



## **Chico Unified School District**

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**Board Policy:**

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### **ACCOUNTABILITY**

The Governing Board recognizes its responsibility to ensure accountability to the public for the performance of district schools. The Board shall regularly review the district's programs and fiscal operations, with a focus on the capacity to improve student achievement.

*(cf. 0000 - Vision)*  
*(cf. 0200 - Goals for the School District)*  
*(cf. 0460 - Local Control and Accountability Plan)*  
*(cf. 2140 - Evaluation of the Superintendent)*  
*(cf. 3460 - Financial Accountability and Reports)*  
*(cf. 4115 - Evaluation/Supervision)*  
*(cf. 4215 - Evaluation/Supervision)*  
*(cf. 4315 - Evaluation/Supervision)*  
*(cf. 6011 - Academic Standards)*  
*(cf. 6141 - Curriculum Development and Evaluation)*  
*(cf. 6190 - Evaluation of the Instructional Program)*  
*(cf. 9400 - Board Self-Evaluation)*

District and school performance shall be annually reviewed based on multiple measures specified in the California Accountability and Continuous Improvement System as reported on the California School Dashboard.

*(cf. 6162.5 - Student Assessment)*  
*(cf. 6162.51 - Standardized Testing and Reporting Program)*

The district's alternative schools serving high-risk student populations, including continuation high schools, opportunity schools, community day schools, and nonpublic, nonsectarian schools pursuant to Education Code 56366, shall be subject to an alternative accountability system established by the Superintendent of Public Instruction. (Education Code 52052, 56366)

*(cf. 6159.2 - Nonpublic, Nonsectarian School and Agency Services for Special Education)*  
*(cf. 6184 - Continuation Education)*  
*(cf. 6185 - Community Day School)*

The district and each district school shall demonstrate comparable improvement in academic achievement for all numerically significant student subgroups. Numerically significant subgroups include ethnic subgroups, socioeconomically disadvantaged students, English learners, students with disabilities, and foster youth, and homeless students, when the subgroup consists of at least 30 students with a valid test score or 15 foster youth or homeless students. (Education Code 52052)

Evaluation results may be used as a basis for revising district or school goals, updating the LCAP or other comprehensive plans, identifying and developing strategies to address disparities in achievement among student subgroups, implementing programmatic changes, determining the need for additional support and assistance, awarding incentives or rewards, and establishing other performance-based consequences.

*(cf. 0400 - Comprehensive Plans)*  
*(cf. 0420 - School Plans/Site Councils)*  
*(cf. 4141/4241 - Collective Bargaining Agreement)*

*Legal Reference:*

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### *EDUCATION CODE*

33127-33129 *Standards and criteria for fiscal accountability*  
33400-33407 *California Department of Education evaluation of district programs*  
44660-44665 *Evaluation of certificated employees*  
51041 *Evaluation of the educational program*  
52052-52052.1 *Academic Performance Index*  
52055.57-52055.59 *Districts identified or at risk of identification for program improvement*  
52060-52077 *Local control and accountability plan*  
56366 *Nonpublic, nonsectarian schools*  
60640-60649 *California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress*

### *CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5*

1068-1074 *Alternative schools accountability model, assessments*  
15440-15463 *Standards and criteria for fiscal accountability*

### *UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20*

6311 *Accountability, adequate yearly progress*  
6312 *Local educational agency plan*  
6316 *School and district improvement*

### *CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34*

200.13-200.20 *Adequate yearly progress*  
200.30-200.53 *Program improvement*

### *Management Resources:*

#### *WEB SITES*

CSBA: <http://www.csba.org>  
California Department of Education, Accountability: <http://www.cde.ca.gov/ta/ac>  
California School Dashboard: <http://www.caschooldashboard.org>  
U.S. Department of Education: <http://www.ed.gov>