

LODI UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Policy 6182

Instruction

Opportunity School/Class/Program

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

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

Assignment

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

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

Legal References: Education Code
48630-48641 Opportunity Schools
48643-48644.5 Reimbursement for increasing availability of
opportunity classes and programs
Management Resources
CDE PROGRAM ADVISORIES
1007.87 Opportunity Classes and Programs
Board Policy
5113 - Absences and Excuses
5147 - Dropout Prevention
6184 - Continuation Education

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