

Learning and Growing Every Day!

LASSEN VIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

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Caryn Emerson, Principal JoNeal Hansen, School Secretary

A Message from the Lassen View staff ...

Welcome to Lassen View Elementary School. It is an honor to have the opportunity to teach your child in these important, formative years. We are committed to helping every student learn and grow to his or her fullest potential. It is our sincere hope to build a strong partnership with you. Working together, we can provide your child a foundation of education and character on which they can build his or her success.

The enclosed information will help you to get acquainted with our procedures and rules here at school. Please take a few moments and read over the handbook with your child and discuss its contents. Be sure to complete the forms that were sent home with your child, and return them to your child's teacher. If you should have a question, comment, or concern, please call 224-4150 or stop by the office. Working together, we can ensure that your child receives an excellent educational experience. Thank you for your time and support in this important matter.

OUR CORE VALUES Outcomes for Students: Students will develop confidence that they can learn. Students will see themselves as learners.	OUR VISION AND MISSION At Lassen View, children, parents, teachers, and staff work together to ensure academic, social, and emotional growth.
Students will develop self-respect and a sense of self-worth, while learning to respect and appreciate their classmates. Learning: Students will discover that learning and consistent effort are keys to freedom and choices in life. Each child will be viewed as a special individual. Students and their families will be actively involved in the learning process.	Our vision is to create a positive learning environment where all students are provided the opportunity to achieve academic excellence. It is our mission to nurture the intellectual, social and emotional growth of each student and to empower them to become responsible, productive members of our community. The staff at Lassen View is dedicated to developing confident learners. We
Working Together: We will work collaboratively to personalize instruction in order to ensure academic excellence. We will care for one another and honor differences. Parents, students and staff will work together to build a safe, trusting, and caring place to learn.	believe all students can learn and we value each child's individuality. We believe that through strong partnerships with parents and our efforts to meet the needs of each child, student achievement will continue to improve.



ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE

SCHOOL HOURS

Primary:(K - 3rd) 8:00 AM to 1:37 PM Intermediate: (4th - 5th) 7:40 AM to 1:43 PM

Students are allowed on campus no earlier than 7:00 AM. Students should go directly to the cafeteria for breakfast. Playground supervision begins at 7:25. Intermediate student's tardy bell rings at 7:40, and they are tardy after the tardy bell. Kindergarten through third grades tardy bell rings at 8:00. Breakfast is served starting at 7:00 each morning.

After school, students riding the bus must go directly to the bus line. The bus leaves promptly five minutes after dismissal. If students miss the bus, we will call you at home or work to come and pick them up. Students may not loiter on the school grounds, but must go home after school and check in with parents or guardians. Please remind your children, the school rules are always in effect, even nights and weekends on our campus.

GOING TO/FROM SCHOOL

For walkers or bike riders, there are two crosswalks in front of the school. There is no crossing guard duty in the morning. Please go over the safety guidelines of crossing at the crosswalk and walking their bike across only if it is safe. In the morning, eastbound drivers have the sun in their eyes, so waiting for a clear spot to cross is very important. Please note: California law requires all student bike riders, skateboarders, scooter riders and in-line or roller blade riders to wear a helmet. Transportation home will not be changed without a written note from parent. After-school plans must be made ahead of time, as students will not normally be able to use the phone for last minute plans. Be sure your child's plans are clear and written out in the morning, so we can get them home the way you have planned.

EXPECTATIONS BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL

The law states that the school and parents share the responsibility of ensuring that students' conduct to and from school is the same as the behavior that is expected from students while at school.

- 1. Students may not arrive at school earlier than 7:00 a.m. They should go to the cafeteria where supervision is available when they arrive.
- 2. Students may not wait on the school grounds after school.
- 3. Students must wait in designated areas for parents or to board school buses.
- 4. Students may not leave school grounds during the regular school day until they have been signed out in the school office.
- 5. Students arriving late must sign in at the office before entering class.
- 6. No crosswalk supervision is available before school.
- 7. After school, crosswalk supervision is available for the first 10 minutes after school is dismissed.

VISITORS

Visitors are asked to check in at the school office to receive a visitor's pass before going to classrooms. Due to insurance regulations we cannot allow visiting students to attend classes for the day.

SCHOOL CLOSURE AND SNOW DAYS

School closures rarely happen, but in the case of extreme weather or utility failure it may be necessary to close school for the safety of students and staff. If the weather looks icy or there has been a heavy snowfall, tune into the local television or radio stations for closure information. The Enterprise Elementary School District makes closure decisions and alerts local media. In the event that our campus is not safe to occupy students, they will be bused to an alternate safe location. Parents will be called to pick up their children. Friends who are NOT on the emergency card will not be allowed to pick up your children without your written or phone permission.

MONEY SAVING IDEA

Each year, Lassen View donates a large amount of unclaimed clothing to local charities. We would love to help get your child's jacket, sweatshirt or sweater back to them. You can help by marking their jackets and sweaters with their name. This will allow us to return clothing to the rightful owner.

STUDENT ACTIVITIES

After School Sports

Cross Country (K thru 5th) Coed Soccer (4th & 5th) Boy's Basketball (4th & 5th) Girl's Basketball (4th & 5th) Girl's Softball (4th & 5th)



- ★ Students will tryout for the teams and cuts will be made. Not every child who tries out will be on the team.
- ★ Team members will play equal time (to the best of the coach's ability).
- ★ Transportation to the games and practices is the parent's responsibility.
- ★ If the team uniform is lost, it is to be replaced by the team member at the actual cost plus \$5 handling fee.
- ★ If a team member gets a referral, they are placed on team probation. Second referral means the student will be removed from the team.
- ★ Children who are continually disruptive during practices will be removed from the team at the coach's discretion.
- ★ If your child cuts or misses practice without an excuse, he/she will not play in the next game.
- ★ The "Lassen View Way" means that parents are expected to model good sportsmanship for all students. The "Lassen View Way" means parents will NOT make negative comments and/or sounds towards the other team, argue with the referee and/or umpire, coaches, and/or parents of the other team. Concerns or questions will be addressed to coaches in a reasonable and respectful manner.

Student Council

Student Council offers leadership opportunities for 3rd thru 5th grade students. Offices are held by 4th & 5th grade students with representatives from the other grade levels. Student Council members help support the school through coordinated activities and community service.

AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM (ACE)

The ACE program offers childcare for Lassen View Elementary School students on our campus. The program begins at the end of each school day. ACE will be available after school on minimum days. The program offers snacks/milk daily, support for homework, arts and crafts, sports, and enrichment activities. ACE includes a homework club time to help students get their homework done. If a student is suspended from school for a day, they are also suspended from ACE. ACE is a Lassen View program and students are expected to follow all the Lassen View rules during ACE time. Severe behavior problems in ACE will result in a school discipline being applied to the student. If you have any questions regarding the after school program, please call the ACE office at 224-4159.



PARENT INVOLVEMENT

PTO (Parent, Teacher Organization)

Parents, teachers, and community members are encouraged to attend the monthly meetings which are held in the library. Meeting dates and times will be posted in the Panther Press and on the reader board. The PTO sponsors school-wide activities that support the school and community. The activities include a harvest festival, family skate, movie, and dance events. Our PTO philosophy is to create many activities where families can come and have fun together.

School Site Council

The Lassen View Elementary School Site Council is composed of parents, teachers, support staff, community members, and administration. Site Council is an advisory committee that meets a few times each year to review school budgets, programs and policies. Watch the Panther Press for dates and times.

Parent Volunteers

All parents are encouraged to participate in their child's education. There are a variety of opportunities for parents to volunteer: assisting the teacher in the classroom, listening to students read, assisting in fundraising activities, and/or assisting classes on field trips. For safety purposes, please sign-in at the school office prior to volunteering.



HOME/SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS

Panther Press

The Panther Press, which provides a variety of information about school events and policies, is sent home with students each month. It lists upcoming events and important dates to remember. Classroom teachers will also send a classroom newsletter home at least once a month.

Parent Conferences

Two conferences are scheduled during the year to share information about your child's social and academic progress. A parent/teacher conference is held in November to allow the teacher to share how the child is progressing and to discuss the data about their academic progress provided in the child's report card. A spring conference will also be held in which the parent, child, and teacher meet to share the academic growth that has occurred over the year. Minimum days are scheduled during each of the conference weeks for your convenience. Should you have a question or concern about your child at other times throughout the year, please do not hesitate to contact you child's teacher. We are always eager to communicate to ensure your child's successful education.

Report Cards

Report cards go home with parents after the November and March parent conferences. At the end of the school year, students will hand carry their report card home the last day of school. We're pleased that our standards-based report cards will show you the goal for student learning each trimester and how your child has progressed towards meeting or exceeding these goals.

Student Study Team (SST)

When a parent or teacher is concerned about a child's lack of academic or social progress, a Student Study Team meeting is frequently held. The parent, teacher, administrator, resource specialist teacher, and any other concerned individual attend this meeting. Teachers are required to have completed two intervention cycles before making an SST referral. The goal of the meeting is to develop a plan to assist your child as needed. This may involve a referral to our Title 1 program or a request for in-depth testing to discover the nature of the learning difficulty.

Student Assistance Team (SAT)

SAT Team meetings occur for the purpose of discussing students' needs and evaluating the level of service needed which could include counseling or access to social services. This team includes the teacher, parent, counselor, site literacy teacher, and principal.



DISCIPLINE

At Lassen View, our goal is to help students develop to their fullest potential and build good character. As you will see in this discipline plan, we have high expectations for our students to be self-managers and good citizens. To that end, we utilize a variety of methodologies to promote good behavior amongst the students at Lassen View.

POSITIVE STUDENT RECOGNITION

- ★ Way to Bee slips
- ★ Classroom incentives
- \star Positive principal or teacher phone calls
- ★ Recognition at Monthly Awards Assembly
- ★ Attendance Awards (Individual and Classroom recognition)
- \star Panther bucks and the Panther store

RULES:

\star 🛛 Be Safe

- \star No injuring others.
- ★ Walk quietly in hallways.
- ★ Keep hands, feet, and objects to self.
- ★ Use all equipment and materials appropriately.
- ★ Stay within school fences and gates.
- ★ Be Respectful
- ★ Take care of the property of the school and others.
- ★ Use kind words and actions.
- ★ Include others.
- \star Wait for your turn.
- ★ Clean up after yourself.
- ★ Follow adult directions with respect.
- ★ Be Responsible
- ★ Follow school rules.
- ★ Remind others to follow school rules.
- ★ Take proper care of all personal belongings and school equipment.
- ★ Leave distractions at home such as: Trading cards, gum, candy, toys, and electronic devices.
- ★ Be honest.
- ★ Be on time.
- ★ Make after school arrangements before coming to school.
- ★ When leaving class, have a pass.

Consequences

Verbal warning Time out Office referral/ teacher calls home that day.

Automatic consequences for:

Severe Behaviors Physical assault Defiance after defiance warning Profanity directed at adult as defiance/disrespect

Discipline Consequences

First Office Referral

- ★ Talk with Principal
- ★ Review School Rules
- ★ Phone Call Home-discuss home consequences

Second Office Referral

- ★ Talk with Principal
- ★ Complete Disciplinary Consequence Sheet, including parent contact
- ★ Review Disciplinary Consequence Sheet
- ★ Loss of Recess or Campus Clean Up
- ★ Phone Call Home
- ★ If referral is a result of classroom behavior teacher will call home.

Third Office Referral

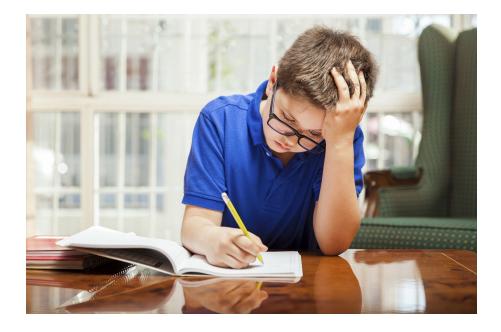
- ★ Talk with Principal
- ★ Update Disciplinary Consequence Sheet
- ★ Loss of Privilege or In-School Suspension for a portion of day
- ★ Phone Call Home (discuss daily behavior report/reward, counseling, mentor)
- ★ If referral is a result of classroom behavior teacher will schedule parent conference.

Fourth Office Referral

- ★ Parent Conference
- ★ Behavior Contract Signed by Parent
- ★ In school Suspension or Home Suspension
- ★ Loss of after school sports/club that day

Fifth Office Referral

- ★ Review Behavior Contract
- ★ One-three Day Suspension from School/no sports/club 5 days
- ★ Additional Consequences Spelled Out in Contract
- ★ Phone Call Home
- ★ Severe Clause (More than 5 referrals or severe act)
- ★ Multiple Day Suspension
- ★ Parent Attend School with Child
- ★ Referral to SARB
- ★ BIP (Behavior Intervention Plan)



HOMEWORK

To reach the high academic goals that we have at Lassen View, we need to form strong partnerships with parents. Part of that partnership is extending the classroom learning through homework each week. Please take time each night to check with your child about what they are learning. These conversations can make a difference in how they feel about their education.

Purposes of homework

- ★ Provide practice and reinforce concepts already taught in the classroom.
- ★ Develop good study habits, a positive attitude, and serve as a message to students and parents that learning takes place outside the school as well as inside the school.
- ★ Be completed independently, without parental influence except when students are struggling to complete the homework.
- \star Increase communication between the home and school.
- ★ Promote wise planning and time management skills.
- ★ Be necessary and useful, as well as appropriate to the ability and maturity level of students.
- ★ Be well explained and clearly understood by students and parents.
- \star Be useful to teachers to monitor student learning toward academic standards.

We plan that students will have homework approximately four nights a week. The times listed below are guidelines. Independent reading may include reading with or to the child in kindergarten and first grade and silent reading or reading aloud in grades 2-5.

GRADE	DAILY INDEPENDENT READING	OTHER SUBJECTS
Kindergarten	10-15 minutes	10-15 minutes
First Grade	10-20 minutes	10-20 minutes
Second Grade	15-25 minutes	15-25 minutes
Third Grade	20-30 minutes	20-30 minutes
Fourth Grade	25-35 minutes	25-40 minutes
Fifth Grade	30-45 minutes	30-45 minutes



PARENTS' RESPONSIBILITY

Parents should insure that:

- 1. Students are provided a time and place each evening for quiet study without distractions in order to complete their work.
- 2. Your child is encouraged to complete their work in a timely manner.
- 3. Your child can organize materials and establish a routine so that work completed is returned to school when due.
- 4. The work your child completes is his/her own.
- 5. They are supportive of the classroom teacher and if confused or upset with an assignment, the student will work independently with the teacher to correct the confusion.
- 6. They are supportive and assist their child when their child becomes frustrated. This should include helping them understand how to complete the work on their own.
- 7. Communication takes place with the teacher if the work is too difficult or is requiring an excessive amount of time.



STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY

Students will insure that:

- 1. They write down the assignments due.
- 2. Assignments are clearly understood and ask questions if necessary.
- **3.** A time is set aside along with a place each evening for quiet study without distractions in order to complete their work.
- 4. Work completed is their own.
- 5. Materials are organized and a routine is established to insure that work completed is returned to school when due.

