transfer, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the student, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her, and the district liaison for homeless students of the availability of the exemption and whether the student qualifies for it. (Education Code 51225.1)

To determine whether a homeless student is in his/her third or fourth year of high school, the district shall use either the number of credits he/she has earned as of the date of the transfer or the length of his/her school enrollment, whichever qualifies him/her for the exemption. (Education Code 51225.1)

The Superintendent or designee shall notify any homeless student who is granted an exemption and the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her how any requirements that are waived will affect the student's ability to gain admission to a postsecondary educational institution and shall provide information about transfer opportunities available through the California Community Colleges. (Education Code 51225.1)

The district shall not require or request a homeless student to transfer schools in order to qualify for an exemption and no request for a transfer solely to qualify for an exemption shall be made by a homeless student, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for the student, or by the district liaison on behalf of the student. (Education Code 51225.1)

If the Superintendent or designee determines that a homeless student is reasonably able to complete district graduation requirements within his/her fifth year of high school, he/she shall: (Education Code 51225.1)

1. Inform the student and, if under 18 years of age, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her, of the option available to the student to remain in school for a fifth year to complete the district's graduation requirements and how that will affect his/her ability to gain admission to a postsecondary educational institution
2. Provide information to the homeless student about transfer opportunities available through the California Community Colleges
3. Upon agreement with the homeless student or, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her if he/she is under 18 years of age, permit the student to stay in school for a fifth year to complete the district's graduation requirements

Eligibility for Extracurricular Activities

A homeless student who enrolls in any district school shall be immediately deemed to meet all residency requirements for participation in interscholastic sports or other extracurricular activities. (Education Code 48850)

(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)
(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

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CENTER UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
Antelope, California

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Instruction

E(1) 6173(a)

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN

DISTRICT EXPLANATION OF ENROLLMENT DECISION RELATED TO ELIGIBILITY, SCHOOL SELECTION, OR ENROLLMENT

Note: The following form should be revised to reflect district practice. In its Non-Regulatory Guidance Education for Homeless Children and Youths Program, issued July 2004, the U.S. Department of Education recommends that the written statement of any decision regarding a homeless student's eligibility, school selection, or enrollment include the elements specified below. See the accompanying administrative regulation.

Instructions: The following form ~~is to be used when the district has denied a parent/guardian's the enrollment request~~ provides notice and explanation to a student's parent/guardian or an unaccompanied youth regarding the district's decision related to student eligibility, school selection, or enrollment.

Date: _____ Name of person completing form: _____
Title: _____ Phone number: _____

In accordance with the federal law McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (42 USC ~~11432-11431-11435~~), this notification is being provided to either:

Name _____ of _____ parent(s)/guardian(s):

Name of unaccompanied student(s): _____

Name of school requested: _____

District's placement decision (name of school): _____

Action(s) proposed/refused by the district related to eligibility, school selection, or enrollment:

~~After reviewing your request to enroll your child in the school listed above, your enrollment request has been denied.~~

~~This~~ The district's determination regarding eligibility, school selection, or enrollment was based upon the following evidence and for the following reasons:

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

Other options that the district considered, if any, included the following options which were rejected for the following reasons:

Factors relevant to the district's decision and information related to the eligibility or best interest determination including the facts, witnesses, and evidence relied upon and their sources, if any:

You have the right to appeal this decision to the district Superintendent. To do so, contact the district's homeless liaison listed below within the next (insert number of days) days to request a Dispute Form. You may provide written or verbal documentation to support your position, and may also seek the assistance of social services, advocates, and/or service providers in the dispute process. The Superintendent or designee will review all the evidence and will notify you of his/her decision within (insert number of days) days.

If you are not satisfied with the Superintendent's decision, you may appeal to the (insert county name) County Office of Education. If you are not satisfied with the county office's decision, you may then appeal to the California Department of Education. The district's homeless liaison can assist you with this appeal.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

District Liaison: The district liaison is one of the primary contacts between homeless families and school or district staff. He/she is responsible for coordinating services to ensure that homeless students enroll in school and have the opportunity to succeed academically, and mediates enrollment disputes as needed.

Name of district's homeless liaison: _____
Address: _____
Phone number: _____

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN (continued)

County Liaison: If you appeal the district's decision to the county office of education, the district liaison shall forward all written documentation and related paperwork to the homeless liaison at the county office. The county liaison will review the materials and determine the eligibility, school selection, or enrollment decision within five working days of receiving the materials. He/she will notify you of the decision.

Name of County Office of Education homeless liaison: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone number: _____

State Coordinator: If you appeal the county office's decision to the California Department of Education, the county homeless liaison shall forward all written documentation and related paperwork to the State Homeless Coordinator. The state coordinator will review the district, county office, and parent/guardian information and will notify you of the decision within ten working days of receiving the materials.

Name of state homeless coordinator: _____
 Address: _____
 Phone number: _____

RIGHTS:

You also have the following rights:

Pending the final resolution of this dispute, including the period of all appeals, your child the student has the right to immediately enroll in the school you requested and to participate fully in school activities at that school.

- You may provide written or verbal documentation to support your position. You may use the district's dispute resolution form. A copy of the dispute resolution form can be obtained from the district's liaison for homeless students.
- You may seek the assistance of advocates or attorneys to help you with this appeal.

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Instruction

E(2) 6173

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN

~~ENROLLMENT~~ DISPUTE FORM

Instructions: This form is to be completed by a parent/guardian or student when a dispute regarding enrollment has arisen. As an alternative to completing this form, the information on this form may be shared verbally with the district's liaison for homeless students.

Date submitted: _____
Name of person completing form: _____
Student's name: _____
Name of person completing form: _____
Relation to student: _____
I may be contacted at the following:
Address: _____
Phone number: _____

Name of school requested: _____

I wish to appeal the ~~eligibility, school selection, or~~ enrollment decision made by:
 District liaison ~~District~~ Superintendent ~~County office of education~~ liaison

Reason for the appeal: You may include an explanation to support your appeal in this space or provide your explanation verbally.

I have been provided with:

- A written explanation of the district's decision
- Contact information for the district's homeless liaison
- Contact information for the county office of education's homeless liaison
- ~~Contact information for the state homeless coordinator~~

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Exhibit

Education For Homeless Children

E 6173

Instruction

DISTRICT EXPLANATION OF ENROLLMENT DECISION

Instructions: The following form is to be used when the district has denied a parent/guardian's enrollment request.

Date: _____ Name of person completing form: _____
Title: _____ Phone number: _____

In accordance with federal law (42 USC 11432), this notification is being provided to:

Name of parent/guardian: _____

Name of student(s): _____

Name of school requested: _____

District's placement decision (name of school): _____

After reviewing your request to enroll your child in the school listed above, your enrollment request has been denied. This determination was based upon:

You have the right to appeal this decision to the district Superintendent. If you are not satisfied with the Superintendent's decision, you may appeal to the _____ (county name) _____ County Office of Education. If you are not satisfied with the county office's decision, you may then appeal to the California Department of Education. The district's homeless liaison can assist you with this appeal.

Name of district's homeless liaison: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Name of County Office of Education homeless liaison: _____

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

You also have the following rights:

* Pending resolution of this dispute, your child has the right to immediately enroll in the school you requested and to participate in school activities at that school.

* You may provide written or verbal documentation to support your position. You may use the district's dispute resolution form. A copy of the dispute resolution form can be obtained from the district's liaison for homeless students.

* You may seek the assistance of advocates or attorneys to help you with this appeal.

EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN

ENROLLMENT DISPUTE FORM

Instructions: This form is to be completed by a parent/guardian or student when a dispute regarding enrollment has arisen. As an alternative to completing this form, the information on this form may be shared verbally with the district's liaison for homeless students.

Date submitted: _____

Name of person completing form: _____

Student's name: _____

Relation to student: _____

I may be contacted at the following:

Address: _____

Phone number: _____

Name of school requested: _____

I wish to appeal the enrollment decision made by:

District liaison Superintendent County liaison

Reason for the appeal: You may include an explanation to support your appeal in this space or provide your explanation verbally.

I have been provided with:

- ___ A written explanation of the district's decision
- ___ Contact information for the district's homeless liaison
- ___ Contact information for the county office of education's homeless liaison

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CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

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AR 6173.3(a)

EDUCATION FOR JUVENILE COURT SCHOOL STUDENTS

Note: The following administrative regulation is for use by districts that maintain secondary schools. Juvenile court schools are operated by county offices of education pursuant to Education Code 48645-48646 and serve students who are under the protection or authority of the county juvenile justice system. Pursuant to Education Code 48645.2, such schools may be administered either by the County Superintendent of Schools or by the board of the district in which the juvenile court school is located, through a contract between the County Board of Education and the district's governing board.

Education Code 51225.1 and 51225.2, as amended by AB 2306 (Ch. 464, Statutes of 2016), establish educational rights of former juvenile court school students who transition into a district school. These include rights related to the immediate enrollment of such students, the immediate transfer of educational records, the transfer of coursework and credits, and exemption from district-established graduation requirements under certain conditions.

The following optional paragraph reflects the intent expressed in Education Code 48647 to encourage collaboration between the district and county agencies to ensure effective communication, enrollment, and placement practices.

The Superintendent or designee shall collaborate with the County Superintendent of Schools and the county probation department to facilitate the transition of students from a juvenile court school into the regular schools of the district. Such collaboration may include, but not be limited to, the development of data-sharing systems, communication strategies, and other structures that aid in the enrollment, placement, and continuous educational progress of such students.

Enrollment

Note: Education Code 48645.5 requires the immediate enrollment of a student who has had contact with the juvenile justice system. Pursuant to Education Code 48645.5 and 48853.5, such a student must be enrolled even if he/she (1) has outstanding fees, fines, textbooks, or other items or monies due to the previous school; (2) does not have clothing normally required by the school, such as school uniforms; or (3) is unable to produce records normally required for enrollment.

A former juvenile court school student transferring into a regular district school shall be immediately enrolled in the school. The Superintendent or designee shall not deny enrollment to a student solely on the basis of his/her arrest, adjudication by a juvenile court, formal or informal supervision by a probation officer, detention in a juvenile facility, enrollment in a juvenile court school, or other contact with the juvenile justice system. (Education Code 48645.5)

(cf. 5111 - Admission)

(cf. 5111.1 - District Residency)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

(cf. 5125.2 - Withholding Grades, Diploma or Transcripts)

EDUCATION FOR JUVENILE COURT SCHOOL STUDENTS (continued)

(cf. 5132 - Dress and Grooming)
(cf. 5141.26 - Tuberculosis Testing)
(cf. 5141.31 - Immunizations)

Transfer of Coursework and Credits

When a student transfers from a juvenile court school into a district school, the district shall accept and issue full credit for any coursework that the student has satisfactorily completed at that school and shall not require the student to retake the course. If the student did not complete the entire course, he/she shall be issued partial credit for the coursework completed and shall not be required to retake the portion of the course completed. (Education Code 48645.5, 51225.2)

However, a student may be required to retake the portion of the course completed if the Superintendent or designee, in consultation with the holder of educational rights for the student, finds that the student is reasonably able to complete the requirements in time to graduate from high school. Whenever partial credit is issued to a former juvenile court school student in any particular course, he/she shall be enrolled in the same or equivalent course, if applicable, so that he/she may continue and complete the entire course. (Education Code 51225.2)

Note: The following paragraph should be revised to reflect district practice, consistent with district policy related to partial credit awarded to homeless students and foster youth. Although Education Code 51225.2, as amended by AB 2306 (Ch. 464, Statutes of 2016), requires districts to award partial credits to former juvenile court school students who transfer from school to school, there is no uniform system for calculating and awarding partial credits. The following paragraph reflects a recommendation in the California Child Welfare Council's Partial Credit Model Policy and Practice Recommendations and is consistent with the approach provided in AR 6173 - Education for Homeless Children and AR 6173.1 - Education for Foster Youth.

Partial credits shall be awarded on the basis of 0.5 credits for every seven class periods attended per subject. If the school is on a block schedule, each block schedule class period attended shall be equal to two regular class periods per subject.

In no event shall the district prevent a former juvenile court school student from taking or retaking a course to meet the eligibility requirements for admission to the California State University or the University of California. (Education Code 51225.2)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

Graduation

If a student completes district graduation requirements while being detained in a juvenile facility, the district shall issue the student a diploma from the school the student last attended, unless the County Superintendent issues the diploma. (Education Code 48645.5)

EDUCATION FOR JUVENILE COURT SCHOOL STUDENTS (continued)

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

Note: The remainder of this section addresses the completion of graduation requirements by students who transfer from a juvenile court school to a district school after completing two years of high school. Education Code 51225.1, as amended by AB 2306 (Ch. 464, Statutes of 2016), exempts such students from district-established graduation requirements under certain conditions.

A student who transfers to a district school from a juvenile court school shall generally be expected to complete all courses required by Education Code 51225.3 and to fulfill any additional graduation requirements prescribed by the Governing Board.

However, when a student who has completed his/her second year of high school transfers from a juvenile court school into a district school, he/she shall be exempted from all district-adopted coursework and other district-established graduation requirements, unless the district makes a finding that the student is reasonably able to complete the additional requirements in time to graduate from high school by the end of his/her fourth year of high school. Within 30 calendar days of the student's transfer, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the student, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her, and the student's social worker or probation officer of the availability of the exemption and whether the student qualifies for it. If the Superintendent or designee fails to provide this notification, the student shall be eligible for the exemption once notified, even if the notification occurs after the termination of the court's jurisdiction over the student. (Education Code 51225.1)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

To determine whether a student is in his/her third or fourth year of high school, the district shall use either the number of credits he/she has earned as of the date of the transfer or the length of his/her school enrollment, whichever qualifies him/her for the exemption. (Education Code 51225.1)

The Superintendent or designee shall notify any former juvenile court school student who is granted an exemption and the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her how any requirements that are waived will affect the student's ability to gain admission to a postsecondary educational institution and shall provide information about transfer opportunities available through the California Community Colleges. (Education Code 51225.1)

The district shall not require or request a former juvenile court school student to transfer schools in order to qualify for an exemption, and no request for a transfer solely to qualify for an exemption shall be made by a student, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for the student, or the student's social worker or probation officer. (Education Code 51225.1)

EDUCATION FOR JUVENILE COURT SCHOOL STUDENTS (continued)

If a student is exempted from local graduation requirements, the exemption shall continue to apply after the termination of the court's jurisdiction over the student or if he/she transfers to another school or school district. (Education Code 51225.1)

If the Superintendent or designee determines that a former juvenile court school student is reasonably able to complete district graduation requirements within his/her fifth year of high school, he/she shall: (Education Code 51225.1)

1. Inform the student and, if the student is under 18 years of age, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her, of the option available to the student to remain in school for a fifth year to complete the district's graduation requirements and how that will affect his/her ability to gain admission to a postsecondary educational institution
2. Provide information to the student about transfer opportunities available through the California Community Colleges
3. Upon agreement with the student or with the person holding the right to make educational decisions for him/her if he/she is under 18 years of age, permit the student to stay in school for a fifth year to complete the district's graduation requirements

Notification and Complaints

Information regarding the educational rights of former juvenile court school students, as specified in Education Code 51225.1 and 51225.2, shall be included in the annual uniform complaint procedures notification distributed to students, parents/guardians, employees, and other interested parties pursuant to 5 CCR 4622. (Education Code 51225.1, 51225.2)

Note: Education Code 51225.1 and 51225.2, as amended by AB 2306 (Ch. 464, Statutes of 2016), provide that complaints of noncompliance with specified requirements related to the educational rights of former juvenile court school students may be filed in accordance with the uniform complaint procedures specified in 5 CCR 4600-4687. As with other complaints covered under the uniform complaint procedures, a complainant may appeal the district's decision to the California Department of Education (CDE) and, if the district or CDE finds any merit in the complaint, the district must provide a remedy to the affected student. See BP/AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures.

