

**ELEMENTARY SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS/STANDARDS OF PROFICIENCY**

**BOARD POLICY**

Eighth grade students who have completed the district's prescribed course of study shall be eligible for a diploma of promotion.

(cf. 5123 - Promotion/Acceleration/Retention)

The Governing Board shall adopt district standards of proficiency in reading comprehension, writing and computational skills and in other areas the Board deems appropriate. Students shall be assessed for these basic skills and receive remedial instruction when needed.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that the district's standards of proficiency are developed with the active involvement of teachers, administrators, counselors and parents/guardians and that they are articulated with standards adopted by the local high school district. (Education Code 51215)

(cf. 5127 - Graduation Ceremonies and Activities)

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

**Legal Reference:**

**EDUCATION CODE**

51215-51219.5 Student progress

51225.4 Elementary school district certification of sufficient preparation

52510 Requirements for eighth grade graduation (adult school)