Note: If students are exceeding the maximum minutes listed above on a regular basis, parents are encouraged to talk with the classroom teacher. If the situation is not remedied, parents are encouraged to talk with the principal. Students who do not use classroom time wisely may need to complete class work in addition to the minutes listed above.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS OFFERED AT LASSEN VIEW

Title 1 – Reading/Math: Title 1 is a federally funded program designed to help children who are achieving below average in reading and/or mathematics. Lassen View is a Title 1 school, which means all students who attend Lassen View will benefit from this funding. Students with the greatest need will receive instructional support on a one-on-one, small or whole- group basis by certificated Title 1 teachers and instructional aides. As part of our Title I program, you, your child and teacher will all sign a Parent Compact at the first Parent/Teacher conference. This compact states that we will all work together to help your child stay caught up with grade level skills in reading and math.

IEP (Individual Education Plan): Students who have been identified as needing special education services may only receive these services after a parent has agreed to the testing and receiving of special services. This process is accomplished through an IEP meeting attended by the parent, teacher, administrator, and/or other educational professionals. An IEP is only held when special education services are being considered; otherwise a meeting regarding a child's progress is handled through Care Team or Student Study Team.

Resource Specialist: The Resource Specialist teacher provides assistance to those students who have been identified through the IEP process as performing significantly below their academic ability. These students receive small group or one-on-one assistance for part of the instructional day. Small group or one-on-one may be delivered through Resource Specialist, Program Improvement strategic or intensive instructional groups.

Special Day Class: The Special Day Class (primary) serves learning-disabled students who need more support than that provided in the Resource Specialists Program (RSP). These students spend more than fifty percent of their school day in the Special Education classroom, and also participate in school-wide activities. LASSEN VIEW SITE HANDBOOK **Speech Services:** A certificated speech therapist assists students at Lassen View who qualify for help with speech and/or language. In addition, the speech teacher screens students and tests students referred for services. A student may not receive speech support without an IEP and parent consent.

ELE (English Language Education): Students with a primary language other than English may qualify to receive specialized instruction to promote their rapid acquisition of English. All teachers at Lassen View are qualified with CLAD or SADIE training to deliver this specialized instruction. An English Learner aide may be available to help specific classrooms. Services at most grade levels will include a half an hour of intensive vocabulary and comprehension work.

Bilingual Services: Interpreters are available. Please inform the office if interpreter services are needed.

District Psychologist: A district psychologist is assigned to our school for testing of students, attending Student Study Team meetings, and IEP's. No formal testing of students is done without parent permission.

Counseling Services: Lassen View's School Counseling Program offers students and families support during tough times. Effective communication, social competency, and classroom behavior are a few of the many important life lessons provided by our highly trained and licensed/certificated psychologists and therapists. Our counselor helps parents and families get in contact with appropriate therapeutic counseling. Our counselor can also help parent's access community resources in times of financial emergency.

Site Literacy Teacher: Our school has a site literacy teacher who supports the classroom teachers with reading assessments, intervention groups, and supplemental reading programs.

Library Services: We are excited to offer our outstanding library services during the school day to both students and parents. Students will have a weekly scheduled library time with their class. If a book is lost or returned damaged, the student/parent is responsible for payment of the book. Fines are not charged for overdue books, but we do encourage a timely return of library materials. Possible consequences for lost or damaged books include lost privileges, replacement charges, and the withholding of report cards. We look forward to serving your library needs.



HEALTH SERVICES

District Nurse: The Enterprise School District nurse is available for state- mandated vision, scoliosis and hearing tests. Students may be referred to physicians based on test results. In addition, the school nurse supports the school in emergency situations.

Student Services Clerk: Lassen View Elementary School has a student services clerk on campus each day in order to administer minor first-aid or physician required medications. In addition, the student services clerk helps contact parents about the required physical for K/1 students, and maintains emergency and medical records for all students.

First-aid: First-aid, defined as immediate, temporary care given in case of an accident or sudden illness, will be given when deemed necessary. In case of an accident requiring the services of a doctor, every attempt will be made to contact the parent or guardian prior to the child being sent to the hospital. Costs for medical care and ambulance service are the parent's responsibility. Because young children can get very sick very quickly, we request that parents notify us immediately of any changes in addresses, phone numbers, and emergency contact information.



FOOD SERVICES

Breakfast and Lunch Program

Breakfast (beginning at 7:00 a.m.) and lunch are available to all students. Because school funding is based on the number of students close to or below the federal poverty level, we request all parents fill out a school lunch program form. Due to the nature of the information you are providing, the information on the form is kept confidential, and site staff is not privy to this information. If your circumstances change during the year – losing a job or temporary changes in work hours, please come in and fill out another form.

It's important to us at Lassen View to make sure every child is able to eat. If you have a child with allergies or a doctor directed special dietary needs, please contact our head cook to fill out the appropriate forms.

Intermediate grade students take turns in the cafeteria serving lunch to other students. They receive a free lunch to thank them for their help.

We do not have credit accounts, only a cash basis for student meals. Your child's library number and lunch number are identical and even kindergartners memorize their number in the first couple of weeks. At meals, students are responsible to pick the main parts of the meal, try a little of each thing they have selected, clean up after themselves, put their trash and silverware in the appropriate places and turn their tray in to the dishwashers. If your child runs out of lunch money, we can allow them to charge only one time. After that, your child may have to come up to the office to call you to let you know they are out of money, so you can send it the next day.

Our kitchen staff takes great pride in making sure our meals are delicious, served in a pleasant way, and hot when it gets on your child's tray. Many meals are made from scratch using whole grains and fresh vegetables. If you'd like to come and have breakfast or lunch with your child, just stop by the office and get a visitor's pass. We would love to have you come and eat with us.



2016/2017 DISTRICT HANDBOOK FOR PARENTS, GUARDIANS, AND STUDENTS

<u>www.eesd.net</u> • 1155 Mistletoe Lane, Redding, CA 96002 Phone: 530-224-4100 • FAX: 530-224-4101

Alta Mesa • Boulder Creek • Lassen View • Mistletoe • PACE Academy Parsons • Redding Collegiate Academy • Rother • Shasta Meadows

PARENTS: PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO YOUR CHILD'S TEACHER ALL OF THE FORMS THAT WERE SENT HOME WITH YOUR CHILD.

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

SCHOOLS

Alta Mesa	224-4130
Boulder Creek	224-4140
LASSEN VIEW	224-4150
Mistletoe	224-4160
PACE ACADEMY	224-4236
Parsons	224-4190
Redding Collegiate Academy	224-4240
Rother	224-4170
Shasta Meadows	224-4180
PRESCHOOLS	
Alta Mesa Preschool	224-4139
Boulder Creek Preschool	224-4148
Lassen View State Preschool	224-4477
Mistletoe State Preschool	224-3232
Rother Montessori Preschool	224-4178
Shasta Meadows Preschool	224-4184
ACE PROGRAMS (AFTER-SCHOOL)	
Alta Mesa	224-4223
Boulder Creek (YMCA-run)	224-0952
LASSEN VIEW	224-4159
Mistletoe	224-4169
Parsons	224-4222
Rother	224-4179
Shasta Meadows	224-4184
OTHER	
DISTRICT OFFICE	224-4100
Transportation	224-4120
Shasta County Office of Education	225-0200

A MESSAGE FROM THE DISTRICT

Dear Enterprise Elementary School District Families:

We are grateful that you have entrusted your child with our award-winning schools and outstanding teachers and staff members. Thank you for choosing Enterprise Elementary School District!

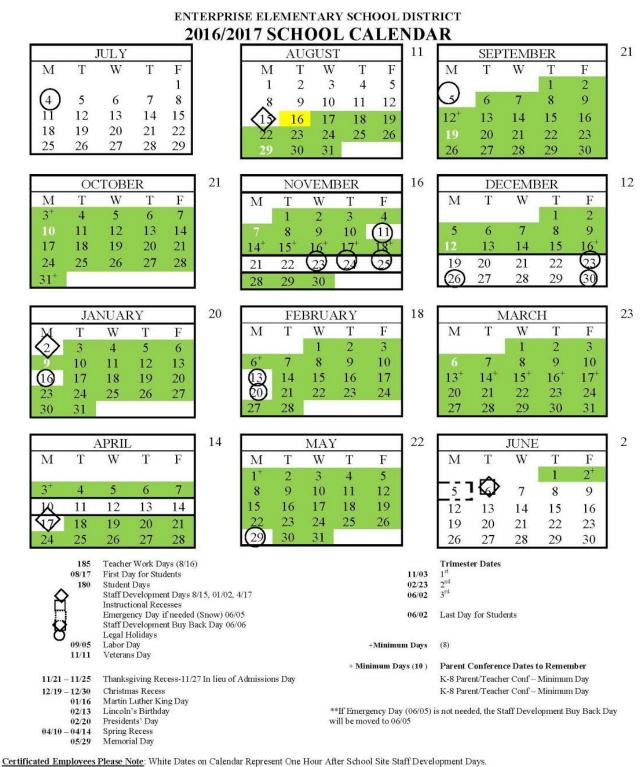
This Handbook for Parents, Legal Guardians, and Students for the 2016-2017 school year provides helpful information including District programs, policies, and contact information.

In order to generate a cost savings, we are again combining the Enterprise District Handbook and the Rights of Parents, Legal Guardians, and Students Booklet which provides information concerning state and federal laws that affect you and your child. This handbook includes a summary of the required laws and references to Education Code (EC), United States Code (USC), Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), California Code of Regulations (CCR), and the Health and Safety Code (HSC) and Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC). For the purpose of this handbook, "parent" refers to parents and/or guardians. Please be sure to complete all of the forms sent home with your child and return them to your child's teacher.

Again, thank you for entrusting your children to our staff. We are honored to have this opportunity to educate your children, and we welcome your participation in your child's education.

Sincerely,

Brian N. Winstead, Ed.D. Superintendent



<u>Certificated Employees Please Note</u>: White Dates on Calendar Represent One Hour After School Site Start Development Day Attendance is required at 6 of the 7 one hour sessions

Board Approved: 5/25/16



EMERGENCY INFORMATION AND SCHOOL CLOSING INFORMATION [EC§49408]

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY Parents are required to provide the school with the following contact information should an emergency arise. This information must be kept current, so parents must inform the school when this information changes. The required information includes home address(es) and telephone number(s); business or employment address(es) and telephone number(s); and name(s), address(es), and telephone number(s) of one or more relative(s) or friend(s) who you authorize to care for your student in any emergency situation, including the medical caregiver, if the parent or legal guardian cannot be reached.

In an emergency, we ask that you not telephone the school. Phone lines will be needed for emergency communication. The school will use its automated phone calling system to give parents instructions and updated information. Please do not drive to the school. Streets should be as open as possible for emergency vehicles. Tune your radio to any of the local radio stations. Information regarding the emergency and instructions for picking up students during or after the emergency will be given over the radio.

The Enterprise Elementary School District plans for, prepares for, and conducts emergency drills for emergency/crisis situations. Our school staff is trained to make certain the students understand emergency procedures. The safety and welfare of the students is our primary concern, especially In the event of an emergency. Personnel are trained in first aid. Your children should obey the directions of their teachers and follow the directions of the bus driver if they are on a bus. If walking or riding a bicycle, students should continue toward their destination should an emergency situation develop.

SCHOOL SAFETY PLAN [EC§§32286, 32288] Each school reviews and updates its safety plan by March 1. The plan includes an earthquake emergency procedure system and a disaster policy for buildings with a capacity of 50 or more people. Each school reports on the status of its plan and includes a description of its key elements in its annual School Accountability Report Card.

SCHOOL CLOSINGS In the event of school closure due to emergencies or inclement weather, please refer to our website, www.eesd.net and listen to KQMS radio (AM 1400). Please be sure to listen for Enterprise Elementary School District as Redding School District and Enterprise High School are not considered part of our district. The school will also use its automated phone calling system to give parents/guardians instructions and updated information. If inclement weather occurs after the school day has begun, school will remain open for the duration of the school day. In weather-related emergencies, you may pick up your child from school before the school day is over. If bus transportation is stopped due to weather conditions, students will remain on campus until picked up by the parent or guardian. If you have questions about our emergency preparedness programs, please contact your child's principal.



ATTENDANCE

MINIMUM AGE OF ADMISSION TO KINDERGARTEN [EC§48000] California now offers a two-year kindergarten program. The first year of schooling is referred to as "transitional kindergarten" and the second year as "kindergarten." Students who are 5 years of age on or before September 1 enter kindergarten. Students whose birthdays fall between September 2 and December 2, may enter transitional kindergarten.

MINIMUM DAYS/STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAYS [EC§48980(c)] Minimum Days are indicated on the school year calendar provided. At least one month's notice will be given if the minimum day schedule changes.

ABSENCES [EC§48200] Daily school attendance is compulsory for children aged 6-18. Please review the school calendar provided and plan activities and vacations during non-school days. No pupil whose attendance is excused shall have grades or academic credit lost if assignments and tests can be reasonably completed.

The state awards funding to school districts only for actual attendance; no longer do they fund for excused absences. However, truancy reports still rely on excused and unexcused absences. There are legal consequences if your child misses school excessively. Please call your child's school office to report his/her absence. A note and/or phone call from you must be received by the school within 72 hours to clear any excusable absences. Unexcused absences result in a recorded truancy. Per EC§48205, an elementary school pupil's absence shall be excused for the following reasons:

- 1. Due to his or her illness.
- 2. Due to quarantine under the direction of a county/city health officer.
- 3. For the purpose of having medical, dental, optometrical, or chiropractic services rendered.
- 4. For the purpose of attending the funeral services of a member of his or her immediate family, so long as the absence is not more than one day if the service is conducted in California and not more than three days if the service is conducted outside California.
- 5. For justifiable personal reasons, including, but not limited to, an appearance in court, attendance at a funeral service, observance of a holiday or ceremony of his or her religion, attendance at religious retreats, attendance at an employment conference, or attendance at an educational conference on the legislative or judicial process offered by a nonprofit organization when the pupil's absence is requested in writing by the parent or guardian and approved by the principal or a designated representative pursuant to uniform standards established by the governing board.
- 6. A pupil absent from school under this section shall be allowed to complete all assignments and tests missed during the absence that can be reasonably provided and, upon satisfactory completion within a reasonable period of time, shall be given full credit therefor. The teacher of the class from which a pupil is absent shall determine which tests and assignments shall be reasonably equivalent to, but not necessarily identical to, the tests and assignments that the pupil missed during the absence. For purposes of this section, attendance at religious retreats shall not exceed four hours per semester. Absences pursuant to this section are deemed to be absences in computing average daily attendance and shall not generate state apportionment payments. "Immediate family," as used in this section, has the same meaning as that set forth in Section 45194, except that references therein to "employee" shall be deemed to be references to "pupil."

EXTENDED ABSENCES - INDEPENDENT STUDY PROGRAM Independent Study is available so your child can keep up with his or her school work during an extended absence of 5 or more consecutive days. Please call the school office and ask them to prepare a packet of assignments which may be picked up at the office.

TRUANCY [EC§§48260, 48260.5, 48261, 48262, 48263, 48263.5, 48263.6, 48264.5, 48291, 48293, 48320; PC270.1, 830.1; WIC601.3] The state-defined levels of truancy, and the associated penalties to students and parents, are:

- Truant: A student is truant after missing three days of school or 30-minute periods without a valid excuse.
- Habitual Truant: A student who is truant three or more times in a school year. An effort is made to meet with parents.
- Chronic Truant: A student who has missed 10 percent or more school days in a school year.
- Interventions: Students who are habitual truants or are disorderly may be referred to our Student Attendance Review Board (SARB), the district attorney's office, or the county probation department. These programs offer guidance for improving attendance or improving school behavior.
- Student Penalties for Truancy: The first instance may result in a one-day weekend class. The second may be a written warning from a peace officer that stays in the student's records. The third may result in being referred to SARB or a district attorney program. The fourth places the student within the jurisdiction of the juvenile court, and the student may become a ward of the court.
- Parent Penalties for Truancy: First conviction \$100 fine; Second conviction \$200 fine; Third conviction up to \$500. Parents
 of elementary students who are chronic truants face a \$2,000 fine or imprisonment up to a year or both. They may also be required to
 meet regularly with district staff and/or referred for help.

