

Fall River Joint Unified School District

Policy 420.1

PHILOSOPHY, GOALS, OBJECTIVES AND COMPREHENSIVE PLANS

School-Based Program Coordination

In order to best serve students with special needs and students participating in designated educational programs, the Governing Board encourages school-based program coordination as a means for achieving flexibility in the use of the categorical funds received by each school. The Board believes that resources acquired to assist students in one program often can benefit other students without in any way depriving the originally targeted group.

A school site council shall be established at each school to consider whether or not it wishes the school to participate in school-based program coordination. All interested persons shall have an opportunity to meet in public to establish the site council. (Education Code 52852.5)

The school site council of any participating school shall develop, for approval by the Board, a school plan that addresses the components specified in Education Code 52853. This plan shall be incorporated into the school's single plan for student achievement required for the state's consolidated application process. (Education Code 52853, 64001)

Evaluation of each participating school's educational program shall include an assessment of the school's effectiveness in meeting the needs of each student population originally targeted by the categorical programs.

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

8750-8754 Conservation education
41500-41573 Categorical education block grants
44520-44534 New Careers Program
51870-51874 Education technology
52200-52212 Gifted and Talented Education Program
52340-52346 California Regional Career Guidance Centers
52800-52887 School-Based Program Coordination Act
54000-54041 Educationally Disadvantaged Youth Programs
54100-54145 Miller-Unruh Basic Reading Act
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

MILITARY AND VETERANS CODE

500-520.1 California Cadet Corps

Management Resources:

CDE PUBLICATIONS

Voluntary Template for the Single Plan for Student Achievement

WEB SITES

California Department of Education: <http://www.cde.ca.gov>
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The Superintendent or designee shall provide information about the School-Based Program Coordination Act to each principal. Each principal shall provide this information to teachers, other school personnel, parents/guardians, and secondary students. (Education Code 52852.5)

Categorical funds coordinated under this program may include funding for: (Education Code 52851)

1. Conservation Education (Education Code 8750-8754)
2. New Careers Program (Education Code 44520-44534)
3. Education Technology (Education Code 51870-51874)
4. Gifted and Talented Education Program (Education Code 52200-52212)
5. California Regional Career Guidance Centers (Education Code 52340-52346)
6. Educationally Disadvantaged Youth Programs (Education Code 54000-54041)
7. Miller-Unruh Basic Reading Act (Education Code 54100-54145)
8. Special Education (Education Code 56000-56885)
9. California Cadet Corps (Military and Veterans Code 500-520.1)

Funds coordinated under this program shall be used to supplement, not supplant, existing state and local appropriations. (Education Code 52852.5)

Any school participating in school-based program coordination shall not be required to meet any state laws or regulations for any coordinated program listed above, except as specifically provided under the School-Based Program Coordination Act. (Education Code 52851)

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