

Riverside County Office of Education
Board Policy 6175 Migrant Education Program

INSTRUCTION

SUBJECT: Migrant Education Program

The County Board of Education and County Superintendent of Schools desire to provide a comprehensive education program for migrant students that attempt to mitigate the impact of disruptions on their education and provides them the opportunity to meet the County Office of Education's academic standards. The County Office of Education shall make use of available funds to provide supplementary services for migrant students.

(cf. 0410.3 - Nondiscrimination in District Programs and Activities)

(cf. 5147 - Dropout Prevention)

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

(cf. 6171 - Title I Programs)

(cf. 6174 - Education for English Language Learners)

The County Superintendent or designee shall plan for late enrollments of migrant students and shall ensure that all migrant students are correctly identified and placed at the appropriate grade level. He/she shall acquire records from students' previous school districts, as appropriate, and shall consult these records when identifying students' comprehensive needs and preparing their individual learning plans.

In the event it is necessary to limit program services, the County Office of Education shall give first priority for services to migrant students who have made a qualifying move within the previous one-year period and who are failing, or are most at risk of failing, to meet state academic standards or have dropped out of school. (20 USC 6394)

(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)

The County Office of Education shall provide services to eligible private school students residing within the area served by the County Office of Education on an equitable basis with participating public school students. (20 USC 7881; 34 CFR 200.87)

When a migrant student transfers to another county office of education/district, his/her records shall be provided to the receiving district upon request at no cost in order to assist the district in meeting the needs of the student. (20 USC 6398)

(cf. 5125 - Student Records)

The County Superintendent or designee shall convene a County Office of Education parent/guardian advisory council to actively involve parents/guardians in planning, operating and evaluating the migrant education program. (Education Code 54444.2)

The County Superintendent or designee shall coordinate the County Office of Education's migrant program services with other public agencies that serve migrant workers and their families.

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(cf. 1400 - Relations between Other Governmental Agencies and the Schools)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

54440-54445 Migrant education program

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

6391-6399 Migrant education program

7881 Services for private school students

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34

200.81-200.88 Migrant education program

Management Resources:

WEB SITES

CDE, Migrant Education Office: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/iasa/migrant.html>

USDOE, Office of Migrant Education: <http://www.ed.gov/offices/OESE/MEP>