The attendance clerk or designee making the referral of a student to SARB or the probation department will notify the parent in writing and include the name and address of the SARB or probation department to which the matter has been referred and the reason for referral. The notice shall indicate that the student, parent, and referring person is required to meet with the SARB or the probation officer to consider a proper disposition of the referral.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE REVIEW BOARD (SARB) SARB is a multi-disciplinary team that meets to explore options that may have been overlooked or unknown in attempts by the school or parents to resolve behavior or attendance problems. The guidelines for SARB are set forth in Ed Code, and school districts must adhere to these guidelines.

ATTENDANCE SARB: Total unexcused absences may be any combination of full day unexcused and/or unexcused tardies over 30 minutes. Unexcused tardies over 30 minutes includes both coming to school late and leaving school early. An initial notification of truancy or excessive absences can be sent after 3 unexcused or 10 excused absences; a second notification is sent after 5 total unexcused absences or 12 total excused absences; a third notification is sent after 7 total unexcused absences or 15 total excused absences. The third notification, sent to notify parents/guardians of the date, time, and location of the local SARB board, is copied to the County SARB board and submitted for possible CalWORKs sanctioning. Parents and the student are required to attend the SARB meeting which generally takes 30 minutes, and at the conclusion, a SARB contract is fashioned, and a copy is provided to all parties. Should the contract be violated, *i.e.*, there are any more unexcused absences or excessive excused absences), the fourth notification letter is sent to the parent/guardian and a Truancy Prosecution Request is generated.

BEHAVIOR SARB: An initial notification is sent at the discretion of the administrator when the student's misbehavior has become habitual and irresolvable at the classroom level. An SST will be scheduled and held regarding the behavior issue. A second notification is sent at the discretion of the administrator after the first letter/efforts fail to address the student's behavior problem. This letter serves to notify parents/guardians of the time, date, and location of the SARB hearing. The SARB Board will evaluate the student's school placement, and a behavior contract may be fashioned at/after the hearing.

SARB OUTCOMES: It is the desire of the District and the SARB Board that a solution to attendance and/or behavior issues can be identified and implemented. However, should that not occur, it is possible that parents may have CalWORKs benefits sanctioned. When a truancy-based sanction occurs, the aided adult/s are dropped off of the family count, thereby reducing the effective "household members" by 1 or 2, and the monetary benefit is adjusted downward accordingly. In addition, parents of students who continue to have poor attendance following the SARB hearing may be referred to the District Attorney's Office for prosecution. SARB and IEP: A student who is currently on an IEP may be SARBed as long as the attendance or behavior problem is not a manifestation of the student's disability. A manifestation determination meeting will be held to decide this issue.

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SARB APPEALS: Families may appeal a local SARB at the county level. Requests for appeal must be submitted to the Shasta County SARB Office within 10 calendar days of the date of the original SARB hearing, and the appeal may not be based solely on one's dissatisfaction with the decision of the local SARB; appeals will be heard only if it appears that there was a breach of due process.

INTERDISTRICT AND INTRADISTRICT ENROLLMENT [EC§§35160.5, 46600-46611, 48204, 48206.3, 48300-48315, 48980] If you wish for your child to attend another school in our District, please complete an Intradistrict Transfer Form which is available at the school office. Our district also allows students to transfer to or from other districts (interdistrict). For more information on these transfers, enrollment options, and alternative schools, and their associated forms, please contact the district office at 530-224-4100.

ATTENDANCE WHERE CAREGIVER RESIDES [EC§§48204(d), 48980(h)] Your child may attend the school district of his/her caregiver's residence if your child lives with a caregiver, as defined by law. An affidavit, sworn under penalty of perjury, by the caregiving adult is required to determine that your child lives in the caregiver's home.

ATTENDANCE IN DISTRICT IN WHICH PARENT OR GUARDIAN IS EMPLOYED [EC§§48204(b)(f), 48980(i)] Your child may attend school in the school district where you or your spouse is employed for at least 10 hours per week. If interested, call the district or school office for information.

ATTENDANCE IN DISTRICT WHEN LIVING AT PARENTS' PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT FOR MINIMUM OF 3 DAYS DURING THE SCHOOL WEEK [EC§48204(a)(7)] Parents may apply for enrollment of their child in a school district in which the parent is employed, and where the parent and child live at the parent's place of employment minimum of 3 days during the school week.

INDIVIDUALIZED INSTRUCTION/TEMPORARY DISABILITY (EC §§48206.3, 48207-48208) Individualized instruction is available to students with temporary disabilities whose disability makes attendance in the regular day classes or alternative education program in which the student is enrolled impossible or inadvisable. Parents of students hospitalized or with a temporary disability should notify the school district where the student receives care if an individualized instruction program is desired.

PROGRAM IMPROVEMENT SCHOOLS [20 USC§6316] Notification will be made if a child's school is identified as a "program improvement" school and the opportunities for school choice.

OPEN ENROLLMENT [EC§48350-48361] The state has identified 1,000 low-achieving schools. A student enrolled in one of these schools may attend any school in our district or elsewhere that has a higher API. Requests to transfer must be submitted to the current district or the new district before January 1 for the following school year. You may request a specific school or program within the new school district. Procedures for admission, rejection, lottery of available room, and providing for students who live within the district will be followed. The request will be answered within 60 days.

NOTICE OF ALTERNATIVE SCHOOLS [ECS58501] State law authorizes all school districts to provide for alternative schools. The Education Code defines alternative school as a school or separate class group within a school which is operated in a manner designed to: (a) Maximize the opportunity for students to develop the positive values of self-reliance, initiative, kindness, spontaneity, resourcefulness, courage, creativity, responsibility, and joy. (b) Recognize that the best learning takes place when the student learns because of his desire to learn. (c) Maintain a learning situation maximizing student self-motivation and encouraging the student in his own time to follow his own interests. These interests may be conceived by him totally and independently or may result in whole or in part from a presentation by his teachers of choices of learning projects. (d) Maximize the opportunity for teachers, parents, and students to cooperatively develop the learning process and its subject matter. This opportunity shall be a continuous, permanent process. (e) Maximize the opportunity for the students, teachers, and parents to continuously react to the changing world, including but not limited to the community in which the school is located. In the event any parent, pupil, or teacher is interested in further information concerning alternative schools, the county superintendent of schools, the administrative office of this district, and the principal's office in each attendance unit have copies of the law available for your information. This law particularly authorizes interested persons to request the governing board of the district to establish alternative school programs in each district.



TEXTBOOKS AND LIBRARY BOOKS Our district receives money from the state to purchase new curriculum. Textbooks cost up to \$85 each and are expected to last until the next textbook adoption cycle. It is the student's and the parent's responsibility to ensure books are not lost or damaged. All students will be allowed to take textbooks and library books home and parents will be liable for their replacement costs if lost or damaged. However, if a parent wishes that their child NOT be permitted to take textbooks and/or library books home, the parent must write a letter indicating their wishes, to the Office of the Superintendent, 1155 Mistletoe Lane, Redding, CA 96002.

PROSPECTUS OF SCHOOL CURRICULUM [EC§49091.14] The curriculum of every course offered by the schools of the district is compiled annually in a prospectus which is available for review upon request at each school site. Copies are available upon request for a reasonable fee not to exceed the actual copying cost.

TEACHERS [NCLB, 20 USC §§6301] Upon request, parents have a right to information regarding the professional qualifications of their student's classroom teachers, paraprofessionals, and aides. This includes whether the teacher meets the state qualifications and licensing criteria for the grades and subjects s/he teaches, whether the teacher is teaching under an emergency permit or other provisional status because of special circumstances, the teacher's college major, whether s/he has any advanced degrees and the subject(s) of those degrees, and whether any instructional aides or paraprofessionals provide services to your child and, if so, their qualifications. Districts shall also notify parents if their child has been assigned to or has been taught for 4 or more consecutive weeks by a teacher who is not highly qualified.

STUDENT USE OF TECHNOLOGY The district is pleased to offer technology resources to our students. Increasingly, teachers are expecting their students to use these services to conduct research and to enrich their learning activities. The district has adopted a policy and regulations enumerating the terms under which students are allowed to use technology resources. Families are cautioned that some materials accessible on the Internet may contain text or images that are inaccurate or offensive. In accordance with the Child Internet Protection Act, our District teachers and technical staff take reasonable steps to prevent students from seeing inappropriate matter. Teachers and other responsible adults supervise students at school. Parents and guardians are expected to supervise students at home. Even though your student will use the Internet for learning, it is possible by accident or intent s/he may view objectionable matter. Although school district teachers and technicians are taking reasonable steps to prevent students from seeing inappropriate matter, it is impossible to eliminate all objectionable things all of the time. It is assumed that all parents and guardians desire for their child to have access to Internet services and technology provided by the District. If a parent wishes to withhold permission for his/her child to use the Internet or district-provided technology devices, the parent need only write a letter to this effect, addressed to the Office of the Superintendent, 1155 Mistletoe Lane, Redding, CA 96002.

Students are authorized to use the district's equipment to access the Internet or online services in accordance with user obligations and responsibilities set forth below:

• The system shall be used only for purposes related to education. The district reserves the right to monitor all online communications for improper use.

- Students shall not use the system to encourage the use of drugs, alcohol, or tobacco, nor shall they promote unethical practices or any activity prohibited by law or district policy.
- Students shall not use the district system to access, post, submit, publish, or display harmful or inappropriate matter that is threatening, obscene, disruptive, or sexually explicit, or that could be construed as harassment or disparagement of others based on their race/ethnicity, national origin, sex, gender, sexual orientation, age, disability, religion, or political beliefs. A special exception for access may be made for hate literature if both the teacher and the parent/guardian provide approval prior to the start of the project and the purpose of such access is to conduct research.
- Students are prohibited from using email on district computers unless it is for educational assignments as directed by the teacher to communicate with adults and other students regarding their learning activities. Students are expected to keep messages brief and use appropriate language and shall not read mail or files intended for other users; they shall not attempt to interfere with other users' ability to send or receive electronic mail, nor shall they attempt to read, delete, copy, modify, or forge other users' mail. School staff, administrators, and parents all have access to student email for monitoring purposes. No expectation of Internet/e-mail privacy is afforded students.
- Students shall report any security problem or misuse of the network to the teacher or principal.
- Students shall not post personal contact information about themselves or other people. Personal contact information includes the student's name, address, telephone number, social security number, school address, or other individually identifiable information.
- Students shall not agree to meet with someone they have met online without their parent's or legal guardian's approval and participation.
- Students will promptly disclose to their teacher or other school employee any message they receive that is inappropriate or makes them feel uncomfortable.
- Students shall not attempt to gain unauthorized access to the district system or to any other computer system through the district system, or go beyond their authorized
- access. This includes attempting to log in through another person's account or access another person's account or access another person's files. These actions are illegal, even if only for the purposes of "browsing."
- Students shall not intentionally upload, download, or create computer viruses and/or maliciously attempt to harm or destroy district equipment or materials or manipulate the data of any other user, including so-called "hacking." These actions are illegal. Vandalism will result in discipline and/or legal action and the cancellation of user privileges.
- Students shall not use copyrighted files without the expressed consent of the creator. This includes the use of copyrighted materials for use in school assignments, trading with others, or any publication.
- Students shall not plagiarize works that they find on the Internet. Plagiarism is taking the ideas or writings of others and presenting them as if they were original to the student.
- Students shall not alter any system settings, system network configurations, or Internet browser settings, which include the installation of add-ons and toolbars or download, install, or copy computer software programs or other computer files. This includes copying audio or video CDs or DVDs, or other copyrighted material to the computer or network resources.
- Students shall not use the district system to engage in any illegal act, such as arranging for a drug sale or the purchase of alcohol, engaging in criminal gang activity, threatening the safety of another person, etc.
- Students shall not use the system to threaten, intimidate, harass, bully, or ridicule other students or staff.

IMPERSONATION ON THE INTERNET [PC§528.5] Pretending to be a real person other than yourself on the Internet or through other electronic methods to harm, intimidate, threaten or defraud is punishable by a \$1,000 fine or imprisonment for up to one year.

GIFTED AND TALENTED PROGRAM The gifted and talented program has been incorporated into the regular school day. Therefore, all students receive gifted and talented education.

FINE ARTS EESD has a proud tradition of valuing the importance of Fine Arts education. Students receive Fine Arts instruction throughout the year. The curriculum is articulated – each grade level building on the knowledge learned the prior year. Examples of our Fine Arts education include:

Parsons Junior High School offers students the opportunity to be involved in Beginning, Intermediate, Advanced, or Jazz Band, (these bands have received top honors in competitions throughout the state), or for vocalists, award-winning vocal performance groups, Music in Motion and Special Concepts, (recognized for excellence in both state and local venues), and additionally, Parsons offers Concert Choir and Star Choir.

- Visual and Performing Arts are highly valued. Because the arts enhance the academic and socioemotional development of children, we continue to include dance, music, theatrical experiences, and visual arts throughout the K-8 continuum. Mistletoe provides weekly music instruction to students in grades K-7 as well as offering a before-school band program for 5th-8th grade students. Additionally, Mistletoe offers an after-school strings program serving beginning, intermediate, and advanced students. Our students interact with a wide range of visual and performing arts experiences, enjoy practicing towards key performances, and learn essential skills that serve to enhance their overall development as children.
- Every middle school student at Boulder Creek School has the opportunity to take part in choral music or general music. General music offers guitar, drum circle drumming, and recorder. Boulder Creek provides many wonderful opportunities for each student to develop and discover his or her musical talents. For students who enjoy instrumental music, Boulder Creek's band program offers a year-long program with instruction in most wind instruments and percussion. Instruments are loaned to students, allowing students the chance to learn an instrument before parents make the financial commitment to purchase one. Band is a wonderful opportunity for students to learn an instrument, be a member of a team, and perform. Band also prepares students for high school's advanced band.

TITLE I PROGRAM The federally-funded Title I program is designed to improve the academic achievement of disadvantaged students. Title I funds are used to provide eligible students with supplemental services to reinforce the core curriculum and to assist students in attaining proficiency on state academic standards and assessments. All of our schools receive this funding. Students receive assistance through interventions provided in the regular classroom or in small group settings. Parents are notified if their child is in need of an intervention and will be asked to give permission if this additional help takes the student out of class.

AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS Each of our schools has an after-school program where activities are available until 6:00 p.m., each school day. Services are based on goals and objectives that align with district and state standards. Enrichment and recreational activities are offered on a regular basis. Students must be enrolled in one of the participating school sites to attend these programs. For additional information on the after-school program, contact your child's principal.

CAREER COUNSELING [EC§221.5] When students are provided career counseling and course selection opportunities, all students are provided equal services. Parents may participate in counseling sessions.

