INSTRUCTION 6141

COURSES OF STUDY

The Board of Trustees shall adopt district-wide courses of study which respond to student needs, conform with state and district standards and prepare students for graduation and for higher educational opportunities. Courses of study shall also give students the opportunity to attain skills appropriate for entry-level employment in business and industry upon graduation.

The Superintendent or designee shall work with the elementary school representatives to ensure a smooth transition for students between the schools.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that all otherwise qualified students have a timely opportunity, within the four years before graduation, to enroll in each course required for admission to California public colleges and universities.

The Superintendent or designee shall have the general coordinating authority over the development of curriculum. The Superintendent or designee shall develop a process for curriculum review and development which includes the participation of teachers, chairpersons, administrators, parents, students, and representatives from higher education and/or business and industry.

The Superintendent will establish a curriculum and textbook review and evaluation cycle for each area of the curriculum which shall serve as a timeline for the district-wide curriculum development.

LEGAL REFERENCE

EDUCATION CODE

33540	Government and civics instruction in interaction with government agencies
51201.5	Instruction on AIDS and AIDS prevention
51202	Instruction in personal and public health and safety
51203	Instruction on alcohol, narcotics and restricted dangerous drugs
51204	Course of study designed for pupil's needs
51204.5	History of California; contributions of men, women and ethnic groups to development of state and nations
51210-51212	Areas of study for grades 1 through 6
51220-51230	Course of study for grades 7 through 12
51911-51921	Comprehensive health educational plans

GOVERNMENT CODE

3543.2 Scope of representation

HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE

11032 Definition of dangerous drugs

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CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

10020 Driver education

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

6101-6251 School-to-Work Opportunities Act of 1994