



Huntington Beach Union High School District Board Policies and Administrative Regulations

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Instruction

Opportunity School/Class/Program

The Board of Trustees recognizes that attendance and behavior problems which surface in the ninth grade 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 authorizes the establishment of an opportunity class/program as determined by school sites. Students in the ninth grade who are irregular in attendance or habitual truants or who are insubordinate or disorderly are eligible for participation in the program.

The opportunity class/program shall strive to resolve student problems so that students may return to the regular program as soon as practically possible. (Education Code 48630)

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. (Education Code 48637.2)

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.

(cf.5113 - Absences and Excuses)

(cf.5147 - Dropout Prevention)

(cf.6184 - Continuation Education)

Legal Reference: EDUCATION CODE

48630-48641 Opportunity Schools

48643-48644.5 Reimbursement for increasing availability of opportunity classes and programs.

Policy

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