LIMITED ENGLISH PROFICIENT STUDENTS [EC§§52163, 52164.1, 52164.3, 52173, T5 11303, USC Title 20 6312] Notification will be given to parents of limited English proficient students regarding limited English proficiency programs including the reasons for the identification of the student as limited English-proficient, the need for placement in a language instruction educational program, the student's level of English proficiency, how the level was assessed, the status of the student's academic achievement, the methods of instruction used in the programs available, how the recommended program will meet the student's needs, program performance, parent options to remove a student from a program and/or to decline initial enrollment, and expected rate of transition into classrooms not tailored for limited English-proficient students.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE EDUCATION [EC§310] State law requires that all students be taught English by being taught in English. However, this requirement may be waived by parents with prior written informed consent, which shall be provided annually, under specified circumstances. See your school principal for further information.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION AND SPORTS [EC§49475, 60800] The District recognizes the positive benefits of physical activity on student health and academic achievement and provides all students the opportunity to be physically active on a regular basis through physical education (PE) instruction. The PE program provides a minimum of 200 minutes of PE every 10 days. Students with disabilities are provided instruction in PE in accordance with their individualized education program or Section 504 accommodation plan. PE instruction is delivered by appropriately credentialed teachers who may be assisted by instructional aides, paraprofessionals, and/or volunteers. Students in grades 5 and 7 are given a standardized physical fitness test as required by EC§60800. In addition to PE classes, a variety of sports activities are offered at each school. Parents and students are encouraged to review the information on concussions and head injuries included in this handbook.

SEXUAL HEALTH INSTRUCTION [EC §§51933, 51934, 51937-51939; HSC§151000] <u>To parents of</u> <u>eighth grade students</u>: As part of the Science program, students in eighth grade will be presented with medically accurate information about HIV/AIDS, a sexual health issue relevant to our youth. [EC§§51930, 51931] Your student will bring home a flyer announcing date, time, and location of a

parent preview night which will be scheduled a minimum of six weeks prior to the presentation. If you would like additional information regarding the curriculum, please contact the District Office at 224-4100. Please provide a note to your child's school office if you choose to have your child/dependent not participate in this presentation. If written notification is not received prior to the start of the class, the child will be allowed to attend the class. The law authorizes the use of anonymous, voluntary, and confidential research and evaluation tools to measure 7th- 12th grade students' health behaviors and risks, including tests, questionnaires, and surveys containing age appropriate questions about the student's attitudes concerning or practices relating to sex. Parents will be notified in writing and given the opportunity to review the material and can request in writing that their child not participate in any or all of the above activities. Students excused from participation may not be subject to disciplinary action, academic penalty or other sanction and an alternative educational activity must be made available to the student.

<u>To parents of fifth grade students</u>: Districts must notify parents if students are provided classes in which human reproductive organs and their functions and processes are described, illustrated, or discussed. [EC§51550] Parents may submit a written request to their child's school office if they want their child to be excused from such classes. If written notice to exclude a child is not received prior to the start date of the class, the child will be allowed to attend the class. The materials in this area of instruction are available to parents for previewing. Parents will be notified prior to the parent preview night of the date, time and location. The District nurses are available by telephone (530-224-4100) to discuss the content or answer any questions.

HEALTH INSTRUCTION-CONFLICTS WITH RELIGIOUS TRAINING AND BELIEFS [EC§51240] Upon written request of a parent, students shall be excused from the part of any school instruction in health if it conflicts with the religious training and beliefs of a parent.

INSTRUCTION/INFORMATION ON SEXUAL HARASSMENT The Superintendent or designee ensures that all district students receive age-appropriate instruction and information on sexual harassment including what acts and behavior constitute sexual harassment, and the fact that sexual harassment could occur between people of the same gender, a clear message that students do not have to endure sexual harassment, encouragement to report observed instances of sexual harassment, even where the victim of the harassment has not complained, and information about the person(s) to whom a report of sexual harassment should be made. Any student who feels that s/he is being or has been subjected to sexual harassment shall immediately contact his/her teacher or any other employee. A school employee to whom a complaint is made shall report it to the principal or designee within 24 hours of receiving the complaint. Any school employee who observes any incident of sexual harassment involving a student shall report this observation to the principal or designee, whether or not the victim files a complaint. In any case of sexual harassment involving the principal or any other district employee to whom the complaint would ordinarily be made, the employee who receives the student's report or who observes the incident shall report to the Office of the Superintendent or designee. The Superintendent, principal, or designee to whom a complaint of sexual harassment is reported shall immediately investigate the complaint in accordance with administrative regulation. If the investigator finds that sexual harassment occurred, s/he shall take prompt, appropriate action to end the harassment and address its effects on the victim. The Superintendent, principal, or designee shall also advise the victim of any other remedies that may be available. Where required, the matter may be referred to law enforcement authorities.

ANNUAL STANDARDIZED TESTING AND REPORTING Each year, the District administers standardized testing. This testing includes: 3rd-8th grade testing in Language Arts and Math; 5th and 8th grade testing in Science. The testing window is 15 instructional days that includes 6-8 testing days. Each year, parents and guardians will be notified regarding their student's participation in the CAASPP assessment system. A parent/guardian may submit to the school annually a written request to excuse his/her child from any/all parts of any test. District employees may discuss the testing program with parents/guardians, and may offer information on the availability of exemptions under EC 60615. However, the District and its employees shall not solicit or encourage any written exemption request on behalf of any student or group of students. (5 CCR 852). Within 20 days of receiving the results of the standardized achievement tests, parent/guardians will be notified of the results of the tests, the purpose of the tests, and the individual score and intended use. If you have any questions, contact the site Principal.



SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES

SPECIAL EDUCATION (IDEA) State and federal law requires that a free appropriate public education (FAPE) in the least restrictive environment be offered to qualified pupils with disabilities ages 3 through 21 years. More information concerning student eligibility, parental rights and procedural safeguards is available upon request.

SPECIAL EDUCATION; CHILD FIND SYSTEM [EC§§56300, 56301] Any parent suspecting that a child has exceptional needs may request an assessment for eligibility for special education services through the school principal. Policy and procedures shall include written notification to all parents of their rights.

SPECIAL EDUCATION COMPLAINTS [5 CCR§3080] State regulations require the district to establish procedures to deal with complaints regarding special education. If you believe that the district is in violation of federal or state law governing the identification or placement of a special education student, or similar issues, you may file a written complaint with the district. State regulations require the district to forward your complaint to the State Superintendent of Public Instruction. Procedures are available from your school principal.

SECTION 504/DISABLED PUPILS [Rehabilitation Act of 1973§504] Federal law requires districts to annually notify disabled pupils and their parents of the district's non-discriminatory policy and duty under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act.



The district employs registered nurses who evaluate students' health needs (including vision, hearing, dental, growth and development, scoliosis screening, etc.). District nurses provide direct health services to students and staff, and serve as a resource for health care referrals to various community programs. Health-related concerns should be directed to the district nurses. The district also employs student services clerks who provide first aid care, assist students with medication, and maintain health records under the direction of the district nurses. Your child may be exempt from physical examination if you file a written statement with the school principal stating that you will not consent to routine physical exam of their child. However, whenever there is good reason to believe the child is suffering from a recognized contagious disease, the child will be excluded from school attendance.

IF YOUR CHILD IS ILL [EC 49451] A child may be sent home if s/he is believed to be suffering from a contagious or infectious disease. Students will be sent home if they have a temperature of 100 degrees or higher and must stay home until they are symptom free for 24 hours without the use of fever reducing medications such as Tylenol® or ibuprofen. Students with vomiting/diarrhea will be sent home and must stay home until they are symptom free for 24 hours without symptom reducing medications or with physician release. Students who develop an infection requiring antibiotics may not return to school until after being on the medication for 24 hours or if a student has a written release from a physician. If you keep your child home from school due to symptoms of a contagious disease, please notify the school office as soon as possible.

KINDERGARTEN AND FIRST GRADE PHYSICAL EXAM [EC§§49450; HSC 124085, 124100, 124105, 120475] For each first grade student enrolling in school, parents are required by state law to present certification signed by a physician that states the child has received a physical examination within the past 18 months. You may wish to contact the Shasta County Health Department, who, through the Child Health and Disability Prevention Program (CHDP), may be able to provide a physical exam for your child at no cost to you. If you do not provide the certification, you must file a waiver at the school stating your reasons for noncompliance. Your child may be sent home if you fail to provide the certificate or waiver, and if your child is suspected to be suffering from a contagious disease.

KINDERGARTEN AND/OR FIRST GRADE ORAL HEALTH ASSESSMENT [EC§49452.8] Parents must have their child's oral health assessed by a licensed dentist or licensed dental health professional by May 31 of the student's first school year of school. Assessments within the 12 months before the child enters school also meet this requirement.

FLUORIDE APPLICATION: Pursuant to HSC\$104830-104865, your child may receive the topical application of fluoride, including fluoride varnish, or other decay-inhibiting agent to the teeth during the school year. If offered, parents must consent to the treatment on behalf or a minor child. This District does not provide fluoride application. Consult your dentist for more information.

IMMUNIZATIONS [HSC120325, 120335, 120440; EC§§48216, 49403] Your child must be immunized against certain diseases before being admitted to school,unless exempted for medical or religious reasons. Students who had a signed waiver based on religious or personal beliefs on file by January 1, 2016, will be exempt from the immunization requirement until they complete the "grade span" they were in as of January 1, 2016. Grade spans are: (1) birth through preschool, (2) Kindergarten through 6th grade, and (3) 7th through 12th grade. Students entering schools for the first time or advancing to 7th grade after July 1, 2016, are no longer exempt from immunizations based on their religious or personal beliefs. Parents must provide documentation that their child has been fully immunized against diphtheria, pertussis (whooping cough), tetanus, poliomyelitis, measles, mumps, and rubella, and varicella

(chickenpox) (students must be immunized for varicella or provide proof from a doctor stating child has had the disease), or the child may not be admitted to school. In addition, all students entering 7th grade must provide proof of the T-dap booster immunization. The required immunizations are available from the County Health Department, a physician, or may be administered by a healthcare practitioner acting under the direction of a physician. If an outbreak of a communicable disease occurs at a school, any non-immunized student will be excluded for his/her own safety until such a time as directed by health officials or district administration. Parents or guardians may refuse to allow the sharing of personal information related to their child's immunization records by notifying the County Health Department listed in this section.

MEDICATION [EC§49423] Any student who must take prescribed medication at school and who desires assistance of school personnel must annually submit a written statement of instructions from the physician and a parental request for assistance in administering the medication. Students may carry and self-administer prescription auto-injectable epinephrine and/or inhaled asthma medication upon the school's receipt of specified written confirmation and authorization from the student's parent and physician or surgeon. The parent/guardian shall provide for his/her child any and all specialized medical equipment and/or supplies required for their child as it relates to a specialized health condition or administration of medication(s). The District shall only provide specialized equipment that is used at school and that is needed to implement a student's IEP or Section 504 Plan.

CONTINUING MEDICATION REGIMEN [EC§49480] Parents of any student on a continuing medication regimen for a non-episodic condition shall inform the school nurse or other designated certificated school employee of the medication(s) being taken, the current dosage, and the name of the supervising physician. With the consent of the parent, the school nurse may communicate with the physician and may counsel with school personnel regarding the possible effects of the drug on the child's physical, intellectual, and social behavior, as well as possible behavioral signs and symptoms of adverse side effects, omission, or overdose.

SCOLIOSIS SCREENING [EC§49452.5] Between grades 6 and 8, your child may be screened for scoliosis (curvature of the spine), unless you submit a written denial of consent.

VISION AND HEARING APPRAISAL [EC§49455] The district is required to appraise each student's vision upon initial enrollment and every third year thereafter until the student completes the 8th grade. The appraisal shall include tests for visual acuity and color vision; however, color vision shall be appraised once and only on male students. The evaluation may be waived upon presentation of a certificate from a physician, surgeon, physician's assistant, or optometrist setting out the results of a determination of the student's vision, including visual acuity and color vision. In addition, the District will periodically test students for hearing deficiencies.

CUIDELINES FOR MANAGEMENT OF LIFE-THREATENING ALLERGIES [EC§49403,49414,49423,49423.5,4923.6, CCR 8:5193] Anaphylactic reactions, most often caused by exposure to substances to which a student is allergic, can be life threatening. The sources of these allergens are typically food, medicines, insects and latex. When a student has a life-threatening allergy, it is the responsibility of the parent or guardian to inform the school staff of the student's allergic condition. The student's physician will establish specific treatment procedures and provide these to the school. School staff will be made aware of these procedures and be knowledgeable about the location of necessary medications and their administration. Staff members are trained to recognize the reactions, follow the written procedures, and be aware of the District's guidelines regarding life-threatening allergies. District staff will work with parents/guardians on an individual basis to accommodate the needs of the student with allergies/potential anaphylactic reactions. The goal for these students is to diminish the risk of accidental exposure to their specific allergens.

CUIDELINES FOR USE OF EMERGENCY EPINEPHRINE AUTO INJECTORS/ MANAGEMENT OF UNDIAGNOSED ANAPHYLAXIS [EC§49414; SB 1266] Current law requires schools to provide emergency epinephrine for individuals who may be experiencing anaphylaxis. Anaphylaxis is a severe allergic reaction which can occur after exposure to an unknown food, an insect sting or even (rare) after exercise. School nurses or trained personnel may use epinephrine auto-injectors to provide emergency medical aid to persons suffering, or reasonably believed to be suffering, from an anaphylactic reaction. Contact health services for more information.

CONCUSSION [EC§49470-49475] A concussion is a type of traumatic brain injury that changes the way the brain normally works. A concussion is caused a bump, blow, or jolt to the head or body that causes the head and brain to move quickly back and forth. Even a "ding," "getting your bell rung," or what seems to be a mild bump or blow to the head can be serious. Signs and symptoms of a concussion can show up right after the injury or may not appear or be noticed until days or weeks after the initial injury. In rare cases,

a dangerous blood clot may form on the brain in a person with a concussion and crowd the brain against the skull. School districts who offer an athletic program must provide families of intended athletes written information on concussion and head injury. Coaches must remove of an athlete suspected of a concussion or head injury from a game or practice until cleared medically to return to play/practice. Written notification of clearance, signed by a healthcare professional, must be submitted to the coach and copied to the athletic program director. A gradual schedule of return spanning no less than seven days will be implemented. The athlete should remain under the supervision of the licensed health care provider and continue to be monitored by coaching staff. The athlete should notify the coaching staff and the health care provider if any ongoing or newly developing signs and symptoms of concussion or head injury are identified. Signs and symptoms include, headache, nausea or vomiting, dizziness or balance difficulties, double or blurred vision, sensitivity to light and/or noise, feeling sluggish, hazy, foggy or groggy, difficulty concentrating confusion or memory difficulties, not "feeling right." If a coach identifies or an athlete reports one or more symptoms of concussion after a bump, blow, or jolt to the head or body, s/he should be removed from practice/play for the remainder of day of the injury. Do not judge severity of the injury yourself. An athlete should receive immediate medical attention if after a bump, blow, or jolt to the head or body s/he exhibits any of the following danger signs: loss of consciousness (even briefly), appears dazed or confused, presents with difficulty with balance, memory or has behavioral changes, has unequal pupil size, is drowsy or cannot be awakened, has a headache that gets worse, complains of weakness. or numbness, is vomiting or is nauseous, has slurred speech or has seizures. Rest is key to recovering from a concussion or head injury. Avoid exercising or activities that involve a lot of concentration such as studying, video games and working on the computer. While most athletes with a concussion recover quickly and fully, some will have symptoms that last for days, weeks, or even months. Remain observant. Athletes and Parents/Guardians: Repeated concussions can increase the time it takes to recover. In rare cases, repeat concussions in young athletes can result in brain swelling or permanent damage to their brain and can be fatal. If you notice any signs and symptoms listed above following a blow, bump, jolt during practice or a game, notify the coach immediately.

