CENTER JOINT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Local Control Accountability Plan Goals:

1. BELONG: Establish a positive school climate that promotes a sense of belonging for all students, staff and families.
2. IMPACT: Enhance classroom instruction to effectively impact all students through the integration of Multi-Tiered Systems of Support (MTSS), evidence-based practices, and differentiated instruction.
3. VALUED: Foster an inclusive and supportive educational environment that values individuals, addresses diverse learning needs, and promotes positive behavior through the implementation of a Multiple Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) and Positive Behavior Supports (PBIS).
4. THRIVE: Establish environments that cultivate learning experiences and provide paths to college and career readiness, ensuring that all students thrive.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES REGULAR MEETING

District Board Room
Located on McClellan High School Campus
3243 Center Court Lane, Antelope, CA 95843

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Wednesday, November 18, 2026 - 6:00 p.m.

I. CALL TO ORDER & ROLL CALL - 5:30 p.m.

II. ANNOUNCEMENT OF ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION

1. Student Expulsions/Readmissions (G.C. §54962)
2. Conference with Labor Negotiator, (Chris Borasi), Re: CSEA and CUTA (G.C. §54957.6)

III. PUBLIC COMMENTS REGARDING ITEMS TO BE DISCUSSED IN CLOSED SESSION

Note: If you need a disability-related modification or accommodation, including auxiliary aids or services, to participate in the public meeting, please contact the Superintendent's Office at (916) 338-6409 at least 48 hours before the scheduled Board meeting. [Government Code §54954.2] [Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, §202.]

NOTICE: The agenda packet and supporting materials, including materials distributed less than 72 hours prior to the schedule meeting, can be viewed at Center Joint Unified School District, Superintendent's Office, located at 8408 Watt Avenue, Antelope, CA. For more information please call 916-338-6409.

Students and parents/guardians have the option to request that directory information or personal information of the student or parent/guardian, as defined in Education Code 49061 and/or 49073.2, be excluded from the minutes. Any request of this nature must be made in writing to the secretary or clerk of the Board.

IV. CLOSED SESSION - *5:30 p.m.*

V. OPEN SESSION - CALL TO ORDER - *6:00 p.m.*

VI. FLAG SALUTE

In recognition of free speech and the following board agenda item, we welcome all and would like to note that saying the pledge of allegiance is not a requirement to participate in the business of this public board. If you do not say the pledge for religious, political, social, or personal reasons, you are most welcome here as an equal participant in the business of this board.

VII. ANNOUNCEMENT OF ACTION TAKEN IN CLOSED SESSION Info/Action

VIII. ADOPTION OF AGENDA Action

IX. RECOGNITIONS Info

1. Spinelli Elementary School, Teacher of the Year & Classified Employee of the Year
2. Special Recognitions

X. ORGANIZATION REPORTS *(3 minutes each)* Info

1. CUTA – Joelle Freitas, President
2. CSEA – Amy Roenspie, President

XI. REPORTS/PRESENTATIONS *(8 minutes each)* Info

Student Services **1. Homeless Education Program Update** – Ryan Miranda
Curr. & Inst. **2. 2025-2026 CAASPP Results** – Rebecca Lawson

XII. COMMENTS FROM THE AUDIENCE REGARDING ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA Public Comments Invited

Anyone may address the Board regarding any item that is within the Board's subject matter jurisdiction. However, the Board may not discuss or take action on any item which is not on this agenda except as authorized by Government Code Section 54954.2. A speaker shall be limited to 3 minutes (Board Policy 9323). All public comments on items listed on this agenda will be heard at the time the Board is discussing that item.

XIII. CONSENT AGENDA *(5 minutes)* Action

NOTE: The Board will be asked to approve all of the following items by a single vote, unless any member of the Board asks that an item be removed from the consent agenda and considered and discussed separately.

