



## **Instruction**

### **Alternative Credits Toward Graduation**

The Superintendent or designee shall establish regulations under which the district may grant credits toward graduation for college courses and private instruction attended by district students. Credit towards graduation also may be granted pursuant to law for training received in the armed forces and for correspondence instruction from an accredited institution.

The Superintendent or designee may grant physical education credit for participation in district interscholastic athletic programs when a student has been exempted from physical education classes because of this participation and when such participation entails a comparable amount of time and physical activity.

Students using interscholastic athletics participation to fulfill physical education requirements may be graded on this participation, provided that a teacher credentialed to teach physical education supervises this participation and assigns the grade.

*(cf. 6142.7 - Physical Education)*

*(cf. 6146.1 - High School Graduation Requirements/Standards of Proficiency)*

*(cf. 6146.3 - Reciprocity on Standards of Proficiency/Graduation Requirements)*

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#### *Legal Reference:*

##### EDUCATION CODE

*35160 Authority of governing boards*

*35160.1 Broad authority of school districts*

*48645.5 Course credit re juvenile court schools*

*48800-48802 Attendance at community college; advanced education*

*51220 Areas of study; grades 7-12*

*51242 Exemption from physical education for athletic program participants*

*51243-51245 Credit for foreign language private school studies*

*51740 Authority to provide instruction by correspondence*

##### CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

*1630 Credit for college courses*

*1631 Credit for private instruction*

*1632 Credit for private school foreign language instruction*

*1633 Credit for correspondence instruction*

*1634 Credit to present or past member of the armed services*

#### Management Resources:

##### CDE PROGRAM ADVISORIES

*0418.89 Physical Education, April 18, 1989*

*0615.89 Granting credit for passing GED, SPB:88/89-11*