TYPE 2 DIABETES INFORMATION [EC§49452.7] Type 2 diabetes is the most common form of diabetes in adults, and until a few years ago, type 2 diabetes was rare in children, but it is becoming more common, especially for overweight teens. According to the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), one in three American children born after 2000 will develop type 2 diabetes in his or her lifetime. Type 2 diabetes affects the way the body is able to use sugar (glucose) for energy. The body turns the carbohydrates in food into glucose, the basic fuel for the body's cells. The pancreas makes insulin, a hormone that moves glucose from the blood to the cells. But in type 2 diabetes, the body's cells resist the effects of insulin, and blood glucose levels rise. Over time, glucose reaches dangerously high levels in the blood, which is called hyperglycemia. Hyperglycemia can lead to health problems like heart disease, blindness, and kidney failure.

RISK FACTORS ASSOCIATED WITH TYPE 2 DIABETES It is recommended that students displaying or experiencing the following risk factors and/or warning signs associated with an increased risk of type 2 diabetes be screened for the disease:

- The single greatest risk factor for type 2 diabetes in children is excess weight. In the US, almost one out of every five children is overweight. The chances are more than double that an overweight child will develop diabetes.
- Many affected children and youth have at least one parent with diabetes or have a significant family history of the disease.
- Being inactive further reduces the body's ability to respond to insulin.
- Native Americans, African Americans, Hispanics/Latinos, or Asian/Pacific Islanders are more prone than other ethnic groups to develop type 2 diabetes.
- Young people in puberty are more likely to develop type 2 diabetes than younger children, probably because of normal rises in hormone levels that can cause insulin resistance during this stage of rapid growth and physical development.

WARNING SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS ASSOCIATED WITH TYPE 2 DIABETES Warning signs and symptoms of type 2 diabetes in children develop slowly, and initially there may be no symptoms. However, not everyone with insulin resistance or type 2 diabetes develops these warning signs, and not everyone who has these symptoms necessarily has type 2 diabetes.

- Increased hunger, even after eating
- Unexplained weight loss
- Increased thirst, dry mouth, and frequent urination
- Feeling very tired
- Blurred vision
- Slow healing of sores or cuts
- Dark velvety or ridged patches of skin, especially on the back of the neck or under the arms
- Irregular periods, no periods, and/or excess facial and body hair growth in girls
- High blood pressure or abnormal blood fats levels

TYPE 2 DIABETES PREVENTION METHODS AND TREATMENTS Healthy lifestyle choices can help prevent and treat type 2 diabetes. Even with a family history of diabetes, eating healthy foods in the correct amounts and exercising regularly can help children achieve or maintain a normal weight and normal blood glucose levels. Visit a doctor who can a) determine if a child is overweight based on the child's age, weight, and height; and b) request blood glucose tests to see if the child has diabetes or prediabetes.

- Eat healthy foods. Make wise food choices. Eat foods low in fat and calories.
- Get more physical activity. Increase physical activity to at least 60 minutes every day.
- If diet and exercise are not enough to control the disease, it may be necessary to treat type 2 diabetes with medication.

TYPES OF DIABETES SCREENING TESTS THAT ARE AVAILABLE

- Glycated hemoglobin (A1C): A blood test measures the average blood sugar level over two to three months. An A1C level of 6.5 percent or higher on two separate tests indicates diabetes.
- Random (non-fasting) blood sugar: A blood sample is taken at a random time. A random blood sugar level of 200 milligrams per deciliter (mg/dL) or higher suggests diabetes. This test must be confirmed with a fasting blood glucose test.
- Fasting blood sugar: A blood sample is taken after an overnight fast. A fasting blood sugar level less than 100 mg/dL is normal. A level of 100 to 125 mg/dL is considered pre-diabetes. A level of 126 mg/dL or higher on two separate tests indicates diabetes.
- Oral glucose tolerance: A test measuring the fasting blood sugar level after an overnight fast with periodic testing for the next several hours after drinking a sugary liquid. A reading of more than 200 mg/dL after two hours indicates diabetes.

Type 2 diabetes in children is a preventable/treatable disease and the guidance provided here is intended to raise awareness about this disease. Contact your student's school nurse, school administrator, or health care provider if you have questions.

References: American Diabetes Association Clinical Journal; Helping Children with Diabetes Succeed: A Guide for School Personnel; KidsHealth; Mayo Clinic; National Library of Medicine (NLM) and National Institutes of Health's (NIH) MedLine; US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

SUN PROTECTION [EC§35183.5] When students are outdoors, they may wear sun protective clothing and may apply sunscreen and lip balm during the day without a doctor's note or prescription. Specific clothing and hats determined by the school/district to be inappropriate may be prohibited by the dress code policy. No school personnel are required to assist pupils in applying sunscreen.

MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL INSURANCE FOR STUDENTS [EC §§32221.5, 49472] Our district does not provide medical, accident, or dental insurance for pupils injured on school premises or through school activities, and the district assumes no liability for accidents to students at school. Information about a medical/dental accident insurance program offered by an outside agency is provided. The low-cost plan provides assistance to meet some of the expenses for accidental injury. Two levels of benefits are available. A detailed brochure/application is available at your child's school office. A no-cost, free prescription drug card is also available at your child's school office. School athletic teams have accidental injury insurance that covers medical and hospital expenses. However, this requirement is met by the offering of insurance or other health benefits that cover medical and hospital expenses. Information about no-cost or low-cost local, state, or federally-sponsored health insurance programs may be obtained by calling Healthy Families/Medi-Cal for Families at 888-747-1222.

DRUG, ALCOHOL, STEROID, AND TOBACCO PREVENTION PROGRAMS [EC§§49033, 60041; HSC§11032] The unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensation, possession, or use of illicit drugs, alcohol, or any form of tobacco product on district premises or as a part of any of its activities is strictly prohibited, and violations will be investigated. Violators will be subject to prosecution in accordance with local, state, and federal law and district disciplinary action up to and including expulsion, being required to satisfactorily complete a drug abuse assistance, tobacco cessation program, or rehabilitation program selected by the district. The district's drug, alcohol, and tobacco education and prevention programs address the legal, social, and health consequences of drug, alcohol, and tobacco use and provide students with effective techniques to resist peer pressure to use illicit drugs, alcohol, or tobacco. Parents may contact the school for additional information The district does not support or endorse specific programs or agencies, but provides the information to assist parents and students.

CONFIDENTIAL MEDICAL SERVICES [EC\$46010.1] The state provides that school districts may excuse students in grades 7 through 12 from school for the purpose of obtaining confidential medical services without the consent of the pupil's parent or guardian. School districts are permitted to grant such excuses, but are not required to do so. If you have questions about this, contact your child's school.



MEALS AT SCHOOL

STUDENT LUNCH PROGRAM [EC§§49510 - 49520] All of our District schools operate a hot breakfast and lunch program, serving nutritious breakfast and lunch each school day. Your child may be eligible for free or reduced cost lunch. An informational letter (like the sample below) and the application form is being mailed to your home. Eligibility information is vital to our district receiving its fair share of educational funding. Even if you decide to not participate in our meal program, your completed form means valuable dollars for education! Therefore, please be sure to list all children or dependents in the home, including those not enrolled in Enterprise Elementary School District, one application per family. Write

your child's legal name as s/he is enrolled, and list the name of the school or preschool that each child attends; write "N/A" to indicate an infant or toddler at home. If family income is below certain federal guidelines, your child may qualify for free or reduced-priced meals, and may qualify for other programs such as Medi-Cal, Healthy Kids, or CalFresh.

One of our goals is to make mealtime a positive experience for each child. Meals must be paid for in advance or at the time of purchase. When money for student meals is held on account, serving lines go smoothly and misunderstandings are minimized. Thankfully, most parents are great at making sure that sufficient money is on account for their child. There may be extenuating circumstances, of course, so parents, please call the school or send a note if payment may be delayed. Cafeteria personnel will offer a quiet and friendly verbal reminder to students in meal lines when the balance in his/her account is low. A reminder letter will be sent home.

PRICING LETTER TO HOUSEHOLDS FOR FREE AND REDUCED-PRICE MEALS-2016-17 School Year

Dear Parent or Guardian

The Enterprise Elementary S/D takes part in the National School Lunch and/or school Breakfast Programs. Meals are served every school day at participation of conjust Frequencies in the a dire served every school day un participating schools. Students may have up unch for \$2.25 Grades 6-8 and \$2.00 K-5. Eligible students may receive meals free or at a reduced-price at \$.40 lunch and \$2.55 breakfast. You or your children do not have to be a U.S. citizen to qualify for free or reduced-price meals.

TERMS—"Household" means a group of related or non-related individuals who are living as one economic unit and sharing living expenses. "Living expenses" include rent, clothes, food, doctor bills, willib hile etc. expenses. "Livi utility bills, etc.

SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER (SSN)—The Application must include the last four digits of the SSN of the adult who signs it. If the adult does not have a SSN, check the "id on ot have a SSN box." If you have listed a CalFresh, CalWORKs, Kin-GAP, or FDPIR case number for the child, or if the Application is for a foster child, an SSN is **not** required of the adult signing the Application.

Signing the Application. DIRECT CERTIFICATION—This school/agency participates Direct Certification. If your household currently receives benefits from one of the following programs: CalFresh (areviously Food Starmas), California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs), Kinshig Guardianship Assistance Payments (Kin-GAP), or Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations (FDPIR), DONT complete a meal Application. School officials will notify no d your children's eligibility for free meals. If you are not contacted by August 17 but think your children are eligible for free meals, please contact the school. You may need to complete an Application.

MIXED HOUSEHOLDS WITH DIRECTLY CERTIFIED, FOSTER, OR/AND NON DIRECTLY CERTIFIED CHILDREN—To apply complete the Application for Free and Reduced-Price Meals, sign it, and return it to the school. Households must complete an Application when LACH child who does not have a case number or/and is not a foster child.

PDPR SENEFITS—Households participating in the FDPIR size categorically eligible for free meals/milk. The FDPIR is authorized by Section 4(b) of the Food Stamp Act of 1977. Under this section, eligible households may elect to participate in either the CalFresh Program or the FDPIR. Since households are alforded the option to participate in either program, FDPIR households have been determined to receive the same categorical benefits as CalFresh households.

same categorical benefits as Califersh households. FOSTER CARE CHILDREN or CHILDREN PLACED IN OUT-OF-HOME CARE— Who are the legal responsibility of a welfare agency or court. Foster children are categorically eligible for free meals without further Application, but the eligiblity is not extended to other non-foster children in the household. Households with foster/non-foster children are encouraged to complete an Application, since foster children may be counted as a household. Households with foster/non-foster children qualify for free or reduced-price meals based on the household size and Income. If you choose to add both your foster/non-foster children on the Application, you will need to report the foster/ non-foster children on the Application, you will need to report the foster/ non-foster sincome (personal income provided to the child or earned by the child), if any, and the foster parent signs the Application and provides the last four digits of their SSN.

INCOME HOUSEHOLDS—To apply, Complete the Application for Free and Reduced-Price Meals. Follow the instructions on the Application and see the Income to report chart on the right, sign it, and return it to the

school. MILITARY HOUSING INCOME—If you are in the Military Housing Privatization initiative or get combat pay, DO NOT include these allowances as income. You do report any military benefits received in cash, such as housing allowances (off-base or general commercial/private real estate market), bod, clothing, and deployed service member's income made available by them or on their behalf to the household

HOMELESS, RUNAWAY, & MIGRANT-Contact the school for details

MEALS FOR DISABLED—If you believe your child needs a food substitute or texture modification because of a disability, please contact the school. A child with a disability is entitled to a special meal at no extra charge if the disability prevents the child from eating the regular meal.

WICPARTICIPANTS—If you currently receive benefits under the Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (K as WIC), your child may be eligible for free/reduced-price meals. We encourage you to complete an Application and return for processing. Children (known meals, We

APPLVING FOR BENEFITS - You may apply for meal benefits at any time during the school year. If you are not eligible now, but your income decreases during the school year, you lose your job, your family size becomes larger, or you become eligible for califesh, calWORKs, Kin-GAP, or FDPIR benefits, you may submit an Application at that time.

OF PDPIK benefits, you may submit an Application at that time.
A COMPLET HOUSEHOLD APPLICATION—The Application cannot be approved unless it contains complete eligibility information. If you do not enter a Califiesh, CalWORKs, Kin-CAP, or FOPIR case number for each student (or an adult household member) listed on the Application, you must complete the following:
Note: You must complete an Application with all household members and their income listed, for a child who is living with relatives or friends, whether or not the child is a ward of the court.
Section A: The names of all children in your household, name of school or write "none" if not in school, their earned income with frequency, or mark the "if no income box." The Children's Racial and Ethnic Identities, is voluntary to answer.

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Section B: The names of all adults in the household, the amount of income, the source and frequency of income, or mark the "if no income box" for each person listed.

Section C: Enter contact information, mailing address, and the last four digits of the SSN of the adult household member signing the Application, or mark the "I do not have an SSN box" if the adult does not have an SSN

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is a foster child. **INFORMATION STATEMENT**—The Richard B. Russell National School Lunch Act requires the information on this Application. You do not have to provide the information, but if you do not, we cannot approve your child for free or reduced-price meals. You must include the iast four digits of the SSN of the adult household member who signs the Application. The last four digits of the SSN is not required when you apply on behalf of a foster child or when you list a CalFresh, CalWORKs, KinGAP, or FDPR case number or other FDPIR Identifier for your child or when you indicate that the adult household member signing the Application does not have a SSN. Your family size, household income, and the last four digits of your SSN will remain confidential and will not be shared. We will use your information to determine if your child 's eligible for free or reduced-price meals, and for administration and enforcement of the lunch and breakfast programs. VERTI IDENTEGATION—Children who requires when explored once

OVERT IDENTIFICATION—Children who receive free or reduced-price meals must be treated in the same manner as children who pay full price for meals, and not overtly identified.

for meals, and not overtly identified. FAIR HEARING—If you do not agree with the school's decision regarding your Application's eligibility determination or the result of verification, you may discuss it with the school. You also have the right to a fair hearing. A fair hearing may be requested by calling or writing the following school official: Dr. Brian Winstead, Superintendent, C/O Enterprise Elementary S/D, 1155 Mistletoe Lane, Redding, CA 96002

INCOME FOR THE SELF-EMPLOYED—Self-employed persons may use las year's income as a basis to project their current year's NET income, unle your current net income provides a more accurate measure. The income be reported is income derived from the business venture less operating ens may use last T income, unles ome to Generated by CA Dept, of Education

costs incurred in the generation of that income. Deductions for personal expenses such as medical expenses and other non-business deductions are not allowed in reducing gross business income.

not allowed in reducing gross business income. CALCULATING INCOME—List all adult household members, whether or not they receive income. For each household members with income: write the amount of current income, enter the source of current income received, such as from wages, pensions, retirement, welfare, child support, and so on, for each category, and how often received (frequency). Gross Farnings from work is the amount earned before taxes and other deductions. If any current amount received was more or less than usual, write the usual or projected income. Households receiving different income intervals must annualize their income by calculating weekly x 52; every two weeks x 26; twice a month x 24; and monthly by 12.