Governance 1. Approve Adoption of Minutes from October 21, 2026 Regular Meeting
↓ 2. Approve Resolution #5/2026-27: Resolution on Excusing Board Member Absence for Purposes of Monthly Compensation
Human Resources 3. Approve Classified Personnel Transactions
↓ 4. Approve Certificated Personnel Transactions
Student Services 5. Approve Annual License for 6crickets Expanded Learning Management Software, January 1, 2027-December 31, 2027
Ed. Services 6. Approve K12 Strong Workforce Program Data Sharing Memorandum of Understanding with California Community College Chancellor's Office
Special Education 7. Ratify Professional Services Agreement: Ashlee Lewis
Facilities 8. Ratify Contract with Goodfellow Bros California LLC for the Gould Ranch Property Field Cleanup and Improvement Project
↓ 9. Ratify Purchase of 2023 9-Passenger Ford E-Transit Electric Van from Model 1 Commercial Vehicles, Inc.
↓ 10. Approve Proposal with Alessandro Electric Inc for Center High School Football Stadium Emergency Lighting & Battery Replacement
Fiscal Services 11. Approve Surplus Kitchen Equipment for disposal:
- Milk Cooler, Asset tag# 033922CJUSD

↓ 12. Approve Surplus Kitchen Equipment for disposal:
- Cambro Versa Salad Bar, Asset Tag# 044000CJUSD
- Cambro Versa Salad Bar, Asset Tag# 033949CJUSD

↓ 13. Approve Financial Report – Warrants and Payroll: October 2026

↓ 14. Ratify Purchasing Report: October 2026

XIV. BUSINESS ITEMS

Governance **A. Schedule Annual Organizational Meeting of the Board** Action

Education Code §35143 requires that Organizational meetings, in years in which is a regular election for governing board members is conducted, shall be held "within a 15-day period that commences with the second Friday in December following the regular election. The period for the 2026 Annual Organizational Meeting is December 11-25, 2026. It is recommended that this be scheduled during our Regular Board Meeting on Wednesday, December 16, 2026 at 6:00 pm at Center Joint Unified School District Board Room located on the McClellan High School campus, 3243 Center Court Lane, Antelope, CA 95843 and/or virtual.

↓ **B. Revision of Board Policy 7310: Naming of Facility** Action

This item was reviewed and discussed at the October 21, 2026 Board Meeting. The Board asked that this be brought back to the November 18, 2026 meeting with changes to review and vote. The requested changes to the suggested document have been made and are being presented at this time.

↓ **C. First Reading: Policies, Regulations and Exhibits** Action

Board Policy 0410 – Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities

Policy updated to make more precise the statement regarding the applicability of the policy. Additionally, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 495, 2025)** which (1) prohibits, unless one of the limited exceptions applies, the collection and disclosure of information or documents regarding the citizenship or immigration status of students, student family members, and staff, and (2) requires the district to notify parents/guardians with specified information regarding their children's right to a free public education regardless of immigration status. In addition, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which (1) includes staff development materials in the list of materials the Governing Board is prohibited from adopting or approving if the use would subject a student to unlawful discrimination, (2) prohibits teachers from giving instruction and districts from sponsoring any activity that promotes a discriminatory bias on the basis of race or ethnicity, gender, religion, disability, nationality, sexual orientation, or any other characteristic in specified law, (3) requires that instructional materials adopted by the Board be factually accurate, reflect specified curriculum and standards, and be consistent with accepted standards of professional responsibility, rather than advocacy, personal opinion, bias, or partisanship, (4) prohibits the Board from adopting or approving the use of any staff development materials or services if such materials or services promote, endorse, or otherwise support actions or the use of any textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, or curriculum which would subject a student to unlawful discrimination, and (5) requires the district to include in the annual parent/guardian notification the protections, requirements, and responsibilities regarding unlawful discrimination related to instruction and instructional and staff development materials. Policy also updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 932, 2025)** which prohibits districts from discriminating against any person on the basis of sex or gender in the operation, conduct, or administration of community youth athletics programs, or in the allocation of parks and recreation facilities and resources, or school and recreation facilities and resources, that support or enable such programs.

Board Policy 1312.2 – Complaints Concerning Instructional Materials

Policy updated to move material related to the use of established complaint procedures for complaints concerning the content or use of instructional materials so that it is chronologically placed within the order of the policy. Additionally, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which requires instructional materials adopted by the Governing Board to be factually accurate, reflect specified curriculum and standards, and be consistent with accepted standards of professional responsibility, rather than advocacy, personal opinion, bias, or partisanship. In addition, policy updated to add that a complaint alleging discriminatory bias be filed, investigated, and resolved in accordance with the district's uniform complaint procedures.

First Reading: Policies, Regulations and Exhibits (continued)

Administrative Regulation 1312.2 – Complaints Concerning Instructional Materials
Regulation updated to clarify language related to review committee complaint findings. Additionally, regulation updated to include that parents/guardians are not precluded from opting a student out of specified instructional content.

