MIDDLETOWN UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Policy 6159.3: Appointment Of Surrogate Parent For Special Education Students

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In order to protect the rights of students with disabilities, the Superintendent or designee shall appoint a surrogate parent to represent a student with disabilities as necessary in accordance with law. He/she shall develop procedures for recruiting, training and assigning adults to serve as surrogate parents.

Policy Reference Disclaimer:

Website

These references are not intended to be part of the policy itself, nor do they indicate the basis or authority for the board to enact this policy. Instead, they are provided as additional resources for those interested in the subject matter of the policy.

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State Ed. Code 56028	Description Definition; parent for special education	
Ed. Code 56050	<u>Surrogate parents</u>	
Ed. Code 56055	Rights of foster parents pertaining to foster youth's education	
Gov. Code 7570-7587	<u>Interagency responsibilities for providing services to children</u> <u>with disabilities</u>	
Gov. Code 7579.5	Surrogate parent; appointment, qualification and liability	
W&I Code 300	Minors subject to jurisdiction	
W&I Code 361	<u>Limitations on parental control</u>	
W&I Code 601	Minors habitually disobedient	
W&I Code 726	<u>Limitations on parental control</u>	
Federal 20 USC 1400-1482	Description Individuals with Disabilities Education Act	
20 USC 1415	Procedural safeguards	
34 CFR 300.30	Definition parent	
34 CFR 300.519	Surrogate parents	
42 USC 11434a	McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act; definitions	
Management Resources Federal Register	Description Rules and Regulations, August 14, 2006, Vol. 71, Number 156, pages 46539-46845	
Website	CSBA District and County Office of Education Legal Services	
Website	U.S. Department of Education, Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services	

California Department of Education

Cross References

Code 0430	Description Comprehensive Local Plan For Special Education
0430	Comprehensive Local Plan For Special Education
1312.3	Uniform Complaint Procedures
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1312.3-E(1)	<u>Uniform Complaint Procedures</u>
1312.3-E(2)	<u>Uniform Complaint Procedures</u>
3350	<u>Travel Expenses</u>
3515.6	Criminal Background Checks For Contractors
3541.2	<u>Transportation For Students With Disabilities</u>
4112.23	Special Education Staff
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5125	Student Records
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5141	Health Care And Emergencies
5144.2	Suspension And Expulsion/Due Process (Students With Disabilities)
6146.4	<u>Differential Graduation And Competency Standards For</u> <u>Students With Disabilities</u>
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6159.1	Procedural Safeguards And Complaints For Special Education
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6159.2	Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School And Agency Services For Special Education
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6164.4	Identification And Evaluation Of Individuals For Special Education
6164.4	<u>Identification And Evaluation Of Individuals For Special</u> <u>Education</u>
6173	Education For Homeless Children
6173	Education For Homeless Children
6173-E(1)	Education For Homeless Children

6173-E(2)	Education For Homeless Children
6173.1	Education For Foster Youth
6173.1	Education For Foster Youth