Instruction BP 6146.2

## CERTIFICATE OF PROFICIENCY/HIGH SCHOOL EQUIVALENCY

The Governing Board desires that every student have the opportunity to earn a high school diploma through successful completion of class work and examination. However, when a student is unable to do so, the Board encourages completion of an alternative program that allows him/her to obtain an equivalent certificate.

Eligible persons may obtain a certificate of proficiency or a high school equivalency certificate in accordance with law, Board policy, and administrative regulation.

The Superintendent or designee shall make information available to interested persons regarding the eligibility and examination requirements of each program.

## Legal Reference:

## **EDUCATION CODE**

48400-48403 Persons subject to compulsory continuation education

48410 Persons exempt from continuation classes

48412 Certificate of Proficiency; examination fees

48413 Enrollment in continuation classes

48414 Reenrollment in district

51420-51427 High school equivalency certificate

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

11520-11523 Proficiency examination and certificate

11530-11532 High School Equivalency Certificate (GED)

## Management Resources:

CDE PUBLICATIONS

Adult Education Handbook for California, 1997

**WEB SITES** 

CDE, GED Office: http://www/cde.ca.gov/ged

CDE, High School Proficiency: http://www.cde.ca.gov/statetests/chspe

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