



Book	Board Policies
Section	5000: Students
Title	Interdistrict Attendance
Code	BP 5117
Status	Active
Adopted	October 18, 2004
Last Revised	December 4, 2017

BP 5117

INTERDISTRICT ATTENDANCE

The Board of Education recognizes that parents/guardians of students who reside in one district may, for a variety of reasons, choose to enroll their child in a school in another district.

(cf. 0520.3 – Title I Program Improvement Districts)

(cf. 5116.1 – Intradistrict Open Enrollment)

(cf. 5118 – Open Enrollment Act Transfers)

Upon receiving a permit for transfer into the district that has been approved by the student’s district of residence, or upon receiving a written request from the parent/guardian of a district student who wished to enroll in another district, the Superintendent or designee shall review the request and may approve or deny the permit subject to the terms and conditions of the interdistrict attendance agreement.

The District shall not provide transportation beyond any school attendance area. Upon request, the Superintendent or designee may authorize transportation for interdistrict transfer students to and from designated bus stops within the attendance area if space is available.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

41020 Annual district audits

46600-46611 Interdistrict attendance agreements

48204 Residency requirements for school attendance

48300-48315 Student attendance alternatives

48350-48361 Open Enrollment Act

48900 Grounds for suspension or expulsion; definition of bullying

48915 Expulsion; particular circumstances

48915.1 Expelled individuals: enrollment in another district

48918 Rules governing expulsion procedures

48980 Notice at beginning of term

52317 ROP, enrollment of students, interdistrict attendance

ATTORNEY GENERAL OPINIONS

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

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

COURT DECISIONS

Walnut Valley Unified School District v. the Superior Court of Los Angeles County, (2011) 192 Cal. App.4th 234

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

Management Resources:

CSBA PUBLICATIONS

Transfer Law Comparison, Fact Sheet, March 2011

WEB SITES

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

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

Policy

TORRANCE UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

approved: October 18, 2004

Torrance, California

revised: March 17, 2008; March 15, 2010; December 13, 2010; October 8, 2012; June 15, 2015;
February 16, 2016; December 4, 2017