Any complaint that the district has not complied with requirements regarding the education of former juvenile court school students, as specified in Education Code 51225.1 or 51225.2, may be filed in accordance with the district's procedures in AR 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures.

(cf. 1312.3 - Uniform Complaint Procedures)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

EDUCATION FOR JUVENILE COURT SCHOOL STUDENTS (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

48645-48648 Juvenile court schools

48853.5 Immediate enrollment

51225.1 Exemption from district graduation requirements

51225.2 Former juvenile court school student defined; acceptance of coursework, credits, retaking of course

51225.3 High school graduation

60851.5 Suspension of high school exit examination

WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE

602 Minors violating law; ward of court

880-893 Wards and dependent children; juvenile homes, ranches and camps

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

4600-4687 Uniform complaint procedures

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA CHILD WELFARE COUNCIL

Partial Credit Model Policy and Practice Recommendations

YOUTH LAW CENTER PUBLICATIONS

Educational Injustice: Barriers to Achievement and Higher Education for Youth in California Juvenile Court Schools, 2016

WEB SITES

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

California Child Welfare Council: <http://www.chhs.ca.gov/Pages/CChildWelfareCouncil.aspx>

California Department of Education, Juvenile Court Schools: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/eo/jc>

Youth Law Center: <http://www.ylc.org>

CSBA Sample Board Policy

Instruction

BP 6174(a)

EDUCATION FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

Note: The following policy may be revised to reflect district practice. State and federal law establish requirements for the identification, placement, and education of English learners.

Proposition 58 (November 2016) amended Education Code 305-310 to authorize parents/guardians to select a language acquisition program that best suits their child and repealed Education Code 311 thereby eliminating the requirement that parents/guardians request a waiver from the district if they want to enroll their child in a program other than a structured English immersion program. See the section on "Language Acquisition Programs" below.

In addition, 20 USC 6801-6871 7014 (Title III, Part A) provide grant funds that may be used to supplement, but not supplant, funding from other sources for the purpose of ensuring that English learners attain English proficiency and meet the same challenging academic standards that are applicable to all students. During the Federal Program Monitoring (FPM) process, California Department of Education (CDE) staff will expect to see evidence that the district has complied with state and federal requirements. See the CDE web site for FPM compliance monitoring instruments.

Contingent upon voter approval in the November 2016 statewide general election, SB 1174 (Ch. 753, Statutes of 2014) would amend and repeal various statutes effective July 1, 2017. If approved, the changes will include authorization for parents/guardians to select a language acquisition program that best suits their child and a requirement for districts to solicit input on language acquisition programs as part of the parent/guardian and community engagement process required for development of the local control and accountability plan (LCAP) (see BP 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan).

The Governing Board intends to provide English learners with challenging curriculum and instruction that develop proficiency in English as rapidly and effectively as possible while facilitating student achievement in the district's regular course of study.

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 42238.02 and 42238.03, the local control funding formula (LCFF) provides additional funding based on the number and concentration of unduplicated counts of students who are English learners, foster youth, and/or eligible for free or reduced-price meals. Such funds must be used to increase or improve services for unduplicated students at least in proportion to the increase in funds apportioned on the basis of the number or concentration of unduplicated students; see BP 3100 - Budget.

In addition, Education Code 52060 requires the district's local control and accountability plan (LCAP) to include annual goals and specific actions, aligned to state and local priorities, for all students and for each "numerically significant" student subgroup as defined in Education Code 52052, including English learners; see BP/AR 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan.

The district shall identify in its local control and accountability plan (LCAP) goals and specific actions and services to enhance student engagement, academic achievement, and other outcomes for English learners.

(cf. 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan)

(cf. 3100 - Budget)

EDUCATION FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS (continued)

Note: The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district strategies for parent/guardian and community involvement. Education Code 305, as amended by Proposition 58 (November 2016), requires the district to solicit input on language acquisition programs as part of the parent and community engagement process during the development of the LCAP; see section on "Language Acquisition Programs" below. In addition, if district enrollment includes at least 15 percent English learners, with at least 50 students who are English learners, Education Code 52063 requires the establishment of an English learner parent advisory committee to review and comment on the district's LCAP; see the accompanying administrative regulation and BP 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan.

The Superintendent or designee shall encourage parent/guardian and community involvement in the development, ~~implementation~~ and evaluation of ~~English language development~~ programs for English learners.

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)
 (cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)
 (cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 60811, in November 2012 the State Board of Education (SBE) adopted state academic content standards for English language development (ELD), aligned with the California Common Core State Standards for English language arts, for students whose primary language is a language other than English. In July 2014, the SBE adopted the English Language Arts/English Language Development Framework aligned to those standards. ~~Education Code 60811 and 60811.4 require the Superintendent of Public Instruction to recommend updated English language development standards that are also aligned with state standards for mathematics and science, and require the SBE to either adopt or reject those recommended standards by August 1, 2015. A supplementary resource, Integrating the CA ELD Standards into K-12 Mathematics and Science Teaching and Learning, specifies the correspondence between the state ELD standards and the California Common Core State Standards for mathematics and the Next Generation Science Standards.~~

~~Education Code 60211 authorizes the SBE to adopt, no later than November 30, 2015, K-8 instructional materials aligned to the state English language development standards. To bridge the gap until such materials are available, the SBE has approved a list of K-8 supplementary instructional materials which is available on the CDE's web site; this list is informational only.~~

English learners shall be provided English language development instruction targeted to their English proficiency level and aligned with the state content standards and curriculum framework. The district's program shall be based on sound instructional theory, use standards-aligned instructional materials, and assist students in accessing the full educational program.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)
 (cf. 6141 - Curriculum Development and Evaluation)
 (cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)
 (cf. 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials)
 (cf. 6171 - Title I Programs)

EDUCATION FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS (continued)

Note: Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) leaflet CL-622, Serving English Learners, describes requirements pertaining to the qualifications of teachers of English learners. A teacher who is assigned to provide English language development, specially designed academic instruction in English, and/or primary language instruction to English learners must hold an appropriate authorization from the CTC; see AR 4112.22 - Staff Teaching English Language Learners.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that all staff employed to teach English learners possess the appropriate authorization from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

(cf. 4112.22 - Staff Teaching English Language Learners)

Note: ~~The following optional paragraph reflects professional development required under 20 USC 6825 for districts receiving federal Title III funds and may be revised or deleted by other districts to reflect district practice. 20 USC 6825 specifies that the professional development described below must be of sufficient intensity and duration to have a positive and lasting impact on teacher performance (i.e., it must go beyond one-day or short-term workshops and conferences). The following paragraph is for use by districts that receive federal Title III funds to improve the education of English learners. 20 USC 6825 lists the required uses of such funds, including the provision of professional development of sufficient intensity and duration to have a positive and lasting impact on teachers' performance in the classroom. Pursuant to 20 USC 6825, such professional development must not include one-day or short-term workshops and conferences. Districts that do not receive Title III funds may delete or adapt the following paragraph to reflect district practice.~~

~~The Superintendent or designee district shall provide effective professional development to teachers (including teachers in classroom settings that are not the settings of language instruction educational programs), administrators, and other school or community-based organization personnel staff research-based professional development that is designed to improve the instruction and assessment of English learners and enhance staff's ability to understand and use curricula, assessment, and instructional strategies for English learners. Such professional development shall be of sufficient intensity and duration to produce a positive and lasting impact on teachers' performance in the classroom. (20 USC 6825)~~

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

Note: ~~The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district strategies for parent/guardian and community involvement. If district enrollment includes at least 15 percent English learners, with at least 50 students who are English learners, Education Code 52063 requires the establishment of an English learner parent advisory committee to review and comment on the district's LCAP; see the accompanying administrative regulation and BP 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan.~~

~~The Superintendent or designee shall encourage parent/guardian and community involvement in the development, implementation, and evaluation of English language development programs. In addition, tTo support students' English language development, the Superintendent or designee may provide an adult literacy training program that leads to English fluency for parents/guardians and community members.~~

EDUCATION FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS (continued)

~~(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)~~
~~(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)~~
~~(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)~~

Identification and Assessment

Note: Education Code 313 requires any district that has one or more students who are English learners to assess the English language proficiency of those students using a state assessment designated by the SBE. The state is transitioning from the California English Language Development Test (CELDT) is the state test designated for this purpose. However, in the 2016-17 school year the state will field test a new language proficiency assessment, to the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (ELPAC), which is aligned with the 2012 state standards for English language development-ELD. The ELPAC will include both an initial screening test to identify students who may be English learners and a summative assessment, operational in spring 2018, for determining which will be used to determine English learners' level of English proficiency and their progress in acquiring the skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English. The ELPAC's initial screening test for identifying students who may be English learners will be operational July 1, 2018. The CDE also provides a home language survey to be used to identify students who should be tested for English proficiency. See the accompanying administrative regulation for further information about test administration and identification and reclassification criteria.

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain procedures for the accurate identification of English learners and an assessment of their proficiency and needs in the areas of listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.

Once identified as an English learner, a student shall be annually assessed for language proficiency until he/she is reclassified based on criteria specified in the accompanying administrative regulation.

Note: In addition to testing the level of English proficiency of English learners, districts are required pursuant to Education Code 60640 to administer the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress to English learners; see BP/AR 6162.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests. As needed, English learners may be provided with the testing resources (i.e., universal tools, designated supports, and accommodations) specified in 5 CCR 853.5 and 853.7, as amended by Register 2014, No. 35, during test administration.

Education Code 60640, as amended by SB 858 (Ch. 32, Statutes of 2014), also authorizes districts to administer a primary language assessment to students English learners in grades 2-11 for the purpose of assessing students' competency in reading, writing, and listening in their primary language. The Standards-Based Test in Spanish may be used for this purpose until a test is available that is aligned with the most recent state ELD-English language development standards. The SBE is required to adopt such an assessment to be used no later than the 2016-17 school year. The new California Spanish Assessment is expected to be operational in the 2018-19 school year.

English learners' academic achievement in English language arts, mathematics, science, and any additional subject required by law shall be assessed using the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress. As necessary, the test shall be administered with allowable testing variations in accordance with 5 CCR 853.5 and 853.7. English learners

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who are in their first 12 months of attending a school in the United States shall be exempted from taking the English language arts assessment to the extent allowed by federal law. (Education Code 60603, 60640; 5 CCR 853.5, 853.7)

(cf. 6152.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests)

Placement of English Learners Language Acquisition Programs

Note: Education Code 300-340, added by Proposition 227 (June 1998), require that English learners who have not yet attained a reasonable level of English proficiency be educated through a program of "structured English immersion," as defined in law and the accompanying administrative regulation, with the goal that students learn English as rapidly and effectively as possible. In *McLaughlin v. State Board of Education*, the court held that the SBE may not grant waivers related to Education Code 300-340 pursuant to its waiver authority in Education Code 33050. Effective July 1, 2017, Proposition 58 (November 2016) amended Education Code 305-310 and repealed Education Code 311 to authorize parents/guardians to select a language acquisition program that best suits their child. At a minimum, the district must offer a structured English immersion program. It also may offer a dual-language immersion program, transitional and developmental program for English learners, or other language acquisition program as defined in Education Code 306; see the accompanying administrative regulation. The following section may be revised to reflect programs offered by the district.

Pursuant to Education Code 310, as amended, when the parents/guardians of 30 or more students at a school or 20 or more students in any grade level at the school request a particular language acquisition program, the district shall offer that program at the school site to the extent possible.

In establishing the district's language acquisition programs, the Superintendent or designee shall consult with parents/guardians and the community during the LCAP development process. He/she shall also consult with administrators, teachers, and other personnel with appropriate authorizations and experience in establishing a language acquisition program. (Education Code 305)

Language acquisition programs are educational programs that are designed to ensure English acquisition as rapidly and as effectively as possible and that provide instruction to students on the state-adopted academic content standards, including the English language development standards. The language acquisition programs provided to students shall be informed by research and shall lead to grade-level proficiency and academic achievement in both English and another language. (Education Code 306)

Students who are English learners shall be educated through "structured English immersion" (also known as "sheltered English immersion"), as defined in law and the accompanying administrative regulation, for a temporary transition period not normally intended to exceed one year.

The district shall offer English learners a structured English immersion program to ensure that English learners have access to the core academic content standards.

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including the English language development standards, and become proficient in English. In the structured English immersion program, ~~Nearly all of the classroom instruction in the district's structured English immersion program~~ shall be provided in English, but with the curriculum and presentation designed for students who are learning the language English. (Education Code 305-306)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. The Education Code does not define the term "nearly all" for purposes of ensuring that nearly all instruction in the structured English immersion program is provided in English pursuant to Education Code 306, and the SBE has declared that it is the responsibility of districts to determine the appropriate ratio of English to native language instruction. The following paragraph defines "nearly all" as to provide that all classroom instruction be conducted in English except for clarification, explanation, and support as needed. The district could instead establish a minimum percentage of classroom instructional time to be conducted in English or specify the types of courses to be conducted in English and the courses (e.g., science, algebra) to be taught in the student's primary language. ~~The following paragraph may be revised to reflect the district's definition of "nearly all."~~

~~"Nearly all,"~~ For the purpose of determining the amount of instruction to be conducted in English in the structured English immersion program, "nearly all" means that all classroom instruction shall be conducted in English except for clarification, explanation, and support as needed.

Note: Items #1-2 below are optional and may be revised to reflect district practice.

In addition, language acquisition programs offered by the district may include, but are not limited to, the following: (Education Code 305-306)

1. The district may offer a dual-language immersion program that provides integrated language learning and academic instruction for native speakers of English and native speakers of another language, with the goals of high academic achievement, first and second language proficiency, and cross-cultural understanding.

(cf. 6142.2 - World/Foreign Language Instruction)

2. The district may offer a transitional or developmental program for English learners that provides literacy and academic instruction in English and a student's native language and that enables an English learner to achieve English proficiency and academic mastery of subject matter content and higher order thinking skills, including critical thinking, in order to meet state academic content standards.

Parents/guardians of English learners may choose a language acquisition program that best suits their child. To the extent possible, any language acquisition program

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requested by the parents/guardians of 30 or more students at the school or by the parents/guardians of 20 or more students at any grade level shall be offered by the school. (Education Code 310)

Note: The following paragraph is for use by districts that maintain any of grades K-3. Education Code 310, as amended by Proposition 58 (November 2016), requires that language acquisition programs in grades K-3 comply with class size requirements specified in Education Code 42238.02. For further information, see BP 6151 - Class Size.

The district's language acquisition programs for grades K-3 shall comply with class size requirements specified in Education Code 42238.02. (Education Code 310)

(cf. 6151 - Class Size)

Note: Education Code 310, as amended by Proposition 58 (November 2016), requires any district that implements a language acquisition program to distribute the following notification when a student enrolls in school or as part of the annual notification issued pursuant to Education Code 48980.