Exhibit (1) 1312.2 – Complaints Concerning Instructional Materials
Exhibit updated to (1) align title with use of the form "Complaint Concerning Instructional Materials," (2) include that complaints concerning discrimination, including discrimination related to instructional materials, be made in accordance with Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 1312.3 – Uniform Complaint Procedures, and (3) to create check boxes for stakeholders to identify their association with the district (employee, district resident, or parent/guardian), as the use of the form is limited to such persons.

Board Policy 1312.3 – Uniform Complaint Procedures
Policy updated to align with the California Department of Education's Uniform Complaint Procedures (UCP) 2025-26 Federal Program Monitoring instrument. Additionally, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which (1) prohibits districts from sponsoring any activity that promotes a discriminatory bias on the basis of race or ethnicity, gender, religion, disability, nationality, sexual orientation, or any other characteristic in specified law, (2) includes staff development materials in the list of materials the Governing Board is prohibited from adopting or approving if the use would subject a student to unlawful discrimination, and (3) authorizes a complaint alleging discrimination in the adoption, approval, or use of staff development materials to be brought under the district's UCP or filed directly with the Superintendent of Public Instruction. In addition, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 932, 2025)** which prohibits districts from discriminating against any person on the basis of sex or gender in the operation, conduct, or administration of community youth athletics programs, or in the allocation of parks and recreation facilities and resources, or school and recreation facilities and resources, that support or enable such programs.

Administrative Regulation 1312.3 – Uniform Complaint Procedures
Regulation updated to clarify the legal requirements related to uniform complaint procedure (UCP) policy notifications. Additionally, regulation updated to align with the California Department of Education's (CDE) UCP 2025-26 Federal Program Monitoring instrument. In addition, regulation updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2020)** which provides that (1) discriminatory bias in instruction and district-sponsored activities does not require a showing of direct harm to members of a protected group, and members of a protected group do not need to be present while the discriminatory bias is occurring for the act to be considered discriminatory bias, (2) if the Governing Board knows or has reason to know that materials were used in a classroom, staff development materials or services were used, or an action occurred which subjected an individual to unlawful discrimination pursuant to specified law, the Board is required to remediate the action, which may include, but is not limited to, implementation of restorative justice practices, (3) if the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) determines, pursuant to a complaint filed directly with the SPI or on an appeal of a district decision regarding a complaint, that a district violated specified law related to the adoption, approval, or use of any textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, staff development material, or curriculum for classroom instruction, CDE is required to notify the district that it take corrective action, (4) if it is determined that any textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, staff development material, or curriculum provided by an organization has violated specified law, the district is required to notify the organization that corrective action is required unless the SPI has already done so, and (5) a party to a written complaint of prohibited discrimination may appeal, directly with the SPI, if the district fails to issue an investigation report within the timeline required by the UCP, in which case the complainant is required to present evidence that supports the basis for the direct filing and why immediate action is necessary.

Exhibit (1) 1312.3 – Uniform Complaint Procedures
Exhibit reviewed in conjunction with the update to the accompanying Board policy and administrative regulation.

First Reading: Policies, Regulations and Exhibits (continued)

Board Policy 4119.1/4219.1/4319.1 – Civil and Legal Rights
Policy updated to reference **NEW COURT DECISION (Dodge v. Evergreen School District)** where the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals held that a principal inappropriately reprimanded a teacher who brought (but did not wear) a hat with a presidential campaign slogan on it to an on-site professional development session because (1) the teacher was expressing himself as a private citizen on a national political campaign, which was a matter of public concern and (2) the fact that some employees in attendance took offense did not create the type of substantial disruption necessary to justify limiting the teacher's right to free speech. Additionally, policy updated to clarify that, as permitted by law, districts may direct employees to search their personal accounts, devices, and records for district-related documents or information. In addition, policy updated to reflect **NEW COURT DECISION (Brown v. City of Inglewood)** where the California Supreme Court held that elected officials are not considered "employees" eligible for whistleblower protections under specified law.

NEW - Exhibit(1) 4119.1/4219.1/4319.1 – Civil and Legal Rights
New exhibit provides a copy, without the original formatting, of the model list of employees' rights and responsibilities under the whistleblower laws created by the Labor Commissioner's Office and which a district is required to prominently display pursuant to specified law.