INCOME TO REPORT		
Earnings from work	Gross Wages/salaries/tips, strike benefits, unemployment	
before deductions;	compensation, workers' compensation, and net income from self-owned	
include all jobs	business or farm	
Pensions Retirement	Pensions, supplemental security income, retirement payments, Social	
Social Security	Security Income (SSI) (including SSI a child receives)	
Welfare, Child	Public assistance payments, welfare payments, alimony, and child	
Support, Alimony	support payments	
List Other Income	Disability benefits; cash withdrawn from savings; interest and dividends; income from estates, trusts, and investments, regular contributions from persons not living in the household, net royalties and annuities, net rental income, any temporary income	

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1	\$21978	\$1832	\$916	\$846	\$423
2	\$29637	\$2470	\$1235	\$1140	\$570
3	\$37296	53108	\$1554	\$1435	\$718
4	\$44955	\$3747	\$1874	\$1730	\$865
5	\$52614	\$4385	\$2193	\$2024	\$1012
6	\$60273	\$5023	\$2512	\$2319	\$1160
7	\$67951	\$5663	\$2832	\$2614	\$1307
8	\$75647	\$6304	\$3152	\$2910	\$1455
For each additional house hold member add	\$7696	\$642	\$321	\$296	\$148

NON-DISCRIMINATION STATEMENT—This explains what to do if you believe you have been treated unfairly. "In accordance with Federal law and U.S. Department of Agriculture policy, this institution is prohibited from discriminating on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability. To file a complaint of discrimination, write USDA, Director, Office of Adjudication, 1400 Independence Avenue, S.W., Washington, DC 2025.93410 or Gisabilities may contact USDA thusla who are hearing imputed or have speech disabilities may contact USDA thusla who are hearing imputed or have speech disabilities may contact USDA. 20250-9410 or

Do you Need Assistance completing the Application or have questions? Please contact, Denise Ohm, SNS, 530-224-4100, EXT 8207

You will be notified by the school when your Application has been approved or denied for free or reduced-price meals. Sincerely,

Denise Ohm, SNS Food Services Department Enterprise Elem S/D



BEHAVIOR EXPECTATIONS AND CONSEQUENCES

BEHAVIOR EXPECTATIONS [EC§44807, 5 CCR§300] Pupils are accountable for their conduct on the way to and from school, and on the playground. Pupils must conform to school regulations, obey all directions, be diligent in study, be respectful of teachers/others in authority, and refrain from profane/vulgar language. For detailed school rules, please see your child's school handbook. A consistent method of responding to serious incidents has been developed with the understanding of the varying maturity level of different age groups. Following is a representative sample of expected disciplinary actions for violations of behavior expectations.

- Parent contact
- Student study team meeting
- Detention/time out
- Suspension or expulsion

- Behavior contract
 • Restricted play area
- Saturday School
- Other as deemed appropriate

• Student Attendance/Behavior Review Board (SARB)

PARENT RESPONSIBILITY [EC§§48900.1, 48904; CC1714.1; GC53069.5] Parents are liable for damages caused by the willful misconduct of their child/ren that result in death or injury to other students, school personnel, or damage to school property as well as for any school property loaned to the student and willfully not returned. A parent's liability may be as much as \$10,000 in damages and an additional \$10,000 for payment of a reward, if any. The school district may withhold grades, diplomas, or transcripts of the student responsible until such damages are paid or the property returned or until completion of a voluntary work program in lieu of payment of money. If your child commits an obscene act or engages in habitual profanity or vulgarity, disrupts school activities, or otherwise willfully defies the authority of school personnel, and is suspended for such misconduct, you may be required to attend a portion of a school day in your child's classroom.

VIDEO MONITORING Video monitoring may occur on district property and in accordance with district regulations on video surveillance practices. See Board Policy #3515.1 for additional details.

RELEASE OF STUDENT TO PEACE OFFICER [EC§48906; PC§11165.6] A school official will promptly notify you or a responsible relative of your child if your child is released from school to a peace officer. However, if a student is taken into custody as a victim of suspected child abuse, the peace officer will notify the parent or guardian.

SAFE PLACE TO LEARN ACT [EC§234.1] The district is committed to maintaining a learning and working environment that is free from bullying. The District has a Board policy on the subject of bullying, and any student who engages in bullying of anyone in or from the district may be subject to disciplinary action up to and including expulsion. To report incidences of bullying please contact the school or the district office.

STUDENT SEARCH [US Sup. Court Case: New Jersey v. TLO (1985) 469 US 325] A student, and his/her locker, backpack, or purse may be searched by the school principal or designee if there is a reasonable suspicion to believe the student may have a concealed weapon, narcotics, stolen property, or contraband.

PERSONAL PROPERTY CODE These are NOT allowed on campus before school, during school, after school, or at any school activity:

•	Light	ters
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CigarettesMatches

In-line skatesSkateboardsScootersAerosol cans

•Chains of any kind/size •Electronic games Gambling games or devices (cards, dice, etc.)
Obscene or profane material
Sunglasses (may be worn only outdoors)

We strongly advise that music devices (iPods) should be left at home due to possible theft. (See section CELLPHONES, PAGERS... that follows.)

FIRST OFFENSE: Item will be confiscated and turned in to school administration or law enforcement. Items held by administration will be released only to parents. The school and district are not responsible for lost/damaged confiscated items.

REPEAT OFFENSES: Students who continue to violate this policy will be called into the office for disciplinary actions (detention, in school or home suspension depending upon the seriousness of the offense).

CELL PHONES, PAGERS, ELECTRONIC SIGNALING DEVICES [EC§48901.5]

Electronic communication devices will be allowed at school. However, neither the school nor the district is responsible for devices brought to school and will not be liable for damaged, destroyed, or lost devices. They must be turned off and in the student's backpack as soon as student arrives on campus and must remain there until school is dismissed. This includes during lunch and passing periods. Students may not have electronic devices in their pocket at any time during the school day. Students may use cell phones and other electronic devices after school is dismissed. If student has an electronic device on campus, the content must ALWAYS be appropriate (text messages, pictures, music, and ringtones). If a student needs to make an emergency call during the school day, s/he should go to the office. If a parent needs to reach a student, s/he may call the school office.

ELECTRONIC DEVICE VIOLATION

1st VIOLATION: Electronic device will be brought to the school office by the Teacher or Administrator. Students may retrieve it from the office at the end of the school day.

2nd VIOLATION: Electronic device will be brought to the office. Parents will be notified and parent will need to pick up the device from the office. There may be further consequences at the Principal's discretion.

 3^{rd} VIOLATION: Electronic device will be brought to the office. Parents will be notified and will need to pick up the device in the office. The student will not be allowed to bring the device back to school for the remainder of the year and is subject to further disciplinary action at the discretion of the principal/designee.

DRESS CODE [EC§35183] It is the responsibility of the District to ensure an environment that promotes learning. Students must be neat, clean, well-groomed, and ready to learn. Clothing and hairstyles must be appropriate and not interfere with instruction. In the best interest of children and the school, students must adhere to the following:

- Clothing shall cover undergarments and torso at all times and may not have holes or rips above the mid-thigh.
- Garments may not be too tight or too revealing.
- Dresses and skirts shall be at least mid-thigh in length.
- Shorts must have a minimum 3" inseam.
- Pajamas are allowed only on designated spirit days or special events planned by school administration.
- Safe footwear must be worn at all times and allow for participation in PE. Flip flops, sandals without a back strap, and skate shoes are not permitted.
- Hats may be worn outdoors for sun protection or warmth.
- No low-hanging or sagging garments; undergarments must be covered.
- For safety reasons, hanging chains, spiked belts/wristbands, or sharp, heavy jewelry are not permitted.
- No clothing, jewelry or personal items that bear statements or pictures that are disrespectful, obscene or profane, advocate immoral, illegal, sexual, or violent behavior, or refer to death, alcohol, tobacco, or other drugs, violence, Satanism, racism, gang-related, or make sexual innuendos will be allowed.
- Face painting, unnatural hair coloring, or body piercing that cause a disruption or safety concern are not allowed. Hair may not be sprayed with any coloring that would drip when wet.

Administration will determine whether or not any of the above guidelines are being violated and ultimately a distraction or potential distraction to the learning environment at school.

DRESS CODE VIOLATIONS

1ST OFFENSE: Student will be asked to go to the office to change clothing. Extra clothing may be provided in the health room, or student will call parent to bring appropriate clothing.

 2^{nd} OFFENSE: Same as #1 plus one lunch detention on the day of the offense.

3rd OFFENSE: Same as #1 plus additional disciplinary action at the discretion of the principal/designee.

BEHAVIOR

VANDALISM [PC§594] Graffiti and scratching glass or other material on someone else's property is now considered vandalism and those convicted face fines, imprisonment, and the requirement to clean up the damage or perform community service. Parents may be liable to pay fines as high as \$50,000 and be required to participate in the clean up.

STUDENT SEXUAL HARASSMENT Sexual harassment of students by other students, employees, or other persons, at school or at school-sponsored or school-related activities and retaliatory behavior or action against persons who complain, testify, assist, or otherwise participate in the complaint process, is prohibited.

SEXUAL HARASSMENT RECORD-KEEPING [5 CCR§§4917, 4964, EC§§231.5, 48980(g)] Complaints and allegations of sexual harassment will be kept confidential except as necessary to carry out the investigation or take other subsequent necessary action. A confidential record of all reported cases of sexual harassment will be kept to allow the district to monitor, address, and prevent repetitive harassing behavior in its schools.

SUSPENSION/EXPULSION [EC§§48900-48915] A student may be suspended from school for no more than five (5) consecutive school days, except when pending expulsion. School employees will attempt to contact the student's parent in person or by telephone in addition to written notification. A pupil may be suspended from school or recommended for expulsion if the superintendent or the principal of the school in which the pupil is enrolled determines that the pupil has committed any of the following listed acts.

- a) (1) Caused, attempted to cause, or threatened to cause physical injury
 - to another person.

(2) Willfully used force or violence upon the person of another, except in self-defense.

- b) Possessed, sold, or otherwise furnished a firearm, knife, explosive, or other dangerous object, unless, in the case of possession of an object of this type, the pupil had obtained written permission to possess the item from a certificated school employee, which is concurred in by the principal or the designee of the principal.
- c) Unlawfully possessed, used, sold, or otherwise furnished, or been under the influence of, a controlled substance listed in Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 11053) of Division 10 of the Health and Safety Code, an alcoholic beverage, or an intoxicant of any kind.
- d) Unlawfully offered, arranged, or negotiated to sell a controlled substance listed in Chapter 2 (commencing with Section 11053) of Division 10 of the Health and Safety Code, an alcoholic beverage, or an intoxicant of any kind, and either sold, delivered, or otherwise furnished to a person another liquid, substance, or material and represented the liquid, substance, or material as a controlled substance, alcoholic beverage, or intoxicant.
- e) Committed or attempted to commit robbery or extortion.
- f) Caused or attempted to cause damage to school property or private property.
- g) Stole or attempted to steal school property or private property.
- h) Possessed or used tobacco, or products containing tobacco or nicotine products, including, but not limited to, cigarettes, cigars, miniature cigars, clove cigarettes, smokeless tobacco, snuff, chew packets, and betel. However, this section does not prohibit use or possession by a pupil of his or her own prescription products.
- i) Committed an obscene act or engaged in habitual profanity or vulgarity.
- j) Unlawfully possessed or unlawfully offered, arranged, or negotiated to sell drug paraphernalia, as defined in Section 11014.5 of the Health and Safety Code.
- k) (1) Disrupted school activities or otherwise willfully defied the valid authority of supervisors, teachers, administrators, school officials, or other school personnel engaged in the performance of their duties.

(2) Except as provided in Section 48910, a pupil enrolled in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 3, inclusive, shall not be suspended for any of the acts enumerated in this subdivision, and this subdivision shall not constitute grounds for a pupil enrolled in kindergarten or any of grades 1 to 12, inclusive, to be recommended for expulsion. This paragraph shall become inoperative on July 1, 2018, unless a later enacted statute that becomes operative before July 1, 2018, deletes or extends that date.

- I) Knowingly received stolen school property or private property.
- m) Possessed an imitation firearm. As used in this section, "imitation firearm" means a replica of a firearm that is so substantially similar in physical properties to an existing firearm as to lead a reasonable person to conclude that the replica is a firearm.

- n) Committed or attempted to commit a sexual assault as defined in Section 261, 266c, 286, 288, 288a, or 289 of the Penal Code or committed a sexual battery as defined in Section 243.4 of the Penal Code.
- o) Harassed, threatened, or intimidated a pupil who is a complaining witness or a witness in a school disciplinary proceeding for the purpose of either preventing that pupil from being a witness or retaliating against that pupil for being a witness, or both.
- p) Unlawfully offered, arranged to sell, negotiated to sell, or sold the prescription drug Soma.
- q) Engaged in, or attempted to engage in, hazing. For purposes of this subdivision, "hazing" means a method of initiation or preinitiation into a pupil organization or body, whether or not the organization or body is officially recognized by an educational institution, which is likely to cause serious bodily injury or personal degradation or disgrace resulting in physical or mental harm to a former, current, or prospective pupil. For purposes of this subdivision, "hazing" does not include athletic events or school-sanctioned events.
- r) Engaged in an act of bullying. For purposes of this subdivision, the following terms have the following meanings:
- "Bullying" means any severe or pervasive physical or verbal act or conduct, including communications made in writing or by means of an electronic act, and including one or more acts committed by a pupil or group of pupils as defined in Section 48900.2, 48900.3, or 48900.4, directed toward one or more pupils that has or can be reasonably predicted to have the effect of one or more of the following:
 - (A) Placing a reasonable pupil or pupils in fear of harm to that pupil's or those pupils' person or property.
 - (B) Causing a reasonable pupil to experience a substantially detrimental effect on his or her physical or mental health.
 - (C) Causing a reasonable pupil to experience substantial interference with his or her academic performance.
 - (D) Causing a reasonable pupil to experience substantial interference with his or her ability to participate in or benefit from the services, activities, or privileges provided by a school.
- (2) "Electronic act" means the creation and transmission originated on or off campus by means of an electronic device, including but not limited to a telephone, a wireless telephone or other wireless communication device, computer, or pager, of a message, text, sound, or image, a post of a social network website, posting to or creating a burn page, creating a credible impersonation of another actual pupil...
- (3) "Reasonable pupil" means a pupil, including, but not limited to, an exceptional needs pupil, who exercises average care, skill, and judgment in conduct for a person of his or her age, or for a person of his or her age with his or her exceptional needs.
- (s) A pupil shall not be suspended or expelled for any of the acts enumerated in this section, unless that act is related to school activity or school attendance occurring within a school under the jurisdiction of the superintendent of the school district or principal or occurring within any other school district. A pupil may be suspended or expelled for acts that are enumerated in this section and related to school activity or attendance that occur at any time, including, but not limited to, any of the following:
 - (1) While on school grounds; (2) While going to or coming from school;
 - (3) During the lunch period whether on or off the campus; (4) During, or while going to or coming from, a school-sponsored activity.
- (t) A pupil who aids or abets, as defined in Section 31 of the Penal Code, the infliction or attempted infliction of physical injury to another person may be subject to suspension, but not expulsion, pursuant to this section, except that a pupil who has been adjudged by a juvenile court to have committed, as an aider and abettor, a crime of physical violence in which the victim suffered great bodily injury or serious bodily injury shall be subject to discipline pursuant to subdivision (a).
- (u) As used in this section, "school property" includes, but is not limited to, electronic files and databases.
- (v) A superintendent of the school district or principal may use his or her discretion to provide alternatives to suspension or expulsion, including, but not limited to, counseling and an anger management program, for a pupil subject to discipline under this section.
- (w) It is the intent of the Legislature that alternatives to suspension or expulsion be imposed against a pupil who is truant, tardy, or otherwise absent from school activities.
- 48900.2 In addition to the reasons specified in Section 48900, a pupil may be suspended from school or recommended for expulsion if the superintendent or the principal of the school in which the pupil is enrolled determines that the pupil has committed sexual harassment as defined in Section 212.5.For the purposes of this chapter, the conduct described in Section 212.5 must be considered by a reasonable person of the same gender as the victim to be sufficiently severe or pervasive to have a negative impact