At the beginning of each school year or upon a student's enrollment, parents/guardians shall be provided information on the types of language acquisition programs available to students enrolled in the district, including, but not limited to, a description of each program. (Education Code 310)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

Note: As amended by Proposition 58 (November 2016), Education Code 305 no longer specifies that enrollment in a structured English immersion program is "not normally intended to exceed one year," nor does it address a timeline for students to be transferred from any other language acquisition program into an English language mainstream classroom. However, an English learner may transfer to an English language mainstream classroom when he/she has developed the English language skills necessary to succeed in an English-only classroom and, based on criteria established pursuant to Education Code 313 and 52164.6, is reclassified as fluent English proficient. See the accompanying administrative regulation. Furthermore, pursuant to 20 USC 6312, 34 CFR 100.3, and 5 CCR 11301, parents/guardians have a right to decline or opt their child out of a language acquisition program.

When an English learner is determined pursuant to state and district reclassification criteria to have acquired a reasonable level of English proficiency pursuant to Education Code 313 and 52164.6, or upon request by the student's parent/guardian, the student shall be transferred from a language acquisition program into an English language mainstream classroom.

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Note: Pursuant to Education Code 305 306 and 5 CCR 11301, when a student has acquired a reasonable level of English proficiency, as measured by state or local assessment instruments, he/she shall be removed from the structured English immersion classroom and placed in an English mainstream classroom in which the language of instruction is overwhelmingly in English. The term "overwhelmingly" is not defined in the Education Code nor in the state regulations.

The definition of "reasonable level of proficiency" is one that must be made at the local level. The following paragraph should be revised to specify the types of assessment instruments and scores and/or other local tools (e.g., student portfolios or grades) which will be used to determine whether a student has achieved a reasonable level of English proficiency for purposes of qualifying for transfer to an English mainstream classroom. The district should fill in the blanks below with its definition of "reasonable level of proficiency."⁴

When an English learner has acquired a reasonable level of English proficiency as measured by any of the state designated assessments approved by the California Department of Education, any district assessments, and/or other criteria adopted by the Board, he/she shall be transferred from a structured English immersion classroom to an English language mainstream classroom in which the instruction is overwhelmingly in English. (Education Code 305 306; 5 CCR 11301)

(cf. 6162.5 - Student Assessment)

An English learner has acquired a "reasonable level of English proficiency" when he/she has achieved the following:

Note: 5 CCR 11301 allows a parent/guardian to have his/her child moved into an English language mainstream classroom at any time during the school year. According to the CDE, the parent/guardian only needs to request this placement; he/she does not need to go through the waiver process described below in the section entitled "Parental Exception Waivers."⁴

Education Code 320 grants parents/guardians legal standing to sue Governing Board members, teachers, or administrators if their child has been "willfully and repeatedly" denied the option of an English language mainstream classroom. The constitutionality of this section was upheld by the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals in *California Teachers Association v. the State Board of Education*. Therefore, districts should ensure that requests from parents/guardians to place their child in an English language mainstream classroom are granted immediately.

At any time during the school year, the parent/guardian of an English learner may have his/her child moved into an English language mainstream program. (5 CCR 11301)

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Note: The following section may be revised to reflect indicators agreed upon by the Board and Superintendent or designee for measuring the effectiveness of the district's educational program for English learners.

Education Code 52061 requires that the annual update of the LCAP include a review of progress toward the goals included in the LCAP, an assessment of the effectiveness of the specific actions described in the LCAP toward achieving the goals, and a description of changes the district will make as a result of this review and assessment.

Pursuant to Education Code 313.2, the CDE is required to annually determine the number of students in each district and school who are, or at risk of becoming, long-term English learners and to report that information to districts and schools. Definitions of "long-term English learner" and "English learner at risk of becoming a long-term English learner" are contained in Education Code 313.1.

~~The federal Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) (P.L. 114-95) repealed 20 USC 6842, thereby eliminating the requirement that districts receiving federal Title III funding (20 USC 6841-6849) reach "annual measurable achievement objectives," including annual increases in the number or percentage of English learners making progress in English proficiency. Instead, 20 USC 6311, as amended by the ESSA, requires the inclusion of a performance indicator on English language proficiency within the state accountability system under Title I.~~

To evaluate the effectiveness of the district's educational program for English learners, the Superintendent or designee shall report to the Board, at least annually, regarding:

1. Progress of English learners towards proficiency in English
2. The number and percentage of English learners reclassified as fluent English proficient
3. The number and percentage of English learners who are or are at risk of being classified as long-term English learners in accordance with Education Code 313.1
4. The achievement of English learners on standards-based tests in core curricular areas
5. Progress toward any other goals for English learners identified in the district's LCAP
6. A comparison of current data with data from at least the previous year

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The Superintendent or designee also shall provide the Board with regular reports from any district or schoolwide English learner advisory committees.

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The Governing Board intends to provide English learners with challenging curriculum and instruction that develop proficiency in English as rapidly and effectively as possible while facilitating student achievement in the district's regular course of study.

The district shall identify in its local control and accountability plan (LCAP) specific actions and services to enhance student engagement, academic achievement, and other outcomes for English learners.

(cf. 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan)
(cf. 3100 - Budget)

English learners shall be provided English language development instruction targeted to their English proficiency level and aligned with the state content standards and curriculum framework. The district's program shall be based on sound instructional theory, use standards-aligned instructional materials, and assist students in accessing the full educational program.

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)
(cf. 6141 - Curriculum Development and Evaluation)
(cf. 6161.1 - Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials)
(cf. 6161.11 - Supplementary Instructional Materials)
(cf. 6171 - Title I Programs)

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that all staff employed to teach English learners possess the appropriate authorization from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

(cf. 4112.22 - Staff Teaching English Language Learners)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide to teachers, administrators, and other school staff research-based professional development that is designed to improve the instruction and assessment of English learners and enhance staff's ability to understand and use curricula, assessment, and instructional strategies for English learners. (20 USC 6825)

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)
(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

The Superintendent or designee shall encourage parent/guardian and community involvement in the development, implementation, and evaluation of English language development programs. In addition, to support students' English language development, the Superintendent or designee may provide an adult literacy training program that leads to English fluency for parents/guardians and community members.

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)
(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)
(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

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The Superintendent or designee shall maintain procedures which provide for the accurate identification of English learners and an assessment of their proficiency and needs in the areas of listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.

Once identified as an English learner, a student shall be annually assessed for language proficiency until he/she is reclassified based on criteria specified in the accompanying administrative regulation.

English learners' academic achievement in English language arts, mathematics, science, and any additional subject required by law shall be assessed using the California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress. As necessary, the test shall be administered with allowable testing variations in accordance with 5 CCR 853.5 and 853.7. English learners who are in their first 12 months of attending a school in the United States shall be exempted from taking the English language arts assessment to the extent allowed by federal law. (Education Code 60603, 60640; 5 CCR 853.5, 853.7)

(cf. 6152.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests)

Placement of English Learners

Students who are English learners shall be educated through "structured English immersion" (also known as "sheltered English immersion"), as defined in law and the accompanying administrative regulation, for a temporary transition period not normally intended to exceed one year. Nearly all of the classroom instruction in the district's structured English immersion program shall be in English, but with the curriculum and presentation designed for students who are learning the language. (Education Code 305-306)

"Nearly all," for the purpose of determining the amount of instruction to be conducted in English, means that all classroom instruction shall be conducted in English except for clarification, explanation, and support as needed.

When an English learner has acquired a reasonable level of English proficiency as measured by any of the state-designated assessments approved by the California Department of Education, any district assessments, and/or other criteria adopted by the Board, he/she shall be transferred from a structured English immersion classroom to an English language mainstream classroom in which the instruction is overwhelmingly in English. (Education Code 305-306; 5 CCR 11301)

(cf. 6162.5 - Student Assessment)

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An English learner has acquired a "reasonable level of English proficiency" when he/she has achieved the following:

- Achieves a score of Early Intermediate or higher on CELDT.
- Is passing through and exiting the Emerging Proficiency level on the ELD continuum of the CCSS-EL standards.

At any time during the school year, the parent/guardian of an English learner may have his/her child moved into an English language mainstream program. (5 CCR 11301)

Parental Exception Waivers

When allowed by law, the parent/guardian of an English learner may submit a request that his/her child be exempted from placement in a structured English immersion program and instead be placed in a class where he/she is taught English and other subjects through bilingual education techniques or other generally recognized educational methodologies permitted by law. (Education Code 310-311)

Each waiver request shall be considered on its individual merits with deference given to the parent/guardian's preference for student placement.

A waiver request shall be granted in accordance with law unless the principal and educational staff have determined that an alternative program would not be better suited to the student's overall educational development. (5 CCR 11309)

If the Superintendent or designee denies the waiver request, he/she shall provide a written justification to the parent/guardian describing the reasons for the denial. A parent/guardian may appeal the decision in writing to the Board. The Board may consider the matter at its next regular Board meeting. The Board may decide not to hear the appeal, in which case the Superintendent's decision shall be final. If the Board hears the appeal, the Superintendent shall send the Board's decision to the parent/guardian within seven working days.

Program Evaluation

To evaluate the effectiveness of the district's educational program for English learners, the Superintendent or designee shall report to the Board, at least annually, regarding:

1. Progress of English learners towards proficiency in English
2. The number and percentage of English learners reclassified as fluent English proficient

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3. The number and percentage of English learners who are or are at risk of being classified as long-term English learners in accordance with Education Code 313.1
4. The achievement of English learners on standards-based tests in core curricular areas
5. Progress toward any other goals for English learners identified in the district's LCAP
6. A comparison of current data with data from at least the previous year.

The Superintendent or designee also shall provide the Board with regular reports from any district or schoolwide English learner advisory committees.

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EDUCATION FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS

Definitions

Note: The following section reflects definitions in Education Code 306, as amended by Proposition 58 (November 2016).

~~*English learner*, also known as a limited English proficient student, means a student who does not speak English or whose native language is not English and who is not currently able to perform ordinary classroom work in English. (Education Code 306)~~

English learner means a student who is age 3-21 years, who is enrolled or is preparing to enroll in an elementary or secondary school, and whose difficulties in speaking, reading, writing, or understanding the English language may be sufficient to deny the student the ability to meet state academic standards, the ability to successfully achieve in classrooms where the language of instruction is English, or the opportunity to participate fully in society. An English learner may include a student who was not born in the United States or whose native language is a language other than English; a student who is Native American or Alaska Native, or a native resident of the outlying areas, who comes from an environment where a language other than English has had a significant impact on the individual's level of English language proficiency; or a student who is migratory, whose native language is a language other than English, and who comes from an environment where a language other than English is dominant. (Education Code 306; 20 USC 7801)

Native speaker of English means a student who has learned and used English in his/her home from early childhood and English has been his/her primary means of concept formation and communication. (Education Code 306)

~~*English language classroom* means a classroom in which the language of instruction used by the teaching personnel is overwhelmingly the English language, and in which such teaching personnel possess a good knowledge of the English language. (Education Code 306)~~

~~*English language mainstream classroom* means a classroom in which the students either are native English language speakers or already have acquired reasonable fluency in English. (Education Code 306)~~

~~*Structured English immersion* (also known as "sheltered English immersion") means an English language acquisition process in which nearly all classroom instruction is in English but with the curriculum and presentation designed for students who are learning the language. (Education Code 306)~~

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~~Bilingual education/native language instruction means a language acquisition process for students in which much or all instruction, textbooks, and teaching materials are in the student's native language. (Education Code 306)~~

Identification and Assessments

~~Note: Education Code 52164.1 and 5 CCR 11307 and 11511 require the district to administer a home language survey to all enrolled students. A sample home language survey form in English and Spanish is available on the California Department of Education's (CDE) web site, and, for students who are determined by the survey to have a primary language other than English, to follow up with administration of a state assessment of English proficiency. The California English Language Development Test (CELDT) is the state test designated for this purpose. However, in the 2016-17 school year the state will field test a new language proficiency assessment, English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (ELPAC), which is aligned with the 2012 state standards for English language development. The ELPAC will include both an initial screening test to identify students who may be English learners and a summative assessment which will be used to determine English learners' level of English proficiency and their progress in acquiring the skills of listening, speaking, reading, and writing in English.~~

Upon enrollment in the district, each student's primary language shall be determined through the use of a home language survey. (Education Code 52164.1; 5 CCR 11307)

~~Note: When the home language survey indicates that a student's proficiency in English should be tested, Education Code 313 requires the district to administer a state assessment of English language proficiency. When fully operational in 2018, the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (ELPAC) will be used for initial identification of language proficiency and subsequently for annual assessment of language proficiency.~~

Any student who is identified as having a primary language other than English as determined by the home language survey, and who has not previously been identified as an English learner by a California public school or for whom there is no record of results from an administration of an English language proficiency test, shall be assessed for English proficiency using the state's designated English language proficiency test for initial identification. (Education Code 313, 52164.1; 5 CCR 11511)

Each year after a student is identified as an English learner and until he/she is redesignated as English proficient, the summative assessment of the state's designated English language proficiency test shall be administered to the student during a four-month period after January 1 as determined by the California Department of Education. (Education Code 313)

Note: 5 CCR 11516-11516.6 specify allowable variations and accommodations in ~~CELDT~~ the administration of the state English language proficiency assessment. These variations and accommodations are generally the same as those allowed for other state assessments; see AR 6162.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests.

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The state assessment shall be administered in accordance with test publisher instructions and 5 CCR 11511-11516.76. Variations and accommodations in test administration may be provided to English learners pursuant to 5 CCR 11516-11516.76.

Note: The Individuals with Disabilities in Education Act (20 USC 1412) requires that students with disabilities be included in all state assessments, including the annual assessment of English language proficiency as appropriate. English learners with disabilities must be allowed to take the test with accommodations as specified in their individualized education program or Section 504 plan. Pursuant to 5 CCR 11516.7, students with the most significant cognitive disabilities who cannot participate in the assessment, even with appropriate accommodations, must be given an alternate assessment of English proficiency. 34 CFR 200.16, as amended by 81 Fed. Reg. 86076, provides that, if an English learner with a disability is unable to take the assessment with accommodations, the state accountability system must include the student's score on any part(s) of the test for which it is possible to assess the student (i.e., speaking, reading, listening, writing).

Education Code 56305, as added by AB 2785 (Ch. 579, Statutes of 2016), requires the CDE to develop, by July 1, 2018, a manual providing guidance on identifying, assessing, supporting, and reclassifying English learners with disabilities.

Any student with a disability who is identified as an English learner shall be allowed to take the assessment with those accommodations for testing that the student has regularly used during instruction and classroom assessment as delineated in the student's individualized education program (IEP) or Section 504 plan, that are appropriate and necessary to address the student's individual needs. If he/she the student is unable to participate in the assessment or a portion of the assessment even with such accommodations, he/she shall be administered an alternate assessment for English language proficiency shall be administered to the student as set forth in his/her IEP. (5 CCR 11516-11516.7; 20 USC 1412)

(cf. 6152.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests)

(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)

(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)

Parental Notifications

Note: The following remainder of this section specifies notifications that must be sent to parents/guardians regarding assessment results and available programs for English learners. The district may choose to combine these notifications with notifications required for parental exception waivers, as detailed in the section "Parental Exception Waivers" below. The California Department of Education (CDE) has developed sample notification letters, available on its web site in multiple translations, to notify parents/guardians of the initial identification of a student as an English learner or as initially fluent English proficient and to notify them of the results of an annual assessment.