Board Policy 4131 – Staff Development
Policy updated to reflect that staff be required to attend staff development as directed by the Superintendent or designee and in accordance with any applicable collective bargaining agreement and Board Policy. Additionally policy updated to add the requirement (1) for all teachers and other certificated staff serving students in any of grades 7-12 to receive at least one hour of training annually which incorporates the California Department of Education's (CDE) online training curriculum to support lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender and questioning (LGBTQ+) cultural competency, (2) for districts, on or before July 1, 2029, to certify to CDE that 100 percent of its certificated employees who have direct contact with students in any of grades 7-12 have received youth behavioral health training at least one time, (3) for districts to provide annual training, using the online training module provided by the State Department of Social Services, to employees, volunteers, and persons working on their behalf who are mandated reporters on the mandated reporting requirements, and (4) for certificated staff who administer screening instruments or other instruments used to assess students in grades kindergarten-2 for risk of reading difficulties to be appropriately trained to administer such instruments. In addition, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which (1) prohibits the Governing Board from adopting or approving the use of any staff development materials or services if such materials or services promote, endorse, or otherwise support actions or the use of any textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, or curriculum which would subject a student to unlawful discrimination, (2) requires, if the Board knows or has reason to know that staff development materials or services were used, or an action occurred, which violated specified law, the Board to investigate and remediate the action, and (3) requires the district to notify an organization that the district determines provided a textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, staff development material, or curriculum that violated specified law, unless the Superintendent of Public Instruction has already done so. Policy also updated to reflect **NEW LAW (SB 303, 2025)** which provides that an employee's assessment, testing, admission, or acknowledgment of the employee's own personal bias that was made in good faith and solicited or required as part of a bias mitigation training does not constitute unlawful discrimination.

Board Policy 4231 – Staff Development
Policy updated to reflect that staff be required to attend staff development as directed by the Superintendent or designee and in accordance with any applicable collective bargaining agreement and Board Policy. Additionally, policy updated to add the requirement (1) for districts, on or before July 1, 2029, to certify to the California Department of Education that 40 percent of its classified employees who have direct contact with students in any of grades 7-12 have received youth behavioral health training at least one time, (2) the requirement for districts to provide annual training, using the online training module provided by the State Department of Social Services, to employees, volunteers, and persons working on their behalf who are mandated reporters on the mandated reporting requirements, and (3) the authorization for staff development on student and campus safety to include implementation of the school safety plan. In addition, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which (1) prohibits the Governing Board from adopting or approving the use of any staff development materials or services if such materials or services promote, endorse, or otherwise support actions or the use of any textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, or curriculum which would subject a student to unlawful discrimination, (2) requires, if the Board knows or has reason to know that materials were used in staff development materials or services were used, or an action occurred, which violated specified law, the Board to investigate and remediate the action, and (3) requires the district to notify an organization that the district determines provided a textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, staff development material, or curriculum which violated specified law unless the Superintendent of Public Instruction has already done so. Policy also updated to reflect

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NEW LAW (SB 303, 2025) which provides that an employee's assessment, testing, admission, or acknowledgment of the employee's own personal bias that was made in good faith and solicited or required as part of a bias mitigation training does not constitute unlawful discrimination.

Board Policy 4331 – Staff Development

Policy updated to reflect that staff be required to attend staff development as directed by the Superintendent or designee and in accordance with any applicable collective bargaining agreement and Board Policy. Additionally policy updated to add the requirement (1) for districts to provide annual training, using the online training module provided by the State Department of Social Services, to employees, volunteers, and persons working on their behalf who are mandated reporters on the mandated reporting requirements and (2) for districts, on or before July 1, 2029, to certify to the California Department of Education that 100 percent of its certificated employees and 40 percent of its classified employees who have direct contact with students in any of grades 7-12 have received youth behavioral health training at least one time. In addition, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which (1) prohibits the Governing Board from adopting or approving the use of any staff development materials or services if such materials or services promote, endorse, or otherwise support actions or the use of any textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, or curriculum which would subject a student to unlawful discrimination, (2) requires, if the Board knows or has reason to know that staff development materials or services were used, or an action occurred, which violated specified law, the Board to investigate and remediate the action, and (3) requires the district to notify an organization that provided a textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, staff development material, or curriculum which violated specified law, unless the Superintendent of Public Instruction has already done so. Policy also updated to reflect **NEW LAW (SB 303, 2025)** which provides that an employee's assessment, testing, admission, or acknowledgment of the employee's own personal bias that was made in good faith and solicited or required as part of a bias mitigation training does not constitute unlawful discrimination.

Board Policy 5020 – Parent Rights and Responsibilities

Policy updated in conjunction with the accompanying administrative regulation.

