

**Absences and Excuses**

**RESOLUTION APPROVING STUDENT ABSENCE  
VERIFICATION METHODS**

WHEREAS, the Governing Board believes that regular attendance plays an important role in student achievement; and

WHEREAS, student absence due to illness or quarantine shall be excused pursuant to California Education Code §48205; and

WHEREAS, student absence due to illness or quarantine may be excused via medical documentation, physical examination or parental verification; and

WHEREAS, a regulation adopted by the California Department of Education, 5 CCR 421, provides that verification methods of absences due to illness or quarantine must be approved by the Governing Board entered into its minutes; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno Unified School District Governing Board adopts the following list of Designated Employees verify student absence due to illness or quarantine using reasonable methods of verification as described above:

- SCHOOL OR PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE
- PHYSICIAN
- PRINCIPAL/VICE PRINCIPAL
- CHILD WELFARE AND ATTENDANCE SPECIALIST
- ATTENDANCE CLERK/OFFICE MANAGER/OFFICE ASSISTANT

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ at a meeting, by the following vote:

AYES: \_\_\_\_\_ NOES: \_\_\_\_\_ ABSENT: \_\_\_\_\_

Attest:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary/President