Pursuant to Education Code 48985, when 15 percent or more of students enrolled in a school speak a single primary language other than English, all notices and reports sent to their parents/guardians must be written in English and in the primary language and may be answered by the parent/guardian in either language.

The Superintendent or designee shall provide the following written notifications to parents/guardians of English learners:

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~~1. Assessment Notification: The district~~ **The Superintendent or designee** shall notify parents/guardians of their child's results on the state's English language proficiency assessment within 30 calendar days following receipt of the results from the test contractor. (Education Code 52164.1; 5 CCR 11511.5)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

~~2. Placement Notification: At the beginning of each school year, parents/guardians shall be informed of the placement of their child in a structured English immersion program and shall be notified of an opportunity to apply for a parental exception waiver. (Education Code 310; 5 CCR 11309)~~

Note: Items #3-4 below are ~~The following paragraph is~~ for use by districts that receive federal Title III funds under either Title I or Title III for services to English learners. Such districts are required to provide parents/guardians with notification of their child's identification as an English learner and placement in a language acquisition program. The Every Student Succeeds Act (P.L. 114-95) repealed 20 USC 7012 and moved the notification requirement to 20 USC 6312.

~~3. Title III Notifications: Each~~ **The** parent/guardian of a student participating in, or identified for participation in, a language instruction program supported by federal Title I or Title III funds shall receive notification of the assessment of his/her child's English proficiency. Such notice shall be provided not later than 30 calendar days after the beginning of the school year or, if the student is identified for program participation during the school year, within two weeks of the student's placement in the program. The notice shall include all of the following: (Education Code 440; 20 USC ~~7012~~ 6312)

- a1. ~~The reason for the student's classification~~ **identification of the student** as an English learner ~~and the need for placement in a language acquisition program~~
- b2. The level of English proficiency, how the level was assessed, and the status of the student's academic achievement
- e3. A description of the ~~language acquisition~~ **program for English language development instruction in which the student is, or will be, participating**, including a description of all of the following:
 - (1)a. ~~The methods of instruction used in the program and in other available programs, including how such programs differ in content, instructional goals, and the use of English and a native language in instruction~~
 - b1. The manner in which the program will meet the educational strengths and needs of the student

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- (2)c. The manner in which the program will help the student develop his/her English proficiency and meet age-appropriate academic standards for grade promotion and graduation
- (3)d. The specific exit requirements for the program, the expected rate of transition from the program into classes not tailored for English learners, and the expected rate of graduation from secondary school if applicable
- (4)e. Where the student has been identified for special education, the manner in which the program meets the requirements of the student's IEP

4. Information about the parent/guardian's right to have the student immediately removed from a program upon the parent/guardian's request

- d.5. Information regarding a parent/guardian's option to decline to allow enroll the student to be enrolled in the program or to choose to allow the student to be enrolled in an alternative program another program or method of instruction, if available
- e.6. Information designed to assist a parent/guardian in selecting among available programs, if more than one program or method is offered

Note: Pursuant to 20 USC 6842, the CDE must develop annual measurable objectives for English learners served under federal Title III. These include targets for the percentage of English learners who are proficient on the assessments used in the calculations of "adequate yearly progress" for accountability purposes; see BP 0500 - Accountability.

- 4. Annual Measurable Objectives Notification: If the district fails to make progress on the annual measurable achievement objectives for English learners established pursuant to 20 USC 6842, the Superintendent or designee shall, within 30 days after such failure occurs, send a notification regarding such failure to the parents/guardians of each student identified for participation in a language instruction educational program supported by Title III funds. (20 USC 7012)

Parental Exception Waivers

[SECTION ON PARENTAL EXCEPTION WAIVERS DELETED]

Reclassification/Redesignation

The district shall continue to provide additional and appropriate educational services to English learners for the purposes of overcoming language barriers until they: (5 CCR 11302)

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1. Demonstrate English language proficiency comparable to that of the district's average native English language speakers
2. Recoup any academic deficits which may have been incurred in other areas of the core curriculum as a result of language barriers

English learners shall be reclassified as fluent English proficient when they are able to comprehend, speak, read, and write English well enough to receive instruction in an English language mainstream classroom and make academic progress at a level substantially equivalent to that of students of the same age or grade whose primary language is English and who are in the regular course of study. (Education Code 52164.6)

Note: Education Code 313 and 52164.6 and 5 CCR 11303 requires that the district's reclassification process include, at a minimum, the criteria specified in items #1-4 below. The district may expand the following list to reflect any additional criteria it has established. The CDE's CELDT Information Guide includes recommendations for assessing each of the following criteria and states that, for a student with disabilities, the student's IEP team or Section 504 team should determine any supplemental criteria to be used.

The following measures shall be used to determine whether an English learner shall be reclassified as fluent English proficient shall include, but not be limited to: (Education Code 313, 52164.6; 5 CCR 11303)

1. Assessment of English language proficiency using an objective assessment instrument, including, but not limited to, the state's English language proficiency assessment
2. Participation of the student's classroom teacher and any other certificated staff with direct responsibility for teaching or placement decisions related to the student
3. Parent/guardian opinion and consultation

The Superintendent or designee shall provide the parent/guardian with notice and a description of the reclassification process and of his/her opportunity to participate in the process and shall encourage his/her involvement in the process.

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 313, the fourth criterion requires comparison of student performance on an objective assessment of basic skills that provides an empirically established range of performance of English proficient students of the same age. A letter from the CDE to district superintendents (Academic Criterion for Reclassification) dated August 11, 2014 clarifies that, when a state test of basic skills is unavailable, districts must select another measure which may include a local assessment. The CDE correspondence provides examples of appropriate measures and is available on the CDE web site.

4. Student performance on an objective assessment of basic skills in English that shows whether the student is performing at or near grade level

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The Superintendent or designee shall monitor the progress of reclassified students to ensure their correct classification and placement. (5 CCR 11304)

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.

The Superintendent or designee shall monitor students for at least two years following their reclassification to determine whether the student needs any additional academic support to ensure his/her language and academic success.

Advisory Committee

Note: The following section should be revised to reflect district practice. Pursuant to 5 CCR 11308, a parent/guardian advisory committee is required for any district with over 50 English learners and for each school with over 20 English learners. Duties of the advisory committee are specified in 5 CCR 11308.

A parent/guardian advisory committee shall be established at the district level when there are more than 50 English learners in the district and at the school level when there are more than 20 English learners at the school. Parents/guardians of English learners shall constitute committee membership in at least the same percentage as English learners represent of the total number of students in the school. (Education Code 52176; 5 CCR 11308)

The district's English language advisory committee shall advise the **Governing** Board on at least the following tasks: (5 CCR 11308)

1. The development of a district master plan of education programs and services for English learners, taking into consideration the school site plans for English learners
2. The districtwide needs assessment on a school-by-school basis
3. Establishment of a district program, goals, and objectives for programs and services for English learners
4. Development of a plan to ensure compliance with applicable teacher or aide requirements
5. Administration of the annual language census
6. Review of and comment on the district's reclassification procedures
- ~~7. Review of and comment on the written notification required to be sent to parents/guardians pursuant to 5 CCR 11300-11316~~

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)

(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)

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(cf. 5020 - Parent Rights and Responsibilities)
(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

In order to assist the advisory committee in carrying out its responsibilities, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that committee members receive appropriate training and materials. This training shall be planned in full consultation with the members. (5 CCR 11308)

LCAP Advisory Committee

Note: The following section is applicable if the district's student enrollment includes at least 15 percent English learners, with at least 50 students who are English learners. Education Code 52063 requires that such districts establish an English learner parent advisory committee to review and comment on the district's local control and accountability plan; see BP 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan. 5 CCR 15495, as amended by Register 2015, No. 2, requires this committee to include a majority of parents/guardians of English learners.

When there are at least 15 percent English learners in the district, with at least 50 students who are English learners, a district-level English learner parent advisory committee shall be established to review and comment on the district's local control and accountability plan (LCAP) in accordance with BP 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan. The committee shall be composed of a majority of parents/guardians of English learners. (Education Code 52063; 5 CCR 15495)

(cf. 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan)

The advisory committee established pursuant to 5 CCR 11308, as described in the section "Advisory Committee" above, could serve as the LCAP English learner advisory committee if its composition includes a majority of parents/guardians of English learners.

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Definitions

English learner, also known as a limited English proficient student, means a student who does not speak English or whose native language is not English and who is not currently able to perform ordinary classroom work in English. (Education Code 306)

English language classroom means a classroom in which the language of instruction used by the teaching personnel is overwhelmingly the English language, and in which such teaching personnel possess a good knowledge of the English language. (Education Code 306)

English language mainstream classroom means a classroom in which the students either are native English language speakers or already have acquired reasonable fluency in English. (Education Code 306)

Structured English immersion (also known as "sheltered English immersion") means an English language acquisition process in which nearly all classroom instruction is in English but with the curriculum and presentation designed for students who are learning the language. (Education Code 306)

Bilingual education/native language instruction means a language acquisition process for students in which much or all instruction, textbooks, and teaching materials are in the student's native language. (Education Code 306)

Identification and Assessments

Upon enrollment in the district, each student's primary language shall be determined through use of a home language survey. (Education Code 52164.1; 5 CCR 11307)

Any student who is identified as having a primary language other than English as determined by the home language survey, and who has not previously been identified as an English learner by a California public school or for whom there is no record of results from an administration of an English language proficiency test, shall be assessed for English proficiency using the state's designated English language proficiency test. (Education Code 313, 52164.1; 5 CCR 11511)

Each year after a student is identified as an English learner and until he/she is redesignated as English proficient, the summative assessment shall be administered to the student during a four-month period after January 1 as determined by the California Department of Education. (Education Code 313)

The state assessment shall be administered in accordance with test publisher instructions and 5 CCR 11511-11516.7. Variations and accommodations in test administration may be provided pursuant to 5 CCR 11516-11516.7. Any student with a disability shall be allowed to

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take the assessment with those accommodations for testing that the student has regularly used during instruction and classroom assessment as delineated in the student's individualized education program (IEP) or Section 504 plan that are appropriate and necessary to address the student's individual needs. If he/she is unable to participate in the assessment or a portion of the assessment with such accommodations, he/she shall be administered an alternate assessment for English language proficiency as set forth in his/her IEP. (5 CCR 11516-11516.7)

(cf. 6152.51 - State Academic Achievement Tests)

(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)

(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)

Parental Notifications

The Superintendent or designee shall provide the following written notifications to parents/guardians of English learners:

1. **Assessment Notification:** The district shall notify parents/guardians of their child's results on the state's English language proficiency assessment within 30 calendar days following receipt of the results from the test contractor. (Education Code 52164.1; 5 CCR 11511.5)

(cf. 5145.6 - Parental Notifications)

2. **Placement Notification:** At the beginning of each school year, parents/guardians shall be informed of the placement of their child in a structured English immersion program and shall be notified of an opportunity to apply for a parental exception waiver. (Education Code 310; 5 CCR 11309)
3. **Title III Notifications:** Each parent/guardian of a student participating in, or identified for participation in, a language instruction program supported by federal Title III funds shall receive notification of the assessment of his/her child's English proficiency. Such notice shall be provided not later than 30 calendar days after the beginning of the school year or, if the student is identified for program participation during the school year, within two weeks of the student's placement in the program. The notice shall include all of the following: (Education Code 440; 20 USC 7012)
 - a. The reason for the student's classification as an English learner
 - b. The level of English proficiency, how the level was assessed, and the status of the student's academic achievement
 - c. A description of the program for English language development instruction, including a description of all of the following:

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- (1) The manner in which the program will meet the educational strengths and needs of the student
 - (2) The manner in which the program will help the student develop his/her English proficiency and meet age-appropriate academic standards
 - (3) The specific exit requirements for the program, the expected rate of transition from the program into classes not tailored for English learners, and the expected rate of graduation from secondary school if applicable
 - (4) Where the student has been identified for special education, the manner in which the program meets the requirements of the student's IEP
- d. Information regarding a parent/guardian's option to decline to allow the student to be enrolled in the program or to choose to allow the student to be enrolled in an alternative program
 - e. Information designed to assist a parent/guardian in selecting among available programs, if more than one program is offered
4. Annual Measurable Objectives Notification: If the district fails to make progress on the annual measurable achievement objectives for English learners established pursuant to 20 USC 6842, the Superintendent or designee shall, within 30 days after such failure occurs, send a notification regarding such failure to the parents/guardians of each student identified for participation in a language instruction educational program supported by Title III funds. (20 USC 7012)

Parental Exception Waivers

A parent/guardian may, by personally visiting the school, request that the district waive the requirements pertaining to the placement of his/her child in a structured English immersion program if one of the following circumstances exists: (Education Code 310-311)

1. The student already possesses sufficient English language skills, as measured by standardized tests of English vocabulary comprehension, reading, and writing, in which the student scores at or above the state average for his/her grade level or at or above the fifth-grade average, whichever is lower.
2. The student is age 10 years or older, and it is the informed belief of the principal and educational staff that an alternate course of study would be better suited to the student's rapid acquisition of basic English skills.

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3. The student already has been placed, for a period of not less than 30 calendar days during that school year, in an English language classroom and it is subsequently the informed belief of the principal and educational staff that the student has special physical, emotional, psychological, or educational needs and that an alternate course of educational study would be better suited to the student's overall educational development.

Upon request for a waiver, the Superintendent or designee shall provide parents/guardians with a full written description and, upon request, a spoken description of the intent and content of the structured English immersion program, any alternative courses of study, all educational opportunities offered by the district and available to the student, and the educational materials to be used in the different educational program choices. For a request for waiver pursuant to item #3 above, the Superintendent or designee shall notify the parent/guardian that the student must be placed for a period of not less than 30 calendar days in an English language classroom and that the waiver must be approved by the Superintendent pursuant to any guidelines established by the Governing Board. (Education Code 310, 311; 5 CCR 11309)

The principal and educational staff may recommend a waiver to a parent/guardian pursuant to item #2 or #3 above. Parents/guardians shall be informed in writing of any recommendation for an alternative program made by the principal and staff and shall be given notice of their right to refuse to accept the recommendation. The notice shall include a full description of the recommended alternative program and the educational materials to be used for the alternative program as well as a description of all other programs available to the student. If the parent/guardian elects to request the alternative program recommended by the principal and educational staff, the parent/guardian shall comply with district procedures and requirements otherwise applicable to a parental exception waiver, including Education Code 310. (Education Code 311; 5 CCR 11309)

When evaluating waiver requests pursuant to item #1 above and other waiver requests for those students for whom standardized assessment data are not available, other equivalent assessment measures may be used. These equivalent measures may include district standards and assessment and teacher evaluations of such students.