Administrative Regulation 5020 – Parent Rights and Responsibilities

Regulation updated to provide specific rules for classroom and school visits and observations by parents/guardians. Additionally, regulation updated to permit parents/guardians to object, in accordance with Administrative Regulation 5145.3 - Nondiscrimination/Harassment, to any treatment of the student by the district that is inconsistent with the student's sex, such as in the use of the student's preferred name and pronouns and access to sex-segregated facilities, programs, and activities. In addition, regulation updated to reference **NEW COURT DECISION (Mirabelli v. Bonta)** where the U.S. Supreme Court affirmed a lower court order that prohibits the enforcement of any laws, guidance, training, or policies that would (1) permit or require any district employee to lie to or mislead a student's parent/guardian about the student's gender presentation at school, such as using a different set of preferred pronouns/names when speaking with the parent/guardian than is being used at school, or (2) permit or require the use of a name or pronoun other than a student's legal name or pronoun assigned at birth when the parent/guardian has objected to such use.

Board Policy 5022 – Student and Family Privacy Rights

Policy updated to clarify that the Governing Board respects the privacy rights of district students and their families, which may only be limited by law, Board policy and administrative regulation. Additionally, policy updated to reference **NEW COURT DECISION (Mirabelli v. Bonta)** where the U.S. Supreme Court affirmed a lower court order that prohibits the enforcement of any laws, guidance, training, or policies that would (1) permit or require any district employee to lie to or mislead a student's parent/guardian about the student's gender presentation at school, such as using a different set of preferred pronouns/names when speaking with the parent/guardian than is being used at school, or (2) permit or require the use of a name or pronoun other than a student's legal name or pronoun assigned at birth when the parent/guardian has objected to such use. In addition, policy updated to clarify that the Superintendent or designee ensure that parents/guardians receive notification regarding their rights, including, but not limited to, their rights in accordance with the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, and in accordance with applicable Board policy. Policy also updated to clarify that documents regarding citizenship or immigration status of students or their families may only be released in accordance with applicable Board policy or administrative regulation.

Administrative Regulation 5022 – Student and Family Privacy Rights

Regulation updated to clarify that parents/guardians may (1) file a complaint concerning the content or use of instructional materials and (2) request to opt their student out of specific instructional materials, in accordance with applicable Board policy and administrative regulation.

First Reading: Policies, Regulations and Exhibits (continued)

Board Policy 5125 – Student Records

Policy updated to move material related to the provision of documentation to an operator of a website, online service or application, or mobile application that controls student records upon a request for such documentation pursuant to law, and to amend such language to focus on the district' obligations. Additionally, policy updated to clarify that in accordance with law and applicable Board policy, the Superintendent or designee may enter into a contract with a third party for the digital storage, management, and retrieval of student records and/or to authorize a third party provider of digital software to access, store, and use student records.

Administrative Regulation 5125 – Student Records

Regulation updated to (1) add that the district update a current student's name and/or gender consistent with specified administrative regulation and (2) reorganize, for organization and clarity, information related to making changes to student records for purposes of name and/or gender change. Additionally, regulation updated to add that when a student with a disability transfers into the district from another district, the Superintendent or designee take reasonable steps to promptly obtain the student's records, including the individualized education program and the supporting documents related to the provision of special education services, in accordance with applicable administrative regulation. In addition, regulation updated to clarify that upon any student's initial enrollment, and at the beginning of each school year thereafter, the Superintendent or designee notify parents/guardians and eligible students, in writing, in accordance with applicable Board policy, of their rights related to student records.

Board Policy 5131.8 – Mobile Communications Devices

Policy updated to clarify, in the Governing Boards philosophical paragraph, that the use of smartphones and other mobile communication devices can have both beneficial as well as harmful effects on student learning and well-being, and on the instructional program. Additionally, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 962, 2025)** which authorizes the district to prohibit students from possessing or using a smartphone in the case of an emergency or in response to a perceived threat of danger, if explicitly addressed in the comprehensive school safety plan. In addition, policy updated to cross-reference to sample discipline policies for instances when discipline is being considered for a student who uses a mobile communication device in an unauthorized manner while at a school site or under the supervision and control of a district employee.

