

WEEKEND/SATURDAY CLASSES

The Governing Board desires to increase educational opportunities outside the regular school week in order to meet student needs and promote academic achievement. When staffing, facilities, and other resources are available, the Board may approve the provision of classes on Saturday and/or Sunday that support and are integrated with other learning opportunities.

(cf. 4113 - Assignment)
(cf. 5148.2 - Before/After School Programs)
(cf. 6111 - School Calendar)

Weekend classes may include, but are not limited to makeup classes for absences occurring during the week (Education Code 37223)

Attendance at weekend classes offered pursuant to Education Code 37223 shall be voluntary, except that truants, as defined in Education Code 48260, may be required to attend classes on one day of a weekend in order to make up lost instructional time. (Education Code 37223)

A teacher shall not be assigned to work on a Saturday or Sunday if he/she objects in writing that the assignment would conflict with his/her religious beliefs or practices. In addition, a full-time teacher employed by the district prior to the implementation of weekend classes shall not be required, without his/her consent, to teach for more than 180 full days during a school year or for more than the number of full days that district schools were maintained during the year preceding implementation of weekend classes, whichever is greater. (Education Code 44824)

Legal Reference:

- EDUCATION CODE
- 37223 Weekend classes*
- 37252-37253 Supplemental instruction*
- 41505-41508 Pupil Retention Block Grant*
- 41601 Reports of average daily attendance*
- 44824 Weekend classes, assignment of certificated employees*
- 48070-48070.5 Promotion and retention, supplemental instruction*
- 48205 Excused absence for personal reasons*
- 48260 Truants, definition*
- 49550 Meals for needy students*
- 52060-52077 Local control and accountability plan*

Management Resources:

- CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION PUBLICATIONS
- Requesting a Summer School Meal Waiver and/or a Saturday School Meal Waiver, Nutrition Services Division Management Bulletin NSD-SNP-03-2013, February 2013*
- WEB SITES
- California Department of Education: <http://www.cde.ca.gov>*