Parental exception waivers pursuant to item #2 above shall be granted if it is the informed belief of the principal and educational staff that an alternate course of educational study would be better suited to the student's rapid acquisition of basic English language skills. (Education Code 311)

Parental exception waivers pursuant to item #3 above shall be granted by the Superintendent if it is the informed belief of the principal and educational staff that, due to the student's

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special physical, emotional, psychological, or educational needs, an alternate course of educational study would be better suited to the student's overall educational development. (Education Code 311)

All parental exception waivers shall be acted upon within 20 instructional days of submission to the principal. However, parental waiver requests pursuant to item #3 above shall not be acted upon during the 30-day placement in an English language classroom. Such waivers shall be acted upon no later than 10 calendar days after the expiration of that 30-day English language classroom placement or within 20 instructional days of submission of the waiver to the principal, whichever is later. (5 CCR 11309)

Any individual school in which 20 or more students of a given grade level receive a waiver shall offer an alternative class where the students are taught English and other subjects through bilingual education techniques or other generally recognized educational methodologies permitted by law. Otherwise, the students shall be allowed to transfer to a public school in which such a class is offered. (Education Code 310)

In cases where a parental exception waiver pursuant to item #2 or #3 above is denied, the parent/guardian shall be informed in writing of the reason(s) for the denial and advised that he/she may appeal the decision to the Board if the Board authorizes such an appeal, or to the court. (5 CCR 11309)

Waiver requests shall be renewed annually by the parent/guardian. (Education Code 310)

Reclassification/Redesignation

The district shall continue to provide additional and appropriate educational services to English learners for the purposes of overcoming language barriers until they: (5 CCR 11302)

1. Demonstrate English language proficiency comparable to that of the district's average native English language speakers
2. Recoup any academic deficits which may have been incurred in other areas of the core curriculum as a result of language barriers

English learners shall be reclassified as fluent English proficient when they are able to comprehend, speak, read, and write English well enough to receive instruction in an English language mainstream classroom and make academic progress at a level substantially equivalent to that of students of the same age or grade whose primary language is English and who are in the regular course of study. (Education Code 52164.6)

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The following measures shall be used to determine whether an English learner shall be reclassified as fluent English proficient: (Education Code 313; 5 CCR 11303)

1. Assessment of English language proficiency using an objective assessment instrument, including, but not limited to, the state's English language proficiency assessment
2. Participation of the student's classroom teacher and any other certificated staff with direct responsibility for teaching or placement decisions related to the student
3. Parent/guardian opinion and consultation

The Superintendent or designee shall provide the parent/guardian with notice and a description of the reclassification process and of his/her opportunity to participate in the process and shall encourage his/her involvement in the process.

4. Student performance on an objective assessment of basic skills in English that shows whether the student is performing at or near grade level

The Superintendent or designee shall monitor the progress of reclassified students to ensure their correct classification and placement. (5 CCR 11304)

The Superintendent or designee shall monitor students for at least two years following their reclassification to determine whether the student needs any additional academic support to ensure his/her language and academic success.

Advisory Committee

A parent/guardian advisory committee shall be established at the district level when there are more than 50 English learners in the district and at the school level when there are more than 20 English learners at the school. Parents/guardians of English learners shall constitute committee membership in at least the same percentage as English learners represent of the total number of students in the school. (Education Code 52176; 5 CCR 11308)

The district's English language advisory committee shall advise the Board on at least the following tasks: (5 CCR 11308)

1. The development of a district master plan of education programs and services for English learners, taking into consideration the school site plans for English learners
2. The districtwide needs assessment on a school-by-school basis

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3. Establishment of a district program, goals, and objectives for programs and services for English learners
4. Development of a plan to ensure compliance with applicable teacher or aide requirements
5. Administration of the annual language census
6. Review of and comment on the district's reclassification procedures
7. Review of and comment on the written notification required to be sent to parents/guardians pursuant to 5 CCR 11300-11316

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)
(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)
(cf. 5020 - Parent Rights and Responsibilities)
(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)

In order to assist the advisory committee in carrying out its responsibilities, the Superintendent or designee shall ensure that committee members receive appropriate training and materials. This training shall be planned in full consultation with the members. (5 CCR 11308)

LCAP Advisory Committee

When there are at least 15 percent English learners in the district, with at least 50 students who are English learners, a district-level English learner parent advisory committee shall be established to review and comment on the district's local control and accountability plan (LCAP) in accordance with BP 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan. The committee shall be composed of a majority of parents/guardians of English learners. (Education Code 52063; 5 CCR 15495)

(cf. 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan)

The advisory committee established pursuant to 5 CCR 11308, as described in the section "Advisory Committee" above, could serve as the LCAP English learner advisory committee if its composition includes a majority of parents/guardians of English learners.

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Exhibit

Education For English Language Learners

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Instruction

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**PARENTAL EXCEPTION WAIVER
EDUCATION CODE 311**

Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____

School: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Student's Primary Language: _____

I request a waiver of the placement of my child in the school's structured/sheltered English immersion program for the following reason:

___ My child possesses good English language skills. (Education Code 311(a))

___ My child is 10 years of age or older and I believe that an alternate course of study is better suited to my child's rapid acquisition of English. (Education Code 311(b))

___ I believe that my child has special needs and that an alternate course of study is better suited to his/her educational development. (Education Code 311(c))

I understand that the objective for my child is to be taught English as rapidly and effectively as possible. I have been provided a full written description of the intent and content of the structured English immersion program; any alternative courses of study offered by the district and made available to my child; all educational opportunities offered by the district and made available to my child; and the educational materials to be used in the different educational program choices.

I have personally visited the school to apply for this waiver.

I understand that I must request that this waiver be reconsidered annually, each school year.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: _____

For School Use Only:

For waivers pursuant to Education Code 311(a), student's English standardized test scores:
(Scores must be at or above the state average for the child's grade level or above the 5th
grade average) _____

Waiver Granted/Denied: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Title: _____

CSBA Sample Board Policy

Instruction

BP 6176(a)

WEEKEND/SATURDAY CLASSES

Note: The following optional policy is for use by districts that choose to offer classes on Saturday and/or Sunday as authorized by Education Code 37223, and may be subject to collective bargaining agreements.

~~Pursuant to Education Code 44824, a teacher cannot be assigned to work on a Saturday or Sunday if he/she objects in writing that the assignment would conflict with his/her religious beliefs or practices. In addition, Education Code 44824 provides that full-time teachers employed by the district prior to the implementation of weekend classes cannot be required to teach for more than 180 full days during a school year or for more than the number of full days that district schools were maintained during the year preceding implementation of weekend classes, whichever is greater. See AR 4113 - Assignment.~~

The Governing Board desires to increase educational opportunities outside the regular school week in order to meet student needs and promote academic achievement. When staffing, facilities, and other resources are available, the Board may approve the provision of classes on Saturday and/or Sunday that support and are integrated with other learning opportunities.

~~(cf. 4113 - Assignment)~~

(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)

(cf. 6111 - School Calendar)

Note: Education Code 37223 authorizes weekend classes of any of the types listed in items #1-4 below or other classes identified by the district. The following list should be revised or expanded to reflect those weekend classes approved by the Governing Board.

Weekend classes may include, but are not limited to:

1. Continuation classes (Education Code 37223)

(cf. 6184 - Continuation Education)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 37223, voluntary attendance in special weekend activities for mentally gifted minors (item #2 below) cannot be included in the district's average daily attendance computation.

2. Special day classes for mentally gifted minors (Education Code 37223)

(cf. 6172 - Gifted and Talented Student Program)

Note: AB 2659 (Ch. 186, Statutes of 2016) amended Education Code 37223 to authorize weekend makeup classes for excused absences as well as unexcused absences.

3. Makeup classes for ~~unexcused~~ absences occurring during the week (Education Code 37223)

WEEKEND/SATURDAY CLASSES (continued)

(cf. 5113 - Absences and Excuses)
(cf. 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy)
(cf. 6154 - Homework/Makeup Work)

4. The programs of an **regional occupational center or program (ROC/P)** (Education Code 37223)

(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)
(cf. 6178.2 - Regional Occupational Center/Program)

Note: Items #5-6 below are optional. Although Education Code ~~37252-37253~~ provide that specified supplemental instructional programs may be offered on Saturday, AB 97 (Ch. 47, Statutes of 2013) redirected the funding for those programs into the local control funding formula; see BP 6179 Supplemental Instruction. In addition, AB 97 eliminated the Pupil Retention Block Grant (Education Code 41505-41506), which allowed funding to be used for the purposes of intensive reading or algebra programs, including Saturday programs. At its discretion, the district may continue to offer weekend classes for these purposes.

5. Supplemental instruction for students who need additional assistance to meet academic standards or requirements

(cf. 5123 - Promotion/Acceleration/Retention)
(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)
(cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)

6. Enrichment classes in core academic subjects

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)
(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

Except in ROC/Ps and as otherwise provided by law, any class offered on a Saturday or Sunday pursuant to Education Code 37223, except in ROC/Ps, shall be one offered during the regular Monday through Friday during the regular school week. (Education Code 37223)

Except in ROC/Ps, weekend attendance shall not result in crediting any student with more than five days of attendance per week. (Education Code 37223)

Attendance at weekend classes offered pursuant to Education Code 37223 shall be voluntary, except that truants, as defined in Education Code 48260, may be required to attend classes on one day of a weekend in order to make up lost instructional time. (Education Code 37223)

Note: Education Code 48205 specifies reasons that students must be excused from school, including observance of a holiday or ceremony of their religion. The reasons specified in Education Code 48205 are also applicable during weekend classes.

WEEKEND/SATURDAY CLASSES (continued)

A student shall be excused from a weekend class if the student's parent/guardian notifies the school in writing that such attendance would be in conflict with his/her religious beliefs. Such students shall be given priority for enrollment in any other available supplemental instruction offered at a time other than during the weekend.

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)

A teacher shall not be assigned to work on a Saturday or Sunday if he/she objects in writing that the assignment would conflict with his/her religious beliefs or practices. In addition, a full-time teacher employed by the district prior to the implementation of weekend classes shall not be required, without his/her consent, to teach for more than 180 full days during a school year or for more than the number of full days that district schools were maintained during the year preceding implementation of weekend classes, whichever is greater. (Education Code 44824)

(cf. 4113 - Assignment)

Note: Education Code 49550 requires that districts provide at least one nutritionally adequate meal each school day (breakfast and/or lunch) for students who are eligible for free and reduced-price meals; see BP/AR 3553 - Free and Reduced-Price Meals. If the school participates in the National School Lunch or Breakfast Program, it must make meals available to all students in attendance.

According to the California Department of Education's (CDE) Management Bulletin NSD-SNP-03-2013, this requirement extends to Saturday classes unless the district or school receives a waiver. The CDE will consider a waiver when any two of the following criteria exist: (1) serving meals during the Saturday session would result in a financial loss to the district equal to one-third of the food service's net cash resources; (2) the Saturday session at the school is less than four hours and is completed by noon allowing students to go home during the lunch period; (3) less than 10 percent of the needy students attending the Saturday session are at the school for more than three hours per day; and/or (4) the school does not have proper refrigeration facilities to enable meals to be prepared on Friday and served on Saturday.

Unless the requirement is waived by the California Department of Education, the district shall provide at least one nutritionally adequate meal during the weekend session in accordance with Education Code 49550.

(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced-Price Meals)

(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

WEEKEND/SATURDAY CLASSES (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

37223 *Weekend classes*

~~37252-37253 *Supplemental instruction*~~

~~41505-41508 *Pupil Retention Block Grant*~~

41601 *Reports of average daily attendance*

44824 *Weekend classes, assignment of certificated employees*

48070-48070.5 *Promotion and retention, supplemental instruction*

48205 *Excused absence for personal reasons*

48260 *Truants, definition*

49550 *Meals for needy students*

52060-52077 *Local control and accountability plan*

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

Requesting a Summer School Meal Waiver and/or a Saturday School Meal Waiver, Nutrition Services

Division Management Bulletin NSD-SNP-03-2013, February 2013

WEB SITES

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

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Board Policy

Weekend/Saturday Classes

BP 6176

Instruction

The Governing Board desires to increase educational opportunities outside the regular school week in order to meet student needs and promote academic achievement. When staffing, facilities, and other resources are available, the Board may approve the provision of classes on Saturday and/or Sunday that support and are integrated with other learning opportunities.

(cf. 4113 - Assignment)

(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)

(cf. 6111 - School Calendar)

Any class offered on a Saturday or Sunday pursuant to Education Code 37223, except in regional occupational centers or programs (ROC/Ps), shall be one offered Monday through Friday during the regular school week. (Education Code 37223)

Weekend classes may include, but are not limited to:

1. Continuation classes (Education Code 37223)

(cf. 6184 - Continuation Education)

2. Special day classes for mentally gifted minors (Education Code 37223)

(cf. 6172 - Gifted and Talented Student Program)

3. Makeup classes for unexcused absences occurring during the week (Education Code 37223)

(cf. 5113 - Absences and Excuses)

(cf. 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy)

(cf. 6154 - Homework/Makeup Work)

4. The programs of an ROC/P (Education Code 37223)

(cf. 6178 - Career Technical Education)

(cf. 6178.2 - Regional Occupational Center/Program)

5. Supplemental instruction for students who need additional assistance to meet academic standards or requirements

(cf. 5123 - Promotion/Acceleration/Retention)

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

(cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)

6. Enrichment classes in core academic subjects

(cf. 6142.91 - Reading/Language Arts Instruction)

(cf. 6142.92 - Mathematics Instruction)

Except in ROC/Ps, weekend attendance shall not result in crediting any student with more than five days of attendance per week. (Education Code 37223)

Attendance at weekend classes offered pursuant to Education Code 37223 shall be voluntary, except that truants, as defined in Education Code 48260, may be required to attend classes on one day of a weekend in order to make up lost instructional time. (Education Code 37223)

A student shall be excused from a weekend class if such attendance would be in conflict with his/her religious beliefs. Such students shall be given priority for enrollment in any other available supplemental instruction offered at a time other than during the weekend.

(cf. 6141.2 - Recognition of Religious Beliefs and Customs)

Unless the requirement is waived by the California Department of Education, the district shall provide at least one nutritionally adequate meal during the weekend session in accordance with Education Code 49550.

(cf. 3550 - Food Service/Child Nutrition Program)

(cf. 3553 - Free and Reduced-Price Meals)

(cf. 5030 - Student Wellness)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

37223 *Weekend classes*

37252-37253 *Supplemental instruction*

41505-41508 *Pupil Retention Block Grant*

41601 *Reports of average daily attendance*

42239 *Summer school attendance computation*

44824 *Weekend classes, assignment of certificated employees*

48070-48070.5 *Promotion and retention, supplemental instruction*

48205 *Excused absence for personal reasons*

48260 *Truants, definition*

49550 *Meals for needy students*

52060-52077 *Local control and accountability plan*

Management Resources:

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS

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WEB SITES

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

Policy

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CSBA Sample Board Policy

Instruction

BP 6185(a)

COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL

Note: ~~The following optional policy and regulation reflect~~ Education Code 48660-48666, ~~which~~ authorize districts to establish ~~one or more~~ community day schools for expelled students, certain probation-referred students pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code 300 or 602, and students referred by a school attendance review board or through ~~a another~~ formal district process. Pursuant to Education Code 48660, ~~a two-thirds vote of the Governing Board is required for~~ a K-8 district to establish a community day school serving any of grades K-8.

Districts that have established one or more community day schools are mandated to adopt policy regarding involuntary transfers to a community day school, as provided below.

~~Education Code 48916.1 requires the Board to ensure that an alternative educational placement is provided for expelled students during the period of the expulsion. Community day schools established pursuant to Education Code 48660-48666 are intended to supplement the county community schools that have long operated pursuant to Education Code 1980-1986, and which are authorized to accept expelled students at all grade levels pursuant to Education Code 1981 and 1983.5. Districts that refer students to a county community school may revise the following policy to reflect district practice.~~

~~A CDE program advisory of March 1996 states that community day school incentive funding claims pursuant to Education Code 48664 shall be fully funded for mandatory expelled students; incentive funding for all other community day school students is subject to a specified cap.~~

The Governing Board recognizes the need to provide an appropriate alternative educational ~~program option~~ for expelled students who are prohibited from attending regular schools in the district, ~~and for certain~~ students referred by probation pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code 300 or 602, and students referred by a school attendance review board or ~~by~~ another district-level referral processes. The district's ~~shall operate one or more~~ community day schools-program shall be designed to meet the needs of these students and ensure academic progress necessary for their success when returned to a regular school environment. The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that any such school is operated in accordance with legal requirements related to enrollment, instructional time and facilities.