Board Policy 5145.3 – Nondiscrimination/Harassment

Policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which (1) prohibits teachers from giving instruction and districts from sponsoring any activity that promotes a discriminatory bias on the basis of race or ethnicity, gender, religion, disability, nationality, sexual orientation, or any other characteristic in specified law and (2) provides that discriminatory bias in instruction and district-sponsored activities does not require a showing of direct harm to members of a protected group, and members of a protected group do not need to be present while the discriminatory bias is occurring for the act to be considered discriminatory bias.

Administrative Regulation 5145.3 – Nondiscrimination/Harassment

Regulation updated to reflect **NEW COURT DECISION (Mirabelli v. Bonta)** where the U.S. Supreme Court affirmed a lower court order that prohibits the enforcement of any laws, guidance, training, or policies that would (1) permit or require any district employee to lie to or mislead a student's parent/guardian about the student's gender presentation at school, such as using a different set of preferred pronouns/names when speaking with the parent/guardian than is being used at school, or (2) permit or require the use of a name or pronoun other than a student's legal name or pronoun assigned at birth when the parent/guardian has objected to such use. Additionally, regulation updated to delete, as repetitive, material in the list of prohibited acts related to verbal or physical assault, as that material is covered in the introductory statement to the list.

Board Policy 6141 – Curriculum Development and Evaluation

Policy updated to add the district's local control and accountability plan to the list of items with which the district's curriculum be aligned. Additionally, policy updated to clarify that the curriculum development and evaluation process be coordinated with the selection and evaluation of instructional materials and in accordance with applicable Board policy and administrative regulation. In addition, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)**, which (1) requires that instructional materials adopted by the Governing Board be factually accurate, reflect specified curriculum and standards, and be consistent with accepted standards of professional responsibility, rather than advocacy, personal opinion, bias, or partisanship and (2) prohibits the use of any textbook, instructional material, supplemental instructional material, curriculum, or staff development material if it would subject a student to unlawful discrimination.

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Administrative Regulation 6141 – Curriculum Development and Evaluation
Regulation updated to clarify that any curriculum review committee established by the district may be the same committee charged with the evaluation and recommendation of instructional materials pursuant to applicable Board policy and administrative regulation. Additionally, regulation updated to add to the list of criteria to consider when recommending curriculum, the representation of diverse perspectives and cultural relevance in accordance with law.

Board Policy 6159 – Individualized Education Program
Policy updated to change the term "student with exceptional needs" to "students with disabilities" for alignment with federal law and consistency throughout CSBA sample policies. Additionally, policy updated to clarify that the membership of the individualized education program (IEP) team, the team's responsibility to develop and regularly review the IEP, the contents of the IEP, and the development, review, and revision processes be in accordance with the accompanying administrative regulation.

Administrative Regulation 6159 – Individualized Education Program
Regulation updated to change the term "student with exceptional needs" to "students with disabilities" for alignment with federal law and consistency throughout CSBA sample policies. Additionally, regulation updated to clarify language related to postsecondary goals and transition services. In addition, regulation updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 784, 2025)**, which clarifies that the definition of special education does not prohibit an individualized education program (IEP) from including specialized deaf and hard-of-hearing related services as the only services, **NEW LAW (AB 560, 2025)** which requires, on or before July 1, 2027, the Superintendent of Public Instruction to recommend a maximum adult-to-student staffing ratio for special classes, and **NEW LAW (SB 389, 2025)**, which authorizes, for a student with disabilities who requires specialized physical health care services, (1) the performance of suctioning and other basic respiratory tasks and services to be performed by a licensed vocational nurse under the supervision of a credentialed school nurse and (2) assistance by a licensed vocational nurse under the supervision of a credentialed school nurse for specified basic respiratory services. Regulation also updated to add material related to special education and related services provided in the home or hospital. Additionally, regulation updated to reflect **NEW LAW (SB 373, 2025)** which requires that students be given a copy of their rights and procedural safeguards, and **NEW LAW (AB 1412, 2025)** which (1) provides that the requirements related to obtaining student records from a transferring student's previous school, including the IEP and supporting documents and any other records relating to the provision of special education and related services, be consistent with specified requirements of the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children and (2) requires the district, for students with disabilities who transfer into the district with an IEP, to either adopt and implement the IEP previously adopted for the student or develop, adopt, and implement a new IEP for the student that is consistent with federal and state law, as applicable, within 30 days of receipt of official records or specified unofficial records.

Board Policy 6159.1 – Procedural Safeguards and Complaints for Special Education
Policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (SB 373, 2025)** which requires students to be given a copy of their rights and procedural safeguards.

