

HIGH SCHOOL EXIT EXAMINATION

The Mendocino County Board of Education desires to ensure that Mendocino County Office of Education (MCOE) students who graduate from high school can demonstrate grade-level competency in reading, writing and mathematics and are given the opportunity to learn the subjects covered in the high school exit examination.

The County Superintendent or designee shall ensure that MCOE programs and services, including but not limited to instructional materials, staff development and remediation programs, are aligned with the exit exam.

The County Superintendent or designee shall administer the high school exit exam in accordance with law. (Education Code 60850)

Students may be allowed to take the exam with variations, accommodations and modifications in accordance with law and administrative regulation.

Students who do not demonstrate sufficient progress toward passing the exit exam shall be provided supplemental instruction necessary to assist the students to succeed on the exam. (Education Code 60851)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

35146 Closed sessions

37252 Summer school

51041 Evaluation of educational program

56101 Waiver of code or regulation

60810 Assessment of language development

60850-60859 Exit examination

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5

1200-1225 High School Exit Examination

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

1400-1487 Individuals with Disabilities Education Act

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 29

794 Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Section 504

COURT DECISIONS

Smiley v. California Department of Education (2002, Cir.) 45 Fed.Appx. 780

Chapman v. California Department of Education, (2002, Northern. Dist. of CA) 229

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