(cf. 5113 - Absences and Excuses)

(cf. 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy)

(cf. 5144 - Discipline)

(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process)

Note: ~~In its program advisory, the CDE recommends that the decision to establish community day schools be made in the context of a larger comprehensive plan to serve all expelled students and other at risk students in the district and county.~~

The Board perceives the community day school as a flexible component of a comprehensive effort to meet the needs of expelled and other at risk students throughout the county. The Superintendent or designee shall collaborate with solicit input from the County

COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL (continued)

Superintendent of Schools and, as appropriate, other neighboring districts when designing the district community day school and shall collaborate with them in fulfilling countywide needs within the county to develop, for Board adoption, a plan for providing education services and appropriate placements to all expelled students in the county. (Education Code 48926)

Note: The following list incorporates concepts from Education Code 48660.1, which states the Legislature's intent regarding the operation of community day schools.

In order to foster positive attitudes, and academic progress, the Board recognizes that community day schools must be designed to give students substantial individual help with their problems. Community day school staff shall collaborate with district counselors, psychologists, and other support staff, and with the county office of education, law enforcement, probation, and human services agency staff who work with at risk youth. To the extent possible, community day school programs shall provide a low student teacher ratio as well as individualized instruction and assessment. To the extent possible, the program shall include:

1. Cooperation with the county office of education, law enforcement, probation, and human services agencies personnel who work with at-risk youth
2. Low student-teacher ratio
3. Individualized instruction and assessment
4. Maximum collaboration with district support service resources, including, but not limited to, school counselors and psychologists, academic counselors, and student discipline personnel

(cf. 0400 - Comprehensive Plans)
 (cf. 1020 - Youth Services)
 (cf. 6164.2 - Guidance/Counseling Services)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48662, boards establishing a community day school are mandated to adopt policy that provides procedures for the involuntary transfer of students to the school. See the accompanying administrative regulation for additional language fulfilling this mandate.

The Superintendent or designee shall establish procedures for the involuntary transfer of students to a community day school in accordance with law and administrative regulation. (Education Code 48662)

Note: The following paragraph is optional. Pursuant to Education Code 48666, the Board may establish an attendance policy that permits the community day school to require students to attend school for up to seven days each week as part of the program described below.

COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL (continued)

The Superintendent or designee may require community day school students to attend school for up to seven days each week in a directed program designed to provide students with the skills and attitudes necessary for success when they are returned to a regular school environment. (Education Code 48666)

Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48661, a community day school must not be situated on the same school site as a regular elementary, middle, junior high, comprehensive senior high, opportunity, or continuation school. However, situating a community day school on the same school site as a regular school may be permitted if the district has 2,500 or fewer units of average daily attendance (ADA) or if, regardless of its ADA, the district is organized to serve grades K-8 or desires to establish a community day school that serves only grades K-6. For any such district, the Board must first make the certification specified in the following paragraph.

~~A district desiring to operate a community day school to serve any of grades K-6, but no higher grades, may situate the community day school~~ A community day school shall not be situated on the same site as ~~an~~ a regular district elementary, middle, junior high, comprehensive senior high, opportunity, or continuation school, except when allowed by law and when the Board certifies by a two-thirds vote that no satisfactory alternative facilities are available for ~~a~~ the community day school ~~in these grades~~. Such Board certification shall be valid for not more than one school year and may be renewed by a subsequent two-thirds vote of the Board. (Education Code 48661)

(cf. 9323.2 - Actions by the Board)

Community day schools shall be operated in safe, well-maintained facilities that meet the requirements of Education Code 17292.5.

Note: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Pursuant to Education Code 52064.5, the State Board of Education has adopted evaluation rubrics to assist districts in evaluating program strengths, weaknesses, and areas that require improvement for the purpose of updating their local control and accountability plan.

The Superintendent or designee shall regularly report to the Board regarding the academic performance and other outcomes of students enrolled in a community day school.

(cf. 0500 - Accountability)

(cf. 6190 - Evaluation of the Instructional Program)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

1980-1986 County community schools

17085-17096 Emergency portable facilities

17280-17316 Field Act, approvals

17365-17374 Field Act, fitness of occupancy

~~48260-48273 Truants~~

48660-48666 Community day schools

48900-48926 Suspension or expulsion

~~52052 Accountability~~

~~52064.5 Program evaluation; state evaluation rubrics~~

WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE

300 Minors subject to jurisdiction

602 Minors violating laws defining crime; ward of court

~~CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 4~~

~~1068-1074 Alternative schools accountability systems~~

~~UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20~~

1400-1482 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act

~~UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 29~~

794 Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Section 504

~~CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34~~

~~104.35 Evaluation and placement of students with disabilities~~

Management Resources:

~~**CDE PROGRAM ADVISORIES**~~

~~0306-96 Expulsion Policies and Expulsion Placements, SPB: 95/96-04~~

~~**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS**~~

~~**Guidelines for Establishing a Community Day School**~~

~~**WEB SITES**~~

~~CDE, Educational Options Office: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/spbranch/essdiv/edoptshome.htm>~~

~~California Department of Education: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/ea/cd>~~

CSBA Sample Administrative Regulation

Instruction

AR 6185(a)

COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL

Involuntary Transfer

Note: Education Code 48662 mandates that districts establishing a community day school adopt procedures for the involuntary transfer of students to the school.

~~A~~ The Superintendent or designee may assign a student ~~may be assigned~~ to a district community day school ~~only upon meeting if the student meets~~ one or more of the following conditions: (Education Code 48662)

1. The student is expelled for any reason.

(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process)

Note: Education Code 48662 authorizes the involuntary transfer of students who are probation-referred pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code 300 or 602, as provided in item #2 below. ~~Welfare and Institutions Code 300 relates to the protection of minors who are being or are at risk of being neglected, exploited, or physically, sexually or emotionally abused; such persons may be adjudged to be a dependent child of the court. Welfare and Institutions Code 602 concerns minors who have violated any state or federal law or any city or county ordinance defining crime other than a curfew based solely on age; such persons may be adjudged to be wards of the court. Such students include minors who are within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court and may be adjudged to be a dependent child of the court, including, but not limited to, minors who have suffered or are at substantial risk of suffering serious physical harm, neglect, serious emotional damage, sexual abuse, or physical abuse as a result of the conduct of the parent/guardian, or who have been freed for adoption by one or both parents. In addition, probation-referred students include students who are within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court and may be adjudged to be wards of the court for violating any state or federal law or any city or county ordinance defining crime, other than an ordinance establishing a curfew based solely on age.~~

~~Pursuant to Education Code 48662 districts with a school attendance review board (SARB) may refer students through either the SARB or another district-level referral process.~~

2. The student is probation-referred pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code 300 and/or 602.
3. The student is referred by a school attendance review board (SARB) or other district-level referral process.

(cf. 5113.1 - Chronic Absence and Truancy)

The Superintendent or designee shall give first priority for assignment to a community day school ~~shall be given~~ to students expelled for mandatory expulsion offenses pursuant to Education Code 48915(d). Second priority shall be given to students expelled for other

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reasons, and third priority shall be given to students referred according pursuant to item #2 or #3 above. These priorities are applicable unless the district has there is an agreement that the County Superintendent of Schools will shall serve any of the above these students. (Education Code 48662)

Note: Pursuant to 20 USC 1415, a change in the educational placement of a student with a disability must involve the participation of the student's individualized education program (IEP) team. In addition, the educational placement of a student who is eligible for services pursuant to Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (29 USC 794) requires the participation of the student's 504 team.

In the case of any student who had been identified as eligible for services When the student to be involuntarily transferred to a community day school is a student with disabilities, as defined under the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act or Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973, assignment to a community day school shall be determined first approved by the student's individualized Education Program (IEP) or 504 team, as applicable, or school site committee (e.g., student study team) as required by law. (20 USC 1415; 34 CFR 104.35)

(cf. 5144.2 - Suspension and Expulsion (Students with Disabilities))
 (cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)
 (cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education Under Section 504)

Note: Education Code 48662 mandates that Boards establishing a community day school adopt policy to provide procedures for the involuntary transfer of students to the school. The CDE recommends that these The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. According to Guidelines for Establishing a Community Day School, available on the California Department of Education's (CDE) web site, the district's procedures should include due process and notification for students who have been involuntarily transferred to a community day school. Education Code 48918 provides that Students transferred pursuant to an expulsion order (item #1 above) will receive due process and notice during the expulsion hearing. ; AR 5144.1 Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process Students that who are probation-referred (item #2 above) will receive due process and notice during the probation proceedings. Pursuant to Education Code 48260-48273, For these students who are referred pursuant to a student attendance review board (SARB) will receive due process and notice through that process. may also be provided during the SARB hearing (item #3 above). Thus the following section applies only to those students involuntarily transferred as a result of a district-level referral process (item #3 above)

Students who have been involuntarily transferred to a community day school based on an expulsion order, probation referral, SARB referral, or other district-level referral process shall be notified in accordance with the applicable laws and/or district policy. Such process shall include timely written notification of the transfer to the student and his/her parent/guardian and an opportunity for the student and parent/guardian to meet with the Superintendent or designee to discuss the transfer;

COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL (continued)

At least 10 calendar days prior to the involuntary transfer of a student as a result of a district-level referral process, the Superintendent or designee shall provide written notice of the transfer to the student's parent/guardian or to the adult student age 18 or older. The notice shall contain a statement of the facts and circumstances upon which the transfer is based, its duration, and the conditions for readmission. The notice shall advise the student's parent/guardian or adult student of the opportunity to inspect and obtain copies of all documents supporting the transfer. In addition, the notice shall also state that the parent/guardian or adult student has five school days to request a meeting with the Superintendent or designee to discuss the transfer.

If the Superintendent designates an individual to represent the district at the meeting, the individual so designated shall not be a member of the staff of the school at which the student is currently enrolled.

At the meeting, the reason for the transfer shall be reviewed with the parent/guardian or adult student and the parent/guardian or adult student may present evidence on the student's behalf.

The Superintendent or designee shall send the parent/guardian or adult student written notice of the decision to transfer or not transfer within three school days of the meeting.

If the parent/guardian or adult student desires to appeal the Superintendent's decision to the Board, he/she shall file written notice of the intent to appeal within five school days of receiving the decision. The Board shall determine whether or not to hear the appeal within 15 calendar days. If the Board desires to hear the appeal, the Board shall decide the appeal within 30 calendar days of receipt of the notice of the appeal. The Board's decision shall be final.

Instruction

Academic programs offered in the community day school shall be comparable to those available to students of a similar age in the school district. (Education Code 48663)

Note: In addition to revenue limit funding, Education Code 48664 establishes incentive funding for community day schools. Education Code 48663 establishes a minimum school day of 360 minutes for community day schools. The CDE's *Guidelines for Establishing a Community Day School*, clarifies that a student with disabilities may be enrolled in a community day school for a shorter day in accordance with his/her IEP.

The minimum school day for a district community day school students shall be 360 minutes of classroom instruction provided by a certificated employee of the district reporting attendance for apportionment purposes. Independent study shall not be used as a means of providing any part of this minimum day. (Education Code 48663)

(cf. 6112 - School Day)

(cf. 6158 - Independent Study)

COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL (continued)

Facilities

Note: The following section reflects some of the requirements regarding facilities for community day schools. As the legal requirements concerning these facilities are complex, district legal counsel should be consulted as appropriate.

To house community day school operations, the district shall do one or more of the following: (Education Code 17292.5)

1. Use available school facilities conforming with Field Act
2. Apply for emergency portable classrooms pursuant to Education Code 17085-17096
3. Upon certifying to the State Allocation Board that all reasonable efforts have been made to use facilities that conform with the Field Act requirements of item #1 above, enter into lease agreements for facilities for which a structural engineer has submitted a report stating that substantial structural hazards do not exist.

Every three years, the Superintendent or designee shall report to the State Allocation Board on the facilities used for the district's community day programs and efforts to place these programs in facilities that conform with the requirements of item #1 above. (Education Code 17292.5)

Location of the School Site

Note: As amended by AB 1600 (Ch. 646, Statutes of 1999), Education Code 48661 provides that K-8 districts or districts desiring to operate a community day school to serve grades K-6 may situate a community day school on the same site under the conditions specified below. The following paragraphs should be deleted if not applicable to the district.

A district desiring to operate a community day school to serve any of grades K-6, but no higher grades, may situate the community day school on the same site as an elementary, middle, junior high, comprehensive senior high, opportunity or continuation school when the Board certifies by a two-thirds vote that no satisfactory alternative facilities are available for a community day school in these grades. (Education Code 48661)

A district organized to serve grades K-8, but no higher grades, may situate a community day school on the same site as an elementary, middle, junior high, comprehensive senior high, opportunity or continuation school when the Board certifies by a two-thirds vote that no satisfactory alternative facilities are available for a community day school in those grades. (Education Code 48661)

(cf. 9323.2 - Actions by the Board)

COMMUNITY DAY SCHOOL (continued)

~~Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48661, as amended by AB 1600 (Ch. 646, Statutes of 1999), the following paragraph applies only to districts with 2,500 or fewer ADA reported for the most recent second principal apportionment. Other districts should delete this paragraph.~~

~~A district with 2,500 ADA or less, may situate a community day school on the same site as an elementary, middle, junior high, comprehensive senior high, opportunity, or continuation school when the Board certifies by a two-thirds vote that no satisfactory alternative facilities are available for a community day school. (Education Code 48661)~~

~~Such Board certifications shall be valid for not more than one school year and may be renewed by a subsequent two-thirds vote of the Board. (Education Code 48661)~~

~~Note: Pursuant to Education Code 48916.1, outcome data related to all of the district's expulsions are required, as specified in AR 5144.1, and community day school incentive apportionments will be withheld if this data are not reported.~~

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Administrative Regulation

Community Day School

AR 6185
Instruction

Cautionary Notice: As added and amended by SBX3 4 (Ch. 12, Third Extraordinary Session, Statutes of 2009) and ABX4 2 (Ch. 2, Fourth Extraordinary Session, Statutes of 2009), Education Code 42605 grants districts flexibility in "Tier 3" categorical programs. The Center Unified School District has accepted this flexibility and thus is deemed in compliance with the statutory or regulatory program and funding requirements for these programs for the 2008-09 through 2012-13 fiscal years. As a result, the district may temporarily suspend certain provisions of the following policy or regulation that reflect these requirements. For further information, please contact the Superintendent or designee.