Administrative Regulation 6159.1 – Procedural Safeguards and Complaints for Special Education
Regulation updated to reflect **NEW LAW (SB 373, 2025)** which requires students to be given a copy of their rights and procedural safeguards. Additionally, regulation updated to include that a student with disabilities may elect to receive the procedural safeguards notice by electronic mail communication.

Board Policy 6159.2 – Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School and Agency Services for Special Education
Policy updated to change the term "student with exceptional needs" to "students with disabilities" for alignment with federal law and consistency throughout CSBA sample policies.

First Reading: Policies, Regulations and Exhibits (continued)

Administrative Regulation 6159.2 – Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School and Agency Services for Special Education

Regulation updated to change the term "student with exceptional needs" to "students with disabilities" for alignment with federal law and consistency throughout CSBA sample policies. Additionally, regulation updated to reflect **NEW LAW (SB 373, 2025)** which requires (1) for a nonpublic nonsectarian school or agency (NPS/A) located outside of California, the Superintendent of Public Instruction (SPI) to make available, upon request from a district or special education local plan area, information and documentation relating to the certification status of the NPS/A, a summary of the SPIs findings supporting the determination, and access to relevant documents used to support the determination, if available, (2) districts to disclose the information received from the SPI, if available, to parent(s)/guardian(s) at the time the individualized education program (IEP) team considers placement of the student in a NPS/A, (3) for a student placed in an NPS/A located outside of California, the district, as part of its yearly on-site monitoring visit, to conduct an in-person interview with the student, in a manner consistent with the student's IEP, to evaluate the student's health and safety, (4) districts to report the findings resulting from the monitoring visit to the California Department of Education (CDE) using the, "Local Educational Agency Onsite Visit for Nonpublic School," available on CDE's website, within 60 calendar days of the onsite visit, and (5) districts to conduct a quarterly check-in with a student attending an NPS/A located outside of California through an unmonitored telephone call in a manner consistent with the student's IEP.

Board Policy 6161.1 – Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials

Policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which (1) requires that any instructional materials adopted by the Governing Board be factually accurate, reflect specified curriculum and standards, and be consistent with accepted standards of professional responsibility, rather than advocacy, personal opinion, bias, or partisanship, (2) prohibits the Board from adopting of approving the use of any instructional materials if the use would subject a student to unlawful discrimination, (3) requires that parents/guardians have, within a reasonable amount of time, access to instructional materials in accordance with Board policy, and (4) if the Board knows or has reason to know that materials were used in a classroom or an action occurred that violated specified law, the Board is required to investigate and remediate the action. Additionally, policy updated to clarify that the Board not adopt textbooks or other instructional materials if they contain any matter reflecting adversely upon persons on the basis of race or ethnicity, gender, religion, disability, nationality, or sexual orientation, or that violates law. In addition, policy updated to clarify that parent/guardian requests to opt a student out of specified instructional content be handled in accordance with applicable Board policy.

Administrative Regulation 6161.1 – Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials

Regulation updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which (1) prohibits the Governing Board from adopting any textbooks or other instructional materials that violate specified law and (2) requires instructional materials adopted by the Board to be factually accurate, reflect specified curriculum and standards, and be consistent with accepted standards of professional responsibility, rather than advocacy, personal opinion, bias, or partisanship. Additionally, regulation updated to add that technology-based materials recommended for adoption by the Board (1) promote active student engagement in the learning process, (2) nurture opportunities for ongoing collaboration, (3) build on prior knowledge to reinforce essential skills, such as executive functioning, critical thinking and reasoning, creativity, communication, cross-cultural understanding, and decision-making, (4) provide means of authentically connecting students' learning to the world beyond their physical learning environment, and (5) foster student agency to set personal learning goals and plans and continuously monitor and evaluate their own progress.

Exhibit (1) 6161.1 – Selection and Evaluation of Instructional Materials

Exhibit reviewed in conjunction with the update to the accompanying Board policy and administrative regulation.

Board Policy 6161.11 – Supplementary Instructional Materials

Policy updated to add that the Governing Board or district is prohibited from adopting the use of any supplemental instructional material if the use would subject a student to unlawful discrimination. Additionally, policy updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 715, 2025)** which requires, if the Board knows or has reason to know that materials were used in a classroom, or an action occurred that violated specified law, the Board to investigate and remediate the action. In addition, policy updated to clarify that parent/guardian requests to opt a student out of specified instructional content be handled in accordance with applicable Board policy.

