

OAK PARK UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD POLICY

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Philosophy, Goals, Objectives & Comprehensive Plans

BP 0420(a)

School Plans/Site Councils

The Governing Board believes that comprehensive planning that is aligned with the district's local control and accountability plan (LCAP) is necessary at each district school in order to focus school improvement efforts on student academic achievement and facilitate the effective use of available district resources. The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that school plans provide clear direction and identify cohesive strategies aligned with school and district goals.

(cf. 0000 - Vision)

(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)

(cf. 0400 - Comprehensive Plans)

(cf. 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan)

Each district school shall maintain a school site council in accordance with Education Code 52852 and the accompanying administrative regulation to develop, review, and approve school plans.

For any school that participates in specified state and/or federal categorical programs, the school site council or other schoolwide advisory committee shall consolidate the plans required for those categorical programs into a single plan for student achievement (SPSA). (Education Code 52055.755, 64001)

(cf. 1220 - Citizen Advisory Committees)

(cf. 1431 - Waivers)

(cf. 6171 - Title I Programs)

(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)

(cf. 6190 - Evaluation of the Instructional Program)

As appropriate, a school may incorporate any other school program into the SPSA. (Education Code 64001)

The Superintendent or designee shall review each school's SPSA to ensure that it meets the content requirement for all programs included, is based on an analysis of current practices and student academic performance, and reasonably links improvement strategies to identified needs of the school and students. He/she shall also ensure that specific actions included in the district's LCAP are consistent with the strategies in each school's SPCA.

The Board shall, at a regularly scheduled Board meeting, review and approve each school's SPSA and any subsequent material revisions that affect the academic programs for students participating in the categorical programs addressed in the SPSA. The Board shall certify that, to the extent allowable under federal law, the SPSA is consistent with district local improvement

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plans required as a condition of receiving federal funding. (Education Code 64001)

Whenever the Board does not approve a school's SPSA, it shall communicate its specific reasons for disapproval of the plan to the school site council or committee. The School site council or committee shall then revise and resubmit the SPSA to the Board for its approval.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

52-53 Designation of schools
33133 Information guide for school site councils
36147 Open meeting laws exceptions
41540-41544 Targeted instructional improvement block grants
52060-52077 Local control and accountability plan
52176 Advisory committees
52852 School site council
54000-54028 Educationally Disadvantaged Youth Programs
54425 Advisory committees (compensatory education)
54650-54659 Education Improvement Incentive Program
56000-56885 Special education
64000 Categorical programs included in consolidated application
64001 Single school plan for student achievement, consolidated application programs
CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5
3930-3937 Compliance plans
UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20
6311 Accountability
6312-6319 Title 1 programs; plans
6421-6472 Programs for neglected, delinquent, and at-risk children and youth
6601-6651 Teacher and Principal Training and Recruitment program
6801-7014 Limited English proficient and immigrant students
7101-7165 Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities
7114 Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities; district plan
7341-7355c Rural Education Initiative

Management Resources:

CDE PUBLICATIONS

A Guide for Developing the Single Plan for Student Achievement: A Resource for the School Site Council,
February 2014

WEST ED PUBLICATIONS

California Healthy Kids Survey
California School Climate Survey

WEB SITES

CDE, Single Plan for Student Achievement: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/nclb/sr/le/singleplan.asp>
U.S. Department of Education: <http://www.ed.gov>
WestEd: <http://www.wested.org>

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