Involuntary Transfer

A student may be assigned to a community day school only upon meeting one or more of the following conditions: (Education Code 48662)

1. The student is expelled for any reason.

(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process)

2. The student is probation-referred pursuant to Welfare and Institutions Code 300 and 602.

3. The student is referred by a school attendance review board or other district-level referral process.

(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)

(cf. 6164.6 - Identification and Education under Section 504)

Instruction

Academic programs offered in the community day school shall be comparable to those available to students of a similar age in the school district. (Education Code 48663)

The minimum school day for community day school students shall be 360 minutes of classroom instruction provided by a certificated employee of the district reporting attendance for apportionment purposes. Independent study shall not be used as a means of providing any part of this minimum day. (Education Code 48663)

(cf. 6158 - Independent Study)

Facilities

To house community day school operations, the district shall do one or more of the following: (Education Code 17292.5)

1. Use available school facilities conforming with Field Act requirements specified in the Code of Regulations, Title 24, Part 2 (Section 101 to 2327a.3), Part 3 (Section 089-1 to 70-848), Part 4 (Section 403 to 1313.13) and Part 5 (Section 102 to 1218.8).
2. Apply for emergency portable classrooms pursuant to Education Code 17085-17095.
3. Upon certifying to the State Allocation Board that all reasonable efforts have been made to use facilities that conform with the requirements of item #1 above, enter into lease agreements for facilities for which a structural engineer has submitted a report stating that substantial structural hazards do not exist.

As needed, the Board shall certify the absence of satisfactory alternative facilities for community day schools. Such certifications shall be valid for not more than one school year and may be renewed by a subsequent two-thirds vote of the Board. (Education Code 48661)

A community day school serving any of grades K-6 shall not be situated on the same site as an elementary, middle, junior high, comprehensive senior high, opportunity or continuation school except when the Board certifies by a two-thirds vote that no satisfactory alternative facilities are available for a community day school in those grades. (Education Code 48661)

A community day school serving any of grades 7-12 shall not be situated on the same site as an elementary, middle, junior high, comprehensive senior high, opportunity, or continuation school except when the Board certifies by a two-thirds vote that no satisfactory alternative facilities are available for a community day school in those grades. (Education Code 48661)

On or before September 1, 1996, and every three years thereafter, the Superintendent or designee shall report to the State Allocation Board on the facilities used for the district's community day programs and efforts to place these programs in facilities that conform with the requirements of item #1 above. (Education Code 17292.5)

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CSBA Sample Board Bylaw

Board Bylaws

BB 9240(a)

BOARD DEVELOPMENT TRAINING

Note: The following optional bylaw may be amended-revised to reflect district practice.

CSBA's Professional Governance Standards include expectations that each individual Governing Board member will participate in professional development and commit the time and energy necessary to be an informed and effective leader. See CSBA's web site for education opportunities available through CSBA, including, but not limited to, CSBA's Institute for New and First-Term Board Members, Masters in Governance program, Annual Education Conference and Trade Show, Legal Symposium for Experienced Board Members, Board Presidents Workshop, Brown Act Workshop, Back-to-School Webcast, other workshops and webinars on specific topics, and in-district governance consulting services.

Citizens elected to the Governing Board are entrusted with the responsibility of governing district schools. The Board recognizes that its members need training. The Governing Board believes that the Board's ability to effectively and responsibly govern the district is essential to promoting student achievement, building positive community relations, and protecting the public interest in district schools. Board members shall be provided sufficient opportunities for professional development that helps them understand their responsibilities, stay abreast of new developments in education, and develop boardmanship skills.

(cf. 9000 - Role of the Board)
(cf. 9005 - Governance Standards)

The Board and/or the Superintendent or designee shall provide an orientation to newly elected or appointed Board members which includes comprehensive information regarding Board roles, policies, and procedures and the district's vision and goals, operations, and current challenges. Throughout their first term, Board members shall continue to participate in additional educational opportunities designed to assist them in understanding the principles of effective governance, including, but not limited to, information on school finance and budgets, student achievement and assessment, labor relations, community relations, program evaluation, open meeting laws (the Brown Act), conflict of interest laws, and other topics necessary to govern effectively and in compliance with law.

(cf. 9230 - Orientation)

All Board members are encouraged to continuously participate in advanced training offered by the California School Boards Association in order to reinforce boardmanship skills and build knowledge related to key education issues. Such activities may include online courses, webinars, webcasts, and in-person attendance at workshops and conferences. In addition, workshops and consultations may be held within the district on issues that involve the entire governance team.

BOARD DEVELOPMENT TRAINING (continued)

Note: CSBA recommends that inservice board training and travel expenses be budgeted as separate items. While inservice training is essential to maintain an effective, well-informed Board, travel expenses are incurred for a variety of reasons.

It is also recommended that the Board determine the manner in which board training activities that require the use of district funds will be selected or approved. Districts may allocate funds equally to each Board member and allow each member discretion to select activities that meet his/her needs, or may require that all activities or activities over a specified cost be approved by the full Board. The following paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice.

Funds for Board development training shall be budgeted annually for the Board and each Board member. In selecting appropriate activities, the Board and/or individual Board members shall consider activities that are aligned with the district's vision and goals and the needs of the Board or individual member to obtain specific knowledge and skills. The Board shall annually develop a board training calendar in order to schedule and track board training activities and to schedule opportunities for Board members to report on the activities in which they participated.

(cf. 0000 - Vision)

(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)

(cf. 3100 - Budget)

(cf. 9250 - Remuneration, Reimbursement, and Other Benefits)

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 54952.2, added by SB 36 (Ch. 1137, Statutes of 1993), a "meeting" subject to Brown Act requirements does not include the attendance of a majority of the Board's members at a conference or similar public gathering, provided that a majority of the members do not discuss among themselves business of a specific nature that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board. Also see BB 9320 - Meetings and Notices.

All Board members may attend conferences for the purpose of Board development. Board business shall not be discussed at conferences. Board members may attend a conference or similar public gathering with other Board members and/or with the Superintendent or designee in order to develop common knowledge and understanding of an issue or engage in team-building exercises. In such cases, a majority of the Board members shall not discuss among themselves, other than as part of the scheduled program, business of a specified nature that is within the district's jurisdiction, so as not to violate the Brown Act open meeting laws pursuant to Government Code 54952.2.

(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

Board members shall report to the Board, orally or in writing, as soon as possible on the inservice board training activities they attend, for the purpose of sharing the acquired knowledge or skills with the full Board and enlarging the benefit of the activity to the Board and district.

BOARD DEVELOPMENT TRAINING (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

~~33360 Department of Education and statewide association of school district boards, annual workshop~~

GOVERNMENT CODE

54950-54963 *The Ralph M. Brown Act, especially:*

54952.2 *Meeting*

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Board Bylaws

Citizens elected to the Governing Board are entrusted with the responsibility of governing district schools. The Board recognizes that its members need training that helps them understand their responsibilities, stay abreast of new developments in education, and develop boardmanship skills.

All Board members and all new Board members must participate in professional development activities in order to broaden their understanding of Board member responsibilities, learn new tools and techniques for coping with them and keep abreast of new developments in education. Such activities shall include but not be limited to state, regional and national workshops, conferences, conventions and seminars developed by associations such as the California School Boards Association and the National School Boards Association.

(cf. 9230 - Orientation)

(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

Board members shall report to the Board, orally or in writing, as soon as possible on the inservice activities they attend.

Funds for participation at such meetings shall be budgeted for annually. Reimbursement of Board members for their travel and conference/workshop expenses shall be consistent with policy and regulations governing reimbursement of district personnel.

(cf. 9250 - Remuneration, Reimbursement, and Other Benefits)

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Antelope, California

CSBA Sample Board Bylaw

Board Bylaws

BB 9323(a)

MEETING CONDUCT

Note: Education Code 35010 mandates the Governing Board to "prescribe and enforce" rules for its own governance. These rules must not be inconsistent with law or with regulations prescribed by the State Board of Education. The following bylaw provides suggested rules and procedures for meeting conduct and reflects provisions of law as applicable.

Meeting Procedures

All Governing Board meetings shall begin on time and shall be guided by an agenda prepared in accordance with Board bylaws and posted and distributed in accordance with the Ralph M. Brown Act (open meeting requirements) and other applicable laws.

(cf. 9322 - Agenda/Meeting Materials)

Note: The law does not specify that a particular set of procedures must govern Board meetings. Although Robert's Rules of Order can serve as a useful guide, the Board may adopt any procedure that allows for the efficient and consistent conduct of meetings.

The Board president shall conduct Board meetings in accordance with Board bylaws and procedures that enable the Board to efficiently consider issues and carry out the will of the majority.

(cf. 9121 - President)

Note: The following optional paragraph limits the length of Board meetings and should be revised to reflect district practice.

The Board believes that late night meetings deter public participation, can affect the Board's decision-making ability, and can be a burden to staff. Regular Board meetings shall be adjourned at 9:00 p.m. unless extended to a specific time determined by a majority of the Board. The meeting shall be extended no more than once and subsequently may be adjourned to a later date.

(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

Note: In Rubin v. City of Burbank, an appellate court held that inclusion of "sectarian prayer" at city council meetings, which communicated a preference for a particular religious faith and advanced one faith over another, was unconstitutional by directing the prayer "in the name of Jesus." The court held that it would be constitutional to require the city to advise those people conducting the prayer of this limitation. This opinion is consistent with an unpublished 9th circuit federal court opinion which stated that an invocation "in the name of Jesus" was unconstitutional in that it displayed allegiance to a particular faith.

MEETING CONDUCT (continued)

Some general guidelines for invocations can be found in an Attorney General's opinion (76 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 281 (1993)) which stated that a county board of supervisors could open its sessions with an invocation when the invocation is (1) not required by law as a condition to the official proceedings, (2) not part of the deliberative agenda, (3) not offered, supervised, or approved as to content by a public officer, (4) not officially limited to a particular religion, (5) not disparaging of others, and (6) not directed towards proselytizing. However, because this is an unsettled area of law that is subject to frequent litigation, it is strongly recommended that districts consult legal counsel if they wish to open meetings with an invocation. Note that a different legal analysis applies to student-led or student-initiated prayer; see BP 5127 - Graduation Ceremonies and Activities.

Quorum and Abstentions

The Board shall act by majority vote of all of the membership constituting the Board. (Education Code 35164)

(cf. 9323.2 - Actions by the Board)

Note: According to an Attorney General opinion (61 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 243 (1978)), members of a public body have a duty to vote on issues before them so that the public is represented and receives the services which the public body was created to provide. Issues arise when a motion is tied and one Board member has abstained. The general parliamentary rule is that an abstention is counted as agreeing with the action taken by the majority of those who vote, whether affirmatively or negatively (66 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 336 (1983)). However, a stronger argument could be made that the parliamentary rule is in conflict with Education Code 35164 which requires a majority vote of all of the membership of the Board in order for the Board to act (i.e., a majority of all of the membership of the Board must vote affirmatively in order to approve any action). In 55 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 26 (1972), the Attorney General opined that, when a statutory requirement exists that requires an affirmative action of at least a majority of the members of the Board, the general rule that members not voting were deemed to have agreed with the action taken by the majority of those that voted is not applicable.

The following optional paragraph is consistent with CSBA's opinion that a majority of the Board must vote affirmatively for a motion to carry, but the law is not settled and contrary legal opinions may exist. It is strongly recommended that the district consult with legal counsel and modify the following optional paragraph to ensure consistency with district practice.

The Board believes that when no conflict of interest requires abstention, its members have a duty to vote on issues before them. When a member abstains, his/her abstention shall not be counted for purposes of determining whether a majority of the membership of the Board has taken action.

(cf. 9270 - Conflict of Interest)

Note: The following paragraph applies only to districts with seven member boards and should be deleted by districts with a three or five member board.

~~If a Board consists of seven members and not more than two vacancies occur on the Board,~~

MEETING CONDUCT (continued)

~~Provided the Board typically has seven members and there are no more than two vacancies on the Board, the vacant position(s) shall not be counted for purposes of determining how many members of the Board constitute a majority. In addition, if a vacancy exists on the Board, whenever any provisions of the Education Code require unanimous action of all or a specific number of the members, the vacant position(s) shall be not be counted for purposes of determining the total membership constituting the Board. (Education Code 35165)~~

Public Participation

Note: Pursuant to Government Code 54953.3, a member of the public cannot be required to register his/her name, complete a questionnaire, or provide other information as a condition of attending a Board meeting. If an attendance list or similar document is posted near the entrance or circulated during the meeting, it must clearly state that signing or completing the document is voluntary.

Members of the public are encouraged to attend Board meetings and to address the Board concerning any item on the agenda or within the Board's jurisdiction. So as not to inhibit public participation, persons attending Board meetings shall not be requested to sign in, complete a questionnaire, or otherwise provide their name or other information as a condition of attending the meeting.

In order to conduct district business in an orderly and efficient manner, the Board requires that public presentations to the Board comply with the following procedures:

Note: Education Code 35145.5 mandates the Board to adopt regulations which ensure that the public can address the Board regarding agenda items, as specified below.

~~District employees have the same right as members of the public to address the Board during a public Board meeting. In 90 Ops.Cal.Atty.Gen. 47 (2007), the Attorney General opined that, under the Ralph M. Brown Act, an administrative district employee cannot be prohibited from attending a Board meeting or from speaking during the public comment period, including comments on an employment-related issue.~~

1. The Board shall give members of the public an opportunity to address the Board on any item of interest to the public that is within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board, either before or during the Board's consideration of the item. (Education Code 35145.5; Government Code 54954.3)
2. At a time so designated on the agenda at a regular meeting, members of the public may bring before the Board matters that are not listed on the agenda. The Board shall take no action or discussion on any item not appearing on the posted agenda, except as authorized by law. (Education Code 35145.5; Government Code 54954.2)

MEETING CONDUCT (continued)

3. Without taking action, Board members or district staff members may briefly respond to statements made or questions posed by the public about items not appearing on the agenda. Additionally, on their own initiative or in response to questions posed by the public, a Board or staff member may ask a question for clarification, make a brief announcement, or make a brief report on his/her own activities. (Government Code 54954.2)

Furthermore, the Board or a Board member may provide a reference to staff or other resources for factual information, ask staff to report back to the Board at a subsequent meeting concerning any matter, or take action directing staff to place a matter of business on a future agenda. (Government Code 54954.2)

4. The Board need not allow the public to speak on any item that has already been considered by a committee composed exclusively of Board members at a public meeting where the public had the opportunity to address the committee on that item. However, if the Board determines that the item has been substantially changed since the committee heard the item, the Board shall provide an opportunity for the public to speak. (Government Code 54954.3)

(cf. 9130 - Board Committees)

5. A person wishing to be heard by the Board shall first be recognized by the president and shall then proceed to comment as briefly as the subject permits.

Note: Government Code 54954.3 authorizes regulations limiting the total amount of time allocated for public testimony on particular issues and for each individual speaker. The following paragraph should be revised to reflect district practice.

If the Board limits the time for public comment, Government Code 54954.3, as amended by AB 1787 (Ch. 507, Statutes of 2016), requires the Board to provide at least twice the allotted time to a member of the public who utilizes a translator, as provided below:

Individual speakers shall be allowed three minutes to address the Board on each agenda or nonagenda item. The Board shall limit the total time for public input on each item to 20 minutes. With Board consent, the Board president may increase or decrease the time allowed for public presentation, depending on the topic and the number of persons wishing to be heard. The president may take a poll of speakers for or against a particular issue and may ask that additional persons speak only if they have something new to add.

In order to ensure that non-English speakers receive the same opportunity to directly address the Board, any member of the public who utilizes a translator shall be provided at least twice the allotted time to address the Board, unless simultaneous translation equipment is used to allow the Board to hear the translated public testimony simultaneously. (Government Code 54954.3)

MEETING CONDUCT (continued)

6. The Board president may rule on the appropriateness of a topic, subject to the following conditions:
- a.] If a topic would be suitably addressed at a later time, the Board president may indicate the time and place when it should be presented.
 - b.] The Board shall not prohibit public criticism of its policies, procedures, programs, services, acts, or omissions. (Government Code 54954.3) In addition, the Board may not prohibit public criticism of district employees.

