

## **Professional Development Program**

The Governing Board encourages professional development activities to be tied directly to school improvement objectives at each school as part of a comprehensive school development plan which recognizes the tremendous diversity in Fresno.

(cf. 0420.2 - School Improvement Program)

(cf. 4131 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4131.5 - Professional Growth)

(cf. 4231 - Staff Development)

(cf. 4331 - Staff Development)

The Superintendent or designee shall provide school with information about the resources which may help them to design and carry out comprehensive school site plans that are consistent with Board-established criteria. Such plans shall be developed by school-site committees and approved by the Board in accordance with law and administrative regulation.

(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)

A committee at each participating school shall design a professional development program which supports the school's improvement objectives and provides opportunities for all school staff to strengthen their subject matter knowledge, instructional practices and support services.

Legal Reference:

### EDUCATION CODE

44277 Requirements for maintenance of valid teaching credential

44670.1-44671.5 Local staff development programs

52850-52904 School plans

54720-54734 School-Based Pupil Motivation and Maintenance Program

Management Resources:

### CDE PROGRAM ADVISORIES

06271.09 School-Based Program Coordination Act

09211.09 Implementing Class Size Reduction Under the Morgan-Hart Class Size Reduction Act of 1989

0430.09 Using School Improvement Program Resources and SB 1882 Funding to Promote School Change

10271.89 California Professional Development Program

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