

**STUDENT STUDY TEAMS**

The Board of Education encourages the collaboration of parents/guardians, teachers, resource personnel, administrators and students in evaluating the strengths and needs of students having academic, attendance or behavioral difficulties and in identifying strategies and programs that may assist the students. The Superintendent or designee shall establish student study teams as needed to address individual students' needs.

*(cf. 0420.3 - School-Based Student Motivation and Maintenance Program)*

*(cf. 5113.1 - Truancy)*

*(cf. 5147 - Dropout Prevention)*

*(cf. 5149 - At-Risk Students)*

The Superintendent or designee shall establish a process for initiating referrals of students to the student study team.

Each student study team shall develop intervention strategies to assist the student. Such strategies may include changes in program placement or instructional methods, recommendation of supplemental educational services, parent involvement strategies, behavioral interventions, discipline, referrals to other agencies or resources, and/or other appropriate interventions.

*(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)*

*(cf. 5123 - Promotion/Acceleration/Retention)*

*(cf. 5141.3 - Health Examinations)*

*(cf. 5141.6 - Student Health and Social Services)*

*(cf. 5144 - Discipline)*

*(cf. 5146 - Married/Pregnant/Parenting Students)*

*(cf. 6020 - Parent Involvement)*

*(cf. 6158 - Independent Study)*

*(cf. 6159 - Individualized Education Program)*

*(cf. 6159.4 - Behavioral Interventions for Special Education Students)*

*(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. 6175 - Migrant Education Program)*

*(cf. 6176 - Weekend/Saturday Classes)*

*(cf. 6177 - Summer School)*

*(cf. 6178 - Vocational Education)*

*(cf. 6178.1 - Work Experience Education)*

*(cf. 6179 - Supplemental Instruction)*

*(cf. 6181 - Alternative Schools)*

*(cf. 6182 - Opportunity School/Class/Program)*

*(cf. 6183 - Home and Hospital Instruction)*

*(cf. 6184 - Continuation Education)*

*(cf. 6185 - Community Day School)*

**STUDENT STUDY TEAMS** (continued)

The student study team shall monitor the student's progress, evaluate the extent to which the recommended strategies have been implemented, and develop additional interventions as needed.

*Legal Reference:*

EDUCATION CODE

8800-8807 *Healthy Start support services for children*

41505-41508 *Pupil Retention Block Grant*

48260-48273 *Truancy*

48400-48454 *Continuation education*

49600-49604 *Educational counseling*

51745-51749.3 *Independent study programs*

52200-52212 *Gifted and talented student programs*

54400-54425 *Programs for disadvantaged children*

54440-54445 *Migrant children*

WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE

4343-4352.5 *Primary interventions program, mental health*

18986.40-18986.46 *Interagency children's services*

*Management Resources:*

CDE PUBLICATIONS

*SB 65 School-Based Pupil Motivation and Maintenance Program Guidelines (2000-01 Edition), 2000*

*Student Success Teams: Supporting Teachers in General Education, 1997*

CALIFORNIA DROPOUT PREVENTION NETWORK PUBLICATIONS

*SST: Student Success Teams, 2000*

WEB SITES

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

California Dropout Prevention Network: <http://www.edualliance.org/cdpn>

National Dropout Prevention Center: <http://www.dropoutprevention.org>