Note: The following optional item addresses the issue of specific charges or complaints against district employees in open Board meetings. ~~The Board president must first determine that the speech in question is a specific complaint or charge against a specific employee or employees before invoking the following provision. Although the Board may inform the speaker of appropriate district complaint procedures, it cannot prohibit general criticisms of the district and its employees, no matter how harsh, may not be prohibited.~~ Board members and staff may briefly respond to the concerns raised by the complainant at the meeting.

In Baca v. Moreno Valley Unified School District, a federal district court issued a preliminary injunction against the district prohibiting it from enforcing its policy barring criticism of employees at public Board meetings. The court found that the district's policy violated the plaintiff's First Amendment rights by restricting the content of her speech. The court further noted that the district could not legally prevent a person from speaking in open session, even if the speech was clearly defamatory. It is recommended that the Board consult legal counsel if a question arises regarding public criticism of a district employee. ~~Districts should note that this decision does not apply to any district other than the Moreno Valley Unified School District at this time. However, a different federal court has also reached the same result in a case involving the Vista Unified School District. Districts should be very cautious in implementing this policy and be guided by the advice of their legal counsel.~~

~~For a district to be safe from litigation, the only option is for the Board to place no content restriction on public comments during the Board meeting. This option, however, would permit accusations to be made against an employee without notice or opportunity for employee response.~~

- c.] ~~In addition, the Board shall not prohibit public criticism of district employees. However, whenever a member of the public initiates specific complaints or charges against an individual employee, the Board president shall inform the complainant of the appropriate complaint procedure; that in order to protect the employee's right to adequate notice before a hearing of such complaints and charges, and also to preserve the ability of the Board to legally consider the complaints or charges in any subsequent evaluation of the employee, it is the policy of the Board to hear such complaints or charges, in closed session unless otherwise requested by the employee pursuant to Government Code 54957. The Board president shall also encourage the complainant to file a complaint using the appropriate district complaint procedure.~~

MEETING CONDUCT (continued)

Note: As provided in item #7 below, Government Code 54957.9 authorizes the Board to remove persons who willfully disrupt or disturb a meeting. Examples of disruptive conduct might include conduct that is extremely loud, disturbing, or creates a health or safety risk. In McMahon v. Albany Unified School District, the court held that a speaker's constitutional rights were not violated when he was removed from a Board meeting after dumping a substantial amount of garbage on the floor of the meeting room. ~~The speaker had come to the Board meeting to complain about high school students littering, but did not stop dumping garbage when admonished by the Board president.~~ Because ~~he~~ the speaker was not removed based on the content of his speech, the court upheld his conviction for a willful disruption of a public meeting. In City of San Jose v. Garbett, the court held that a legislative body may exclude from a meeting a person who has expressed a credible threat of violence that would place a reasonable person in fear for his/her safety or the safety of his/her immediate family and that serves no legitimate purpose.

However, the courts have found that a person's conduct must actually disrupt the meeting in order to warrant ejection. In Norse v. City of Santa Cruz, the court held that the city council improperly ejected a member of the public who gave the council a silent Nazi salute, on the grounds that the action did not interfere with the proceedings of the meeting.

7. The Board president shall not permit any disturbance or willful interruption of Board meetings. Persistent disruption by an individual or group or any conduct or statements that threaten the safety of any person(s) at the meeting shall be grounds for the president to terminate the privilege of addressing the Board.

The Board may remove disruptive individuals and order the room cleared if necessary. In this case, members of the media not participating in the disturbance shall be allowed to remain, and individuals not participating in such disturbances may be allowed to remain at the discretion of the Board. When the room is ordered cleared due to a disturbance, further Board proceedings shall concern only matters appearing on the agenda. (Government Code 54957.9)

When such disruptive conduct occurs, the Superintendent or designee shall contact local law enforcement as necessary.

Recording by the Public

Note: Government Code 54953.5 provides that any person attending an open meeting may record it with an audio or video tape recorder or a still or movie motion picture camera unless the Board makes a reasonable finding that the recording cannot continue without noise, illumination, or obstruction of view which would persistently disrupt the meeting. Government Code 54953.6 requires a similar finding before the Board can prohibit or restrict a broadcast of its meetings.

The following paragraph extends the right to record an open meeting to include recordings made by other devices such as a cell phone.

MEETING CONDUCT (continued)

Members of the public may record an open Board meeting using an audio or video recorder, still or motion picture camera, cell phone, or other device, provided that the noise, illumination, or obstruction of view does not persistently disrupt the meeting. The Superintendent or designee shall may designate locations from which members of the public may broadcast, photograph, or tape record open meetings make such recordings without causing a distraction.

(cf. 9324 - Board Minutes and Recordings)

If the Board finds that noise, illumination, or obstruction of view related to these activities would persistently disrupt the proceedings, these activities shall be discontinued or restricted as determined by the Board. (Government Code 54953.5, 54953.6)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

MEETING CONDUCT (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 5095 Powers of remaining board members and new appointees
- 32210 Willful disturbance of public school or meeting a misdemeanor
- 35010 Prescription and enforcement of rules
- 35145.5 Agenda; public participation; regulations
- 35163 Official actions, minutes and journal
- 35164 Vote requirements
- 35165 Effect of vacancies upon majority and unanimous votes by seven member board

CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE

527.8 Workplace Violence Safety Act

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- 54953.5 Audio or video ~~tap~~ recording of proceedings
- 54953.6 Broadcasting of proceedings
- 54954.2 Agenda; posting; action on other matters
- 54954.3 Opportunity for public to address legislative body; regulations
- 54957 Closed sessions
- 54957.9 Disorderly conduct of general public during meeting; clearing of room

PENAL CODE

- 403 Disruption of assembly or meeting

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Meeting Conduct

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Board Bylaws

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(cf. 9322 - Agenda/Meeting Materials)

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(cf. 9121 - President)

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(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

Quorum and Abstentions

The Board shall act by majority vote of all of the membership constituting the Board.
(Education Code 35164)

(cf. 9323.2 - Actions by the Board)

The Board believes that when no conflict of interest requires abstention, its members have a duty to vote on issues before them. When a member abstains, his/her abstention shall not be counted for purposes of determining whether a majority of the membership of the Board has taken action.

(cf. 9270 - Conflict of Interest)

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The Board shall not prohibit public criticism of its policies, procedures, programs, services, acts, or omissions. (Government Code 54954.3) In addition, the Board may not prohibit public criticism of district employees.

Whenever a member of the public initiates specific complaints or charges against an employee, the Board president shall inform the complainant that in order to protect the employee's right to adequate notice before a hearing of such complaints and charges, and also to preserve the ability of the Board to legally consider the complaints or charges in any subsequent evaluation of the employee, it is the policy of the Board to hear such complaints or charges in closed session unless otherwise requested by the employee pursuant to Government Code 54957. The Board president shall also encourage the complainant to file a complaint using the appropriate district complaint procedure.

(cf. 1312.1 - Complaints Concerning District Employees)
(cf. 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas)

7. The Board president shall not permit any disturbance or willful interruption of Board meetings. Persistent disruption by an individual or group shall be grounds for the president to terminate the privilege of addressing the Board.

The Board may remove disruptive individuals and order the room cleared if necessary. In this case, members of the media not participating in the disturbance shall be allowed to remain, and individuals not participating in such disturbances may be allowed to remain at the discretion of the Board. When the room is ordered cleared due to a disturbance, further Board proceedings shall concern only matters appearing on the agenda. (Government Code 54957.9)

When such disruptive conduct occurs, the Superintendent or designee shall contact local law enforcement.

Recording by the Public

The Superintendent or designee shall designate locations from which members of the public may broadcast, photograph, or tape record open meetings without causing a distraction.

(cf. 9324 - Board Minutes and Recordings)

If the Board finds that noise, illumination, or obstruction of view related to these activities would persistently disrupt the proceedings, these activities shall be discontinued or restricted as determined by the Board. (Government Code 54953.5, 54953.6)

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ACTIONS BY THE BOARD

ACTIONS REQUIRING A SUPER MAJORITY VOTE

Note: The following exhibit lists some of the Governing Board actions that require more than a simple majority vote. Other such actions may exist and may be identified in the future.

Actions Requiring a Two-Thirds Vote of the Board:

1. Resolution declaring intention to sell or lease real property (Education Code 17466)
(cf. 3280 - Sale or Lease of District-Owned Real Property)
2. Resolution declaring intent of Governing Board to convey or dedicate property to the state or any political subdivision for the purposes specified in Education Code 17556 (Education Code 17557)
3. Resolution authorizing and directing the Board president, or any other presiding officer, secretary, or member, to execute a deed of dedication or conveyance of property to the state or a political subdivision (Education Code 17559)
4. Lease, for up to three months, of school property which has a residence on it and which cannot be developed for district purposes because funds are unavailable (Education Code 17481)

Note: Item #5 below is different from temporary borrowing pursuant to Government Code 53850-53858 which requires only a majority vote of the Board.

5. Request for temporary borrowing pursuant to Government Code 53820-53833, to pay district obligations incurred before the receipt of district income for the fiscal year sufficient to meet the payment(s) (Government Code 53821)
6. Upon complying with Government Code 65352.2 and Public Resources Code 21151.2, action to render city or county zoning ordinances inapplicable to a proposed use of the property by the district (Government Code 53094)
(cf. 7131 - Relations with Local Agencies)
(cf. 7150 - Site Selection and Development)
(cf. 7160 - Charter School Facilities)
7. When the district is organized to serve only grades K-8 and desires to establish a community day school for any of grades K-8 (Education Code 48660)

ACTIONS BY THE BOARD (continued)

~~(cf. 6185 - Community Day School)~~

~~Note: Items #7-9 below are for use by districts seeking to establish a community day school on an existing school site~~

~~7-8~~] When the district has an average daily attendance (ADA) of 2,500 or less and seeks to situate a community day school on an existing school site, certification that satisfactory alternative facilities are not available for a community day school (Education Code 48661)

~~8-9~~] When the district is organized to serve only grades K-8 and seeks to situate a community day school on an existing school site, certification that satisfactory alternative facilities are not available for a community day school (Education Code 48661)

~~9-10~~] When the district desires to operate a community day school to serve any of grades K-6 (and no higher grades) on an existing school site, certification that satisfactory alternative facilities are not available for a community day school (Education Code 48661)

~~(cf. 6185 - Community Day School)~~

~~10-11~~] Resolution of intent to issue general obligation bonds with the approval of 55 percent of the voters of the district (Education Code 15266)

~~(cf. 7214 - General Obligation Bonds)~~

~~11-12~~] Resolution of intent to issue bonds within a school facilities improvement district with the approval of 55 percent of the voters of the school facilities improvement district (Education Code 15266)

~~(cf. 7213 - School Facilities Improvement Districts)~~

~~12-13~~] Resolution to place a parcel tax on the ballot (Government Code 53724)

Note: Code of Civil Procedure 1245.240 requires that, prior to commencing an eminent domain action, the Board adopt a resolution of necessity approved by a two-thirds vote of the Board unless a greater vote is required by statute, charter, or ordinance. In addition, if the Board desires to use the property for a different purpose than stated in the resolution of necessity, then pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure 1245.245, the Board must adopt, by two-thirds vote, another resolution authorizing the different use unless a greater vote is required by statute, charter, or ordinance.

~~13-14~~] Resolution of necessity to proceed with an eminent domain action and, if the Board subsequently desires to use the property for a different use than stated in the

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resolution of necessity, a subsequent resolution so authorizing the different use (Code of Civil Procedure 1245.240, 1245.245)

Actions Requiring a Two-Thirds Vote of the Board Members Present at the Meeting:

1. Determination that there is a need to take immediate action and that the need for action came to the district's attention after the posting of the agenda. If less than two-thirds of the Board members are present at the meeting, a unanimous vote of all members present is required. (Government Code 54954.2)
2. Determination that a closed session is necessary during an emergency meeting. If less than two-thirds of the Board members are present, a unanimous vote of all members present is required. (Government Code 54956.5)

(cf. 9320 - Meetings and Notices)

(cf. 9321 - Closed Session Purposes and Agendas)

Actions Requiring a Four-Fifths Vote of the Board:

1. Expenditure and transfer of necessary funds and use of district property or personnel to meet a national or local emergency created by war, military, naval, or air attack, or sabotage, or to provide for adequate national or local defense (Government Code 53790-53792)

(cf. 3110 - Transfer of Funds)

2. Resolution for district borrowing based on issuance of notes, tax anticipation warrants, or other evidences of indebtedness, in an amount up to 50 percent of the district's estimated income and revenue for the fiscal year or the portion not yet collected at the time of the borrowing (Government Code 53822, 53824)
3. Resolution for district borrowing, between July 15 and August 30 of any fiscal year, of up to 25 percent of the estimated income and revenue to be received by the district during that fiscal year from apportionments based on ADA for the preceding school year (Government Code 53823-53824)
4. Declaration of an emergency in order to authorize the district to include a particular brand name or product in a bid specification (Public Contract Code 3400)

(cf. 3311 - Bids)

5. Resolution to award a contract for a public works project at \$187,500 or less to the lowest responsible bidder, when the district is using the informal process authorized

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under the Uniform Public Construction Cost Accounting Act for projects of \$175,000 or less, all bids received are in excess of \$175,000, and the Board determines that the district's cost estimate was reasonable (Public Contract Code 22034)

Actions Requiring a Unanimous Vote of the Board:

1. Resolution authorizing and prescribing the terms of a community lease for extraction of gas (Education Code 17510-17511)
2. Waiver of the competitive bid process pursuant to Public Contract Code 20111 when the Board determines that an emergency exists and upon approval of the County Superintendent of Schools (Public Contract Code 20113)

Action Requiring a Unanimous Vote of the Board Members Present at the Meeting:

1. Private sale of surplus property without advertisement in order to establish that such property is not worth more than \$2,500. Disposal of surplus property in the local dump or donation to a charitable organization requires the unanimous vote of the Board members present to establish that the value of such property would not defray the cost of arranging its sale. (Education Code 17546)

(cf. 3270 - Sale and Disposal of Books, Equipment and Supplies)

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Board Bylaws

UNCONDITIONAL COMMITMENT LETTER

To: *(Name of district attorney or any interested person)*

The Governing Board of Center Joint Unified School District has received your cease and desist letter dated *(date)* alleging that the following described past action taken by the Board violates the Ralph M. Brown Act: *(Describe alleged past action as set forth in the cease and desist letter.)*

In order to avoid unnecessary litigation and without admitting any violation of the Ralph M. Brown Act, the Board hereby unconditionally commits that it will cease, desist from, and not repeat the challenged past action described above. The Board may rescind this commitment only by a majority vote of its membership taken in open session at a regular meeting and noticed on its posted agenda as "Rescission of Brown Act Commitment." You will be provided with written notice, sent by any means or media you provide in response to this message, to whatever address(es) you specify, of any intention to consider rescinding this commitment at least 30 days before any such regular meeting. In the event that this commitment is rescinded, a notice will be delivered to you by the same means as this commitment, or by mail to an address that you have designated in writing, and you will have the right to commence legal action pursuant to Government Code 54960(a).

Sincerely,

(Name)

(Title of Board President or other designee)

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