

## Community Relations

### **RELATIONS BETWEEN OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES AND THE SCHOOLS**

The Governing Board recognizes that agencies at all levels of government share its concern and responsibility for the health, safety, and welfare of youth. The Superintendent or designee shall initiate and maintain good working relationships with representatives of these agencies in order to help District schools and students make use of the resources, which governmental agencies can provide.

*(cf. 1020 - Youth Services)*  
*(cf. 3515.2 - Disruptions)*  
*(cf. 3515.3 - District Police/Security Department)*  
*(cf. 3515.5 - Sex Offender Notification)*  
*(cf. 3516 - Emergencies and Disaster Preparedness Plan)*  
*(cf. 5131.7 - Weapons and Dangerous Instruments)*  
*(cf. 5141.22 - Infectious Diseases)*  
*(cf. 5141.4 - Child Abuse Prevention and Reporting)*  
*(cf. 5145.11 - Questioning and Apprehension)*  
*(cf. 5145.12 - Search and Seizure)*  
*(cf. 7131 - Relations with Local Agencies)*

The District may enter into agreements with other agencies, which involve the exchange of funds or reciprocal services. Such agreements shall be approved by the Board and executed in writing.

## Elections

The Board may authorize the use of school buildings as polling places on any election day and may also authorized the use of school buildings, without cost, for the storage of voting machines and other vote-tabulating devices. However, if a city or county elections official specifically requests the use of a school building for a polling place, the Board shall allow its use for such purpose. If school is in session on the election day, the Board shall identify to elections officials the specific areas of the school buildings not occupied by school activities that will be allowed for use as a polling place.

*(cf. 6111 - School Calendar)*

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When a school is used as a polling place, the Superintendent or designee shall provide the elections official a site with an adequate amount of space that will allow the precinct board to perform its duties in a manner that will not impede, interfere, or interrupt the normal process of voting and shall make a telephone line for Internet access available for use by local elections officials if so requested. He/she shall make a reasonable effort to ensure that the site is accessible to disabled persons. (Elections Code 12283)

*(cf. 0410 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)*

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 10900-10916 Cooperative community recreation programs
- 12400 Authority to receive and expend funds (federal)
- 17750 Joint use of library facilities
- 17751 Joint use of park and recreational facilities
- 49305 Cooperation of police and California Highway Patrol (school safety patrol program)
- 49402 Contracts (with local, city, or county health departments)
- 49403 Cooperation in control of communicable disease and immunization of students
- 51202 Instruction in personal and public health and safety

ELECTIONS CODE

- 12283 Polling places: schools

WELFARE AND INSTITUTIONS CODE

- 828 Disclosure of information regarding minors by law enforcement agency
- 828.1 School district policy department; disclosure of juvenile criminal records

Management Resources:

WEBSITES

- California Secretary of State: [www.ss.ca.gov](http://www.ss.ca.gov)
- California Voter Foundation: [www.calvoter.org](http://www.calvoter.org)
- Cities, Counties, and Schools Partnership: [www.ccspartnership.org](http://www.ccspartnership.org)

Policy

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