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- upon the individual's academic performance or to create an intimidating, hostile, or offensive educational environment. This section shall not apply to pupils enrolled in kindergarten and grades 1 to 3, inclusive.
- 48900.3 In addition to the reasons set forth in Sections 48900 and 48900.2, a pupil in any of grades 4 to 12, inclusive, may be suspended from school or recommended for expulsion if the superintendent or the principal of the school in which the pupil is enrolled determines that the pupil has caused, attempted to cause, threatened to cause, or participated in an act of, hate violence, as defined in subdivision (e) of Section 233.
- 48900.4 In addition to the grounds specified in Sections 48900 and 48900.2, a pupil enrolled in any of grades 4 to 12, inclusive, may be suspended from school or recommended for expulsion if the superintendent or the principal of the school in which the pupil is enrolled determines that the pupil has intentionally engaged in harassment, threats, or intimidation, directed against school district personnel or pupils, that is sufficiently severe or pervasive to have the actual and reasonably expected effect of materially disrupting classwork, creating substantial disorder, and invading the rights of either school personnel or pupils by creating an intimidating or hostile educational environment.
- 48900.7 (a) In addition to the reasons specified in Sections 48900, 48900.2, 48900.3, and 48900.4, a pupil may be suspended from school or recommended for expulsion if the superintendent or the principal of the school in which the pupil is enrolled determines that the pupil has made terroristic threats against school officials or school property, or both.
 - (b) For the purposes of this section, "terroristic threat" shall include any statement, whether written or oral, by a person who willfully threatens to commit a crime which will result in death, great bodily injury to another person, or property damage in excess of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), with the specific intent that the statement is to be taken as a threat, even if there is no intent of actually carrying it out, which, on its face and under the circumstances in which it is made, is so unequivocal, unconditional, immediate, and specific as to convey to the person threatened, a gravity of purpose and an immediate prospect of execution of the threat, and thereby causes that person reasonably to be in sustained fear for his or her own safety or for his or her immediate family's safety, or for the protection of school district property, or the personal property of the person threatened or his or her immediate family.

If a teacher suspends a student, the child's parent may be required to attend a portion of the school day in his/her child's classes. Employers may not discriminate against parents who are required to comply with this requirement.

MANDATORY SUSPENSION/EXPULSION Students who commit acts listed in EC§48915 shall be recommended for expulsion.



OPPORTUNITIES FOR PARENT INVOLVEMENT

Parents of enrolled students are encouraged to be active in the educational process on behalf of their children.

PARENT INPUT [20 USC 6312, 20 USC 6318, 20 USC 6316§1116] The District welcomes and encourages parents/guardians to assist in the development, activities, and procedures of Title I programs (Board Policy 6171). Parents are invited to participate in the joint development of the district's Title I plan and the process of school review and improvement. Coordination, technical assistance, and other support necessary to assist participating schools in planning and implementing effective parent involvement activities to improve student academic achievement and school performance will be provided. In conjunction with parents, the Superintendent/designee provides opportunities for strong parent involvement; Involves parents/guardians in the activities of schools; Coordinates and integrates Title I parent involvement, annually evaluates the content and effectiveness of the parent involvement policy in improving the academic quality of the schools served by Title I, including:

- a. Identifies obstacles to greater participation by parents/guardians in parent involvement activities, with particular attention to parents/guardians who are economically disadvantaged, are disabled, have limited English proficiency, have limited literacy, or are of any racial or ethnic minority background.
- b. Uses evaluation findings to design strategies for more effective parent involvement.
- c. Revises the district and school parent involvement policies, if necessary. Our Board Policy and Administrative Regulation #6171 Title I Programs is available at the district's website, www.eesd.net, at your school office, or at the district office.

POLICY DEVELOPMENT Parents are encouraged to work in a mutually supportive and respectful partnership with the school to help their child succeed. The governing board has adopted jointly created board policies that outline how parents, school staff, and students share the responsibility for intellectual, physical, emotional, as well as social development, and the well-being of the students. All current Enterprise Elementary School District board policies are available on-line at www.eesd.net or at the district office during regular business hours.

COUNCILS AND COMMITTEES [EC§54444] Parents are encouraged to participate in parent advisory committees, school-site council, booster clubs, and site-based leadership teams in accordance with established rules and regulations for membership.

VOLUNTEERING Parents have the right to and are encouraged to volunteer time and/or resources in order to improve school facilities or programs. Please contact the school for more information or to arrange to volunteer.

CLASSROOM VISITS Parents may visit the classroom in which their child is enrolled or in order to select a school to enroll their child. The date and time for the visitation must be pre-arranged by contacting the school office.

TEACHER CONFERENCES Parents may request a conference with their child's teacher(s) or the principal by contacting the school to schedule a date and time convenient to all participants.



SCHOOL RECORDS AND STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT

PUPIL RECORDS [EC§§49063, 49073, 34 CFR 99.30, 34 CFR 99.34, FERPA, 20 USC §1232(g)] Federal and state laws concerning student records grant certain rights of privacy and right of access to students and to their parents. Parents have full access to all personally identifiable written records maintained by the school district, and may review records by making a request to the principal. The principal will provide explanation and interpretations if requested. Information that is alleged to be inaccurate or inappropriate may be removed upon request. In addition, parents may receive a copy of any information in the records at reasonable cost per page within 5 business days of the request. District policies and procedures relating to: location of, and types of, records; kinds of information retained; persons responsible for records; directory information; access by other persons; review; and challenge of records are available through the principal at each school. When a student moves to a new district, records will be forwarded upon the request of the new school district. At the time of transfer, the parent or eligible student may review, receive a copy (at a reasonable fee), and/or challenge the records. If you believe the district is not in compliance with federal regulations regarding privacy, you may file a complaint with the United States Department of Education.

RELEASE OF PUPIL DIRECTORY INFORMATION [EC§49073, 20 USC§1232] The district makes student directory information available in accordance with state and federal laws. This means that each student's name, birthdate, address, telephone number, email address, major course of study, participation in officially recognized school activities, dates of attendance degrees and awards received, and most recent previous public or private school attendance may be released in accordance with board policy. Height and weight of athletes may be made available. Appropriate directory information may be provided to any agency or person except private, profit-making organizations (other than employers, potential employers, or the news media). You have the right to inspect a survey or other instrument to be administered or distributed to your child that either collects personal information for marketing or sale or requests information about beliefs and practices and any instructional material to be used as part of your child's educational curriculum. Please contact your child's school if you wish to inspect such a survey or other instrument. Upon written request from the parent of a student age 17 or younger, the district will withhold directory information about the student. Requests must be submitted within 30 calendar days of the receipt of this notification. Written consent of the parent must be obtained before directory information pertaining to a homeless student may be released.

RELEASE OF STUDENT RECORDS/COMPLIANCE WITH SUBPOENA OR COURT ORDER [EC§§49076, 49077] Districts are required to make a reasonable effort to notify parents in advance of disclosing student information pursuant to a subpoena or court order.

RELEASE OF STUDENT RECORDS TO SCHOOL OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES OF THE DISTRICT [EC§§49076, 49064] Districts may release educational records, without obtaining prior written parental consent, to any school official or employee, which would include accountants, consultants, contractors, or other service providers, who have a legitimate educational interest in the educational record.

INFORMATION REGARDING INDIVIDUAL STUDENT REPORTS ON STATEWIDE ASSESSMENTS Upon request, parents have a right to information on the level of achievement of their student on every State academic assessment administered to the student.



TRANSPORTATION AND SCHOOL BUS SAFETY

BUS TRANSPORTATION While transportation to/from sports or other after school activities is the responsibility of the parent, the district provides bus transportation to and from school for eligible students. Eligibility is based on Board Policy as follows: Students in grades K-3 must reside more than 3/4 mile from school; 4th-6th grade students must reside more than 1 mile from school; and students in grades 7-8 must reside more than 1.5 miles from school in order to be eligible.

A list of bus stops is available for review at each school site. Our stops are approved for safe boarding and drop off for our students. When arriving at the bus stop, park on the same side of the street as the bus stop location, eliminating the danger to children crossing the street. Make sure students are at the bus stop at least 5 minutes before scheduled pickup times. Transporting kindergarten students requires special attention and care, so we take precautions to help ensure safe arrival and drop off. If no parent is at the bus stop at the drop off time, your kindergarten student will be returned to the school. Please accompany young children to the bus stop and meet them upon their return. Children who walk to the bus stop are to use sidewalks or the shoulder of the road. Do not allow your children to play/damage other people's property. Children are to wait for the bus in a safe place, well off the roadway, in a single file line, until the bus is stopped and the bus driver has opened the door. Children are to enter the bus in an orderly manner, no pushing or shoving, quickly find a seat, and remain seated while the bus is in motion. Students should be reminded to check-in at home after they exit the school bus.

The primary responsibility of the driver is to operate the bus in a safe manner, so each student must assume responsibility for his/her conduct while on the bus. Parents are liable for all misbehavior of their children at the neighborhood bus stop. Students at the bus stop or on the bus are subject to the discipline policies of the school for their behavior.

PLEASE REVIEW THESE BUS RULES WITH YOUR CHILD.

- 1. Pupils must be seated, may not change seats while riding a bus, and must appropriately wear a seatbelt if the bus is so equipped.
- 2. Fighting, pushing, throwing objects, or other unruly conduct will not be allowed.
- 3. All parts of the body are to be kept inside the bus.
- 4. Pets, glass, or other dangerous objects, which in the judgment of the bus driver pose a danger, may not be transported on the bus.
- 5. No eating or drinking on the bus is allowed during daily runs between home and school.
- 6. No loud or distracting radios or other electronic devices will be allowed on the bus.
- 7. All student projects, crafts, and other personal property ("show and tell" objects, toys, etc.) shall be safely secured in backpacks, and shall not be played with during transportation.
- 8. Students who do not normally ride the bus will not be permitted to ride, even with parent/guardian request, unless there is sufficient seating capacity for the regular riders.
- 9. Students will not be allowed to get off the bus at a stop other than their own without a written request from his/her parent/ guardian. Neither bus drivers nor parents may alter the designated school bus stops. ALL written requests must be submitted to the school office who will then convey the information to the Transportation Department. Drivers will not accept requests.

Most students are courteous and thoughtful bus riders. The following procedures will be instituted for inappropriate behavior:

VERBAL WARNING: The bus driver will inform the student that this is an official warning.

1ST BUS CONDUCT REPORT: Initial warning of improper behavior. Student may be denied bus privileges.

2ND BUS CONDUCT REPORT: Student will be denied bus privileges for a minimum of one school day.

3RD BUS CONDUCT REPORT: Student will be denied bus privileges for a minimum of five school days and a conference with the parent/s/guardian/s, student, principal or designee, and transportation staff member is required.

 4^{TH} BUS CONDUCT REPORT: Student will be denied bus privileges for a minimum of ten school days, up to a maximum of the remainder of the school year.

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COMPLAINTS AND DUE PROCESS PROTECTIONS

[EC§§200, 220, 234, 260 *et seq.*, 56501; PC 422.55; Title IX; 20 USC 1681-1688, 42 USC 20000d-20000d7; 34 CFR 106.9, Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1974, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973; Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA); GC 1135; 5 CCR 4610, 4622] The District is committed to equal opportunity for all individuals in education and employment and does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, ancestry, national origin, nationality, ethnicity, ethnic group identification, ethnic background, age, religion (including all aspects of religious belief, observance, and practice, and includes agnosticism and atheism), marital or parental or family status, physical or mental disability, sex, sexual orientation (includes heterosexuality, homosexuality, and bisexuality), gender, gender identity or expression, gender-related appearance and behavior whether or not stereotypically associated with the person's assigned sex at birth, or genetic information. Discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and bullying based on these actual or perceived characteristics or because a person associates with a person or group with one or more of these actual or perceived characteristics is prohibited. The district is primarily responsible for complying with state and federal laws and regulations and has procedures in place to address allegations of unlawful discrimination and complaints alleging violation of laws governing educational programs. Employees, students, parents or guardians, advisory committees, and other interested parties may file a complaint if they so desire. Privacy and confidentiality are respected in all complaint investigations. The District's Title IX Coordinator is the Assistant Superintendent of Instructional Services.

DISTRICT'S UNIFORM COMPLAINT PROCESS [5 CCR§4622] The District is primarily responsible for compliance with federal and state laws and regulations. Complaints alleging discrimination must be filed within six months of the occurrence or when facts became known. Complaints regarding a special needs student must be filed within 12 months of the occurrence. The Uniform Complaint Procedure can be used in cases of (1) discrimination on the basis of age, sex, sexual orientation, gender, ethnic group identification, race, ancestry, national origin, religion, color, or mental or physical disability; (2) violations of the laws and regulations governing consolidated categorical aid programs, Migrant Education, Child Development, Special Education, Nutrition services, school safety planning, and Local Control Accountability Plans; (3) the imposition of pupil fees for participation in educational activities; (4) noncompliance with laws pertaining to homeless students and students in foster care; and (5) failure to comply with physical education instructional minute requirements. Every school office as well as the District Office can provide you with a free copy of the district's uniform complaint procedures. The Board designates the Superintendent to receive and investigate complaints and ensure district compliance with the law. Complaints should be submitted in writing to: Superintendent, Enterprise Elementary School District, 1155 Mistletoe Lane, Redding, California 96002, Telephone: (530) 224-4100. The Superintendent or designee shall be considered the representative of the District responsible to receive and coordinate responses to complaints and related correspondence regarding this policy. If you are unable to put a complaint in writing, District staff will assist you in the filing of your complaint. Within 3 days of receiving a complaint, the Superintendent or designee will acknowledge receipt and discuss with you the possibility of mediation. Each complaint will be investigated by the appropriate site or District Office. An opportunity will be provided for complainants and/or representatives to present relevant information. The investigation may include an opportunity for the people involved to meet and discuss the dispute. Documents that may provide information relevant to the alleged violation may be reviewed. The District's decision will be rendered in a written report which will be sent to the complainant within 60 calendar days of receipt of the complaint, unless the complainant, in writing, agrees to an extension of the timelines. The report will contain: Findings and disposition of the complaint; Corrective actions, if any; Rationale for the findings, along with any supporting documentation. In addition, a complainant may appeal the District's decision to the California Department of Education by filing a written appeal with the State Superintendent within fifteen days after receiving the District decision. Extensions for filing appeals may be granted in writing for good cause. The appeal must 1) Specify the reason(s) for appealing the decision; and 2) Include a copy of the original

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complaint and a copy of the District's decision. In a discrimination complaint, you have the right to seek civil law remedies no sooner than sixty days elapsed since filing an appeal with CDE. The moratorium does not apply to injunctive relief. A complainant may pursue civil law remedies that may be available under state or federal discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and bullying laws.

LOCAL CONTROL ACCOUNTABILITY PLAN (LCAP) NONCOMPLIANCE [EC§52075] School districts, charter schools and county offices of education are required to adopt and annually update their LCAPs. LCAP non-compliance complaints may be filed under the Uniform Complaint Procedures and may be filed anonymously. If a complainant is not satisfied with the district's decision, the complainant may appeal to the California Department of Education and receive a written decision within 60 days.

