

SUMMER SCHOOL

Elementary Program

At the elementary level, the district may offer instruction in any branches of study authorized and prescribed for elementary schools. (Education Code 51210, 51730; 5 CCR 11472)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

(cf. 6146.5 - Elementary/Middle School Graduation Requirements)

Summer school may be used to provide direct, systematic and intensive supplemental instruction to students in grades 2 through 6 who have been retained at grade level, identified as being at risk of retention, or identified as having a deficiency in mathematics, reading or written expression based on the results of the statewide Standardized Testing and Reporting Program. (Education Code 37252.5)

(cf. 5123 - Promotion/Acceleration/Retention)

(cf. 6162.5 - Student Assessment)

When more than 10 percent of district students in grades 1 through 3 are reading below grade level, the district may offer a special back-to-basics summer school program designed to increase students' ability to read English. This program shall offer direct reading instruction based on phonics and phonemic awareness and/or other state-approved instructional methodologies. To be eligible to participate, a student must have a test score that places him/her at one or more grade levels below the grade level he/she will be leaving at the end of the school year. (Education Code 54036)

Secondary Program

At the secondary level, the district shall offer summer instructional programs for:

1. Students enrolled in grades 7 and 8 who do not demonstrate "sufficient progress," as defined in Board policy, toward passing the statewide exit examinations in language arts and mathematics required for high school graduation (Education Code 37252)

(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements)

- a. For the purposes of this program, a student shall be considered to be enrolled in a grade immediately upon completion of the preceding grade. (Education Code 37252)

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

Summer school may be used to provide direct, systematic and intensive supplemental instruction to students in grades 7 through 9 who have been retained at grade level. (Education Code 37252.5)

SUMMER SCHOOL (continued)

Secondary classes may be offered in mathematics, science, English, social sciences, physical education. (Education Code 37253, 51220; 5 CCR 11472)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)