

Policy 6146.3: Reciprocity Of Academic Credit

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The Governing Board intends that, to the extent possible, all students, including students who transfer into the district, complete the district's academic program timely and graduate with their peers.

To determine whether students transferring into the district have met district course requirements, the Superintendent or designee shall establish procedures to evaluate the comparability of courses and/or students' understanding of course content. Such procedures shall include methods for determining the number of years of school attendance, the specific courses completed by the student, and the value of credits earned.

The district shall accept for credit full or partial coursework satisfactorily completed by students while attending a public school, a juvenile court school, or nonpublic nonsectarian school or agency. (Education Code 48645.5)

Pending evaluation of the transferring student's academic performance, the student shall be placed at the grade level reached prior to enrollment in the district. Within 30 days of enrollment, the principal or designee shall complete the evaluation and determine the student's appropriate grade placement.

Policy Reference Disclaimer: These references are not intended to be part of the policy itself, nor do they indicate the basis or authority for the Governing Board to enact this policy. Instead, they are provided as additional resources for those interested in the subject matter of the policy.

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Transferability of coursework

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[Course of study; offerings and timely opportunity](#)

Ed. Code 60605

[State-adopted content and performance standards in core curricular areas](#)

Ed. Code 60640-60648.5

[California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress](#)

Ed. Code 64001

[School plan for student achievement; consolidated application programs](#)

Management Resources

California Child Welfare Council Publication
Website

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[Partial Credit Model Policy and Practice Recommendations](#)

[CSBA District and County Office of Education Legal Services](#)

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