UNIFORM COMPLAINTS - RIGHTS OF HOMELESS STUDENTS AND STUDENTS IN FOSTER CARE [EC §§48853, 49069.5, 51225.1, 51225.2]

The district's uniform complaint procedures cover complaints pertaining to the education of homeless students and students in foster care, including, but not limited to failure to:

a) Allow a foster child to remain in his/her school of origin while resolution of a school placement dispute is pending;

b) Place a foster child in the least restrictive educational programs and provide access to academic resources and services, and extracurricular and enrichment activities available to all students and make educational and school placement decisions based on the best interests of the child;

c) Provide educational services for foster children living in emergency shelters;

d) Designate a staff person as the educational liaison for foster children. The educational liaison must ensure and facilitate the proper educational placement, enrollment in school, and checkout from school of foster children, and assist foster children when transferring from one school or district to another by ensuring the proper transfer of credits, records and grades;

e) Compile and transfer the complete educational record, including full or partial credits earned and the current classes and grades, of a transferring foster child to the next educational placement;

f) Ensure the proper and timely transfer between schools of students in foster care;

g) Within two business days of receipt of a transfer request or notification of enrollment from the new local educational agency, transfer the student and deliver the student's complete educational information and records to the next educational placement;

h) Ensure that no lowering of grades will occur as a result of a foster student's absence due to a change in placement by a court or placing agency, or due to a verified court appearance or related court activity;

i) Within 30 days of a foster and homeless student's transfer, after the completion of the second year of high school, the student must be notified that they may be exempt from local graduation requirements and that this exemption continues after the court's jurisdiction over a foster child ends or when a homeless student is no longer homeless;

j) Accept coursework satisfactorily completed by a homeless student or student in foster care while attending another public school, a juvenile court school, or a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency, even if the student did not complete the entire course; and for failing to issue full or partial credit for the coursework completed;

k) School districts may not require that a homeless student or a student in foster care retake a course if the student has satisfactorily completed the entire course in a public school, a juvenile court school, or a nonpublic, nonsectarian school or agency. If the student did not complete the entire course, the school district may not require that the student retake the portion already completed, unless the school district, in consultation with the holder of the student's educational rights, finds that the student is reasonably able to complete the requirements in time to graduate from high school. When partial credit is awarded in a particular course, the student must be enrolled in the same or equivalent course in order to continue and complete the entire course;

l) A student in foster care or a homeless student may not be prevented from retaking or taking a course to meet the eligibility requirements for admission to the California State University or the University of California;

m) Exempt a homeless student or student in foster care transferring between schools at any time after the completion of his/her second year of high school from all coursework and other requirements adopted by the district's governing board that are in addition to the statewide coursework requirements for graduation found in EC§51225.3, unless the district makes a finding that the student is reasonably able to complete the district's graduation requirements in time to graduate from high school by the end of the student's fourth year of high school;

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n) If the school district determines that a student in foster care or a homeless student is reasonably able to complete the district's graduation requirements within the student's fifth year of high school, the district must do all of the following: (a) inform the student of his/her option to remain in school for a fifth year to complete the school district's graduation requirements; (b) inform the student, and the person holding the right to make educational decisions for the student's ability to gain admission to a postsecondary educational institution; (c) provide information to the student about transfer opportunities available through the California Community Colleges; (d) upon agreement with an adult student or upon agreement with the person holding the right to make educations for a student under 18 years of age, permit the student to stay in school for a fifth year to complete

the school district's graduation requirements;

o) Within 30 calendar days of the school transfer, the school district must notify a student in foster care or a homeless student who may qualify for the exemption from local graduation requirements, the person holding the right to make educational decisions for the student, the foster student's social worker or probation officer, and, in the case of homeless students, the school district's liaison for homeless students, of the availability of the exemption from local graduation requirements and whether the student qualifies for the exemption;

p) If a student in foster care or a homeless student is exempted from local graduation requirements and completes the statewide graduation coursework requirements in EC§51225.3 before the end of his/her fourth year of high school and that student would otherwise be entitled to remain in attendance at the school, the school district may not require or request that the student graduate before the end of his/her fourth year of high school;

q) If a student in foster care or a homeless student is exempted from local graduation requirements, the school district must notify the student and the person holding the right to make educational decisions for the student of how any of the requirements that are waived will affect the student's ability to gain admission to a postsecondary educational institution and must provide information about transfer opportunities available through the California Community Colleges;

r) A student in foster care or a homeless student who is eligible for the exemption from local graduation requirements and who would otherwise be entitled to remain at the school, shall not be required to accept the exemption or be denied enrollment in, or the ability to complete, courses necessary to attend an institution of higher education, regardless of whether those courses are required for statewide graduation requirements;

s) If a student in foster care or a homeless student is not exempted from local graduation requirements or has previously declined the exemption, the school district must exempt the student at any time if he/she requests and qualifies for the exemption;

t) Once a student in foster care or a homeless student is exempted from local graduation requirements, the school district shall not revoke the exemption;

u) If a student in foster care is exempted from local graduation requirements, the exemption must continue to apply after the termination of the court's jurisdiction over the student while he/she is enrolled in school or if the student transfers to another school or school district;

v) If a homeless student is exempted from local graduation requirements, the exemption must continue to apply after the student is no longer homeless while he/she is enrolled in school or if the student transfers to another school or school district; and

w) A school district may not require or request that a student in foster care or a homeless student transfer schools in order to be exempted from local graduation requirements.

A complainant not satisfied with the applicable school district or county office decision may appeal to the CDE and receive a written decision from the CDE within 60 days.

UNIFORM COMPLAINTS – ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PHYSICAL EDUCATION INSTRUCTIONAL MINUTES [EC§§51210, 51223] Students in an elementary school maintaining grades 1-8 are required to receive a minimum of 200 minutes of physical education instruction each 10 school days, exclusive of recesses and lunch periods. Complaints regarding the failure to comply with these physical education instructional minute requirements may be filed under the Uniform Complaint Procedures. Complainants not satisfied with the district's decision may appeal to the California Department of Education (CDE) and receive a written decision from the CDE within 60 days.

COMPLAINTS AND DUE PROCESS

WILLIAMS COMPLAINT PROCEDURE [EC\$§35186, 37254, 48985, 52378] Deficiencies regarding instructional materials, facility cleanliness and safety, emergency or urgent facility conditions that pose a health or safety threat to students or staff, and teacher vacancies or misassignments, fall under the Williams Act. Parents should use the aforementioned Uniform Complaint Procedure, with the following modifications, to file a complaint. Forms are available, free of charge, at the school office, but you need not use the form to make a complaint. Forms should be turned into the principal or designee who will make every reasonable attempt to investigate. Complaints beyond the site authority will be forwarded to the district within 10 days. Complaints may be filed anonymously. If the complainant identifies him/herself, a response may be requested and will be sent to the mailing address on complaint. If the district is required to provide material in a foreign language, based on California Department of Education census data, and if requested, the response and report will be written in English and the language in which the complaint was filed. The form has a checkbox to request a response and indicates where to file the form. It should take no longer than 30 days to remedy a valid complaint. Within 45 days of filing a complaint, notice should be sent to complainant when a response was requested. A principal will also inform the Superintendent of resolution in the same timeframe. If you are not satisfied with the resolution, you may describe the complaint to the Governing Board at a regularly scheduled meeting. Quarterly, the district reports the number of resolved and unresolved complaints and summarizes data regarding complaints and resolutions to the county superintendent and the local Governing Board in public session making it part of the public records.



MISCELLANEOUS

MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR ASBESTOS-CONTAINING MATERIAL The district has a plan for eliminating health risks that are created by the presence of asbestos in school buildings. It may be reviewed at the district office.

PESTICIDE USE Only fully certified pesticides can be used on school grounds. Pesticides used at our schools may include the following (active ingredient follows in parenthesis): Masterline (*bifinthrin*), Permethrin (*permethrin*), Roundup®, and Termidor (*fipronil*). To receive notification of pesticide applications at a particular school or facility, provide a written request to the school office.

PHOTOGRAPHS Photographs of students may be published, together with their names, except when their parent/guardian has notified the Office of the Superintendent, in writing, to not release the student's photograph. Such requests must be renewed annually within 20 days of enrollment. Photographs of groups of students, such as at a school event, *ie.*, pep rallies, school wide activities, etc., may be published provided that students' names are not included for those whose parents/guardians have presented the aforementioned request to the Office of the Superintendent.

STUDENT WORK DISPLAYED ON WEBSITE Student work (their artwork, etc.) may be published on district or school web sites unless the parent submits a letter in writing to the Office of the Superintendent requesting otherwise. Such requests must be renewed annually, within 20 days of enrollment.

FINGERPRINTING PROGRAM [EC§32390] Districts are authorized to offer fingerprinting programs for children enrolled in kindergarten or newly enrolled in the district. This district has not adopted such a program.

DISSECTION OF ANIMALS [EC§32255] If a pupil chooses to refrain from participation in an education project involving the harmful or destructive use of animals, and if the teacher believes that an adequate alternative education project is possible, then the teacher may work with the pupil to develop and agree upon an alternate education project for the purpose of providing the pupil an avenue for obtaining the knowledge, information, or experience required by the course of study in question. The alternative project shall require a comparable time and effort investment by the pupil. It shall not, as a means of penalizing the pupil, be more arduous than the original education project, nor shall the pupil be discriminated against based upon his/her decision to refrain from participation.

TESTS/SURVEYS ON PERSONAL BELIEFS [EC§§51513, 60614, 60615; PPRA, 20 USC; NCLB] Unless you and your children over 18 give written permission, your child will not be given any test, questionnaire, survey, examination, or marketing material containing questions about your child's, or his/her parents' or guardians' personal beliefs or practices in politics, mental health, anti-social, illegal, self-incriminating, or demeaning behavior, critical appraisals of others close to the family, about legally confidential relationships such as ministers or doctors, income (unless to determine eligibility in a program or for receiving assistance), sex, family life, morality, or religion. Parents may also opt out of their child supplying information to be used for marketing. Parents have the right to review any survey or educational materials related to the survey on any of the above items. The district has developed policies relating to the surveys and personal information.

STUDENTS MAY NOT LEAVE SCHOOL SITE All schools within the Enterprise Elementary School District have a closed campus policy, and therefore, students may not leave campus at any time during the school day.

SCHOOL ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT CARD [EC§§33126, 32286, 35256, 35258, 52056] The School Accountability Report Card, published annually on or before February 1, contains information about the district and schools, its programs, and its progress toward stated goals. It is available on each school's website, and a copy will be provided to you upon request.



The Enterprise Elementary School District Family of Schools



ALTA MESA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (K-5)

2301 Saturn Skyway, Redding, 96002 530-224-4130 • 530-224-4131 (Fax) Preschool 530-224-4139 ACE 530-224-4225 Darin Pust, Principal Susan Grabeal, School Secretary Rachel Hild, Student Services Clerk Joan Fackrell, Health Clerk



MISTLETOE SCHOOL (K-8)

1225 Mistletoe Lane, Redding, 96002 530-224-4160 • 530-224-4161 (Fax) Preschool 530-224-3232 ACE 530-224-4169 Heather Armelino, Principal Elise Towers, Assistant Principal Susan Barton, School Secretary Tracy Hart, Student Services Clerk Debbie Fisher, Health Clerk



3200 Adams Lane, Redding, 96002 530-224-4240 • 530-224-4230 (Fax) Chuck Seligman, Principal Tamara Adcock, Secretary/Student Services Clerk



BOULDER CREEK SCHOOL (K-8)

505 Springer Drive, Redding, 96003 530-224-4140 • 530-224-4141 (Fax) Preschool 530-224-4148 • YMCA 530-224-0952 Tina Croes, Principal Ryan Miller, Assistant Principal Nancy Walker, Assistant Principal Deanna Barnes, School Secretary Erin Silva, Student Services Clerk Andrea Wilson, Health Clerk



PACE ACADEMY (K-8)

3200 Adams Lane, Redding, 96002 530-224-4236 • 530-224-4238 (Fax) Terryl Hayes, Principal Pam Hamar, School Secretary



795 Hartnell Avenue, Redding, 96002 530-224-4170 • 530-224-4171 (Fax) Preschool 530-224-4178 ACE 530-224-4179 Robert Shaw, Principal Lora Thomas, School Secretary Jessica Millimaki, Student Services Clerk Beth Burdett, Health Clerk



LASSEN VIEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL (K-5)

705 Loma Vista Drive, Redding, 96002 530-224-4150 • 530-224-4151 (Fax) Preschool 530-224-4477 ACE 530-224-4159 Caryn Emerson, Principal JoNeal Hansen, School Secretary Shada Carlson, Student Services Clerk TBD, Health Clerk



PARSONS JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL (6-8)

750 Hartnell Avenue, Redding, 96002 530-224-4190 • 530-224-4191 (Fax) ACE 530-224-4222 Tony Moebes, Principal Elise Towers, Assistant Principal Brandie Stone, Assistant Principal Izetta McKenzie, School Secretary Terri Welch, Student Services Clerk Chrissy Sullivan, Health Clerk



2825 Yana Avenue, Redding, 96002 530-224-4180 • 530-224-4181 (Fax) Preschool 530-224-4189 ACE 530-224-4184 Scotti Gleason, Principal Kaitlin Huegel, School Secretary Laura Gamsby, Student Services Clerk Alison Graham, Health Clerk



Enroll. Get Care. Renew. Health Coverage All Year Long

Health Coverage Options

Medi-Cal:

- Children, foster youth, pregnant women, adults, US citizens, and immigrants—including those with DACA status—may be eligible for no- or low-cost Medi-Cal.
- Medi-Cal covers immunizations, checkups, specialists, vision and dental services, and more for children and youth at no- or low-cost.
- Medi-Cal enrollment is available year round.
- Covered California is where legal residents of California can compare quality health plans and choose the one that works best for them.

Covered California:

- Based on income and family size, many Californians may qualify for financial assistance.
- Enroll during Open Enrollment or any time you experience a life-changing event, like losing your job or having a baby. You have 60 days from the event to complete enrollment.

Undocumented Families visit: www.allinforhealth.org/undocumented Immigration status information is kept private, protected, and secure. It will not be used by any immigration agency to enforce immigration laws, but only to determine eligibility for health programs.

Household Size	If 2016 household income is less than		If 2016 household income is between	
1	\$16,395	\$31,601	\$16,395-\$47,080	
2	\$22,108	\$42,614	\$22,108-\$63,720	
3	\$27,821	\$53,626	\$27,821-\$80,360	
4	\$33,534	\$64,638	\$33,534-\$97,000	
5	\$39,248	\$75,651	\$39,248-\$113,640	
6	\$44,961	\$86,663	\$44,961-\$130,280	
	Adults may be eligible for Medi-Cal	Children may be eligible for Medi-Cal	May be eligible for financial help to purchase insurance through Covered Californi	

Income-eligible undocumented children will qualify for Medi-Cal in May 2016.

You and your family may qualify for financial helps

For more information go to: www.allinforhealth.org





Enroll.

Three ways to enroll in Medi-Cal and Covered California:



Find in-person help: www.coveredca.com /get-help/local/

Get Care.

- Find a primary care doctor in your network.
- Schedule an annual checkup for you and your family.
- Make sure to take your child to the dentist.
- Pay your monthly premium if your plan requires it.

Renew.

- Medi-Cal must be renewed every year. If you receive a renewal notice, complete and return. You can also renew online or by phone. For help, contact your local Medi-Cal office.
- Health plans through Covered California must be renewed every year. Renewal information will be mailed at the end of the year, or contact Covered California at 1 (800) 300-1506.

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