First Reading: Policies, Regulations and Exhibits (continued)

Board Policy 6163.1 – Library Media Centers
Policy updated to include that the district may coordinate with the local public library to ensure that each student is provided with the opportunity to obtain a student success card, a card issued by a local public library that provides access to library services, by grade 3, and that the district may disclose student directory information to the State Librarian and a local public library for purposes of administering the student success cards. Additionally, policy updated to add that the Governing Board may exclude from libraries all books, publications, or papers of a sectarian, partisan, or denominational character. In addition, policy updated to clarify that library materials not be used in a discriminatory manner in accordance with applicable Board policy.

Board Policy 6164.4 – Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education
Policy updated to reference **NEW LAW (SB 373, 2025)** which requires that students be given a copy of their rights and procedural safeguards.

Administrative Regulation 6164.4 – Identification and Evaluation of Individuals for Special Education
Regulation updated to clarify language related to (1) child find practices and (2) the authorization to identify a student eligible under the criteria for "emotional disturbance," as defined in state and federal regulations, as having an "emotional disability" pursuant to state law.

Board Bylaw 9220 – Governing Board Elections
Bylaw updated to add that a person duly elected to the Governing Board who also holds an incompatible office at the time the Board member is sworn in may not continue to serve in the incompatible office and to reference **NEW ATTORNEY GENERAL OPINION** which granted a request to sue an individual serving both as a county board of education member and as a school board member of a district within the jurisdiction of the county board on the grounds that there was a substantial legal question that the two offices were incompatible pursuant to specified law. Additionally, bylaw updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 1392, 2025)** which requires that the residence address, telephone number, and email address of a Board candidate appearing on the affidavit of registration be kept confidential except as provided by state law, and **NEW LAW (AB 94, 2025)** which prohibits a recalled Board member from being appointed to the seat that was vacated by the recall. In addition, bylaw updated to reference **NEW LAW (AB 5, 2025)** which requires county elections officials to finish counting all ballots, with certain exceptions, and release a vote count for those ballots by the 13th day following an election. Bylaw also updated to include, for those districts with board elections that have voters in more than one county, that the Board's declaration of which individuals were elected to the Board shall be transmitted to the county elections official with primary jurisdiction for the district.

Exhibit (1) 9220 – Governing Board Elections
Exhibit updated in conjunction with the accompanying Board bylaw.

Board Bylaw 9240 – Board Training
Bylaw updated to reflect **NEW LAW (AB 640, 2025)** which (1) requires a Governing Board member to receive training on school district finance, (2) requires the district to maintain records of such trainings, and (3) authorizes Board members to satisfy the training requirement by successfully completing CSBA's Masters in Governance program. Additionally, bylaw updated, for purposes of the required ethics training, to remove references to Board members whose terms expired prior to January 1, 2026, as that provision is now outdated. In addition, bylaw updated to reference **NEW LAW (SB 848, 2025)** which (1) includes Board members among those individuals who are mandated to report known or suspected child abuse or neglect and establishes procedures for filing a report, (2) provides that Board members may receive mandated reporter training, although they are not explicitly required to do so, and (3) includes that each Board member is required to receive the annual mandated reporter training in accordance with Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 5141.4 - Child Abuse Prevention and Reporting. Bylaw also updated to reflect **NEW LAW (SB 707, 2025)** which requires a district to provide a copy of the Brown Act to each newly elected or appointed Board member.

↓ **D.** **Annual and Five-Year Developer Fee Report for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 and Resolution #6/2026-2027: Adopting the Findings Contained in the Annual and Five-Year Developer Fee Reports for Fiscal Year 2025-2026** Action

Sections 66001 and 66006 of the Government Code require school districts to provide an annual and five-year report on developer fees. The report discloses fees received from new residential, commercial, and industrial development and how those fees are used to mitigate the impact of new development on District school facilities.

XV. STUDENT BOARD REPRESENTATIVE REPORTS *(3 minutes each)* Info

1. Vanessa Estrada

XVI. BOARD / SUPERINTENDENT REPORTS *(10 minutes)* Info

XVII. ADVANCE PLANNING Info

Future Meeting Dates:

i. Regular Meeting: Wednesday, December 16, 2026 @ 6:00 p.m. – Board Room, located on the McClellan High School Campus, 3243 Center Court Lane, Antelope, CA 95843 and/or Virtual

ii. Suggested Agenda Items:

XVIII. CONTINUATION OF CLOSED SESSION (Item IV) Action

XIX. ADJOURNMENT Action