

BP 5140 Disabled Student Programs and Services Issued: April 19, 2017

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References:

Education Code Sections 67310 and 84850; Title 5 Sections 56000 et seq.

Students with disabilities shall be reasonably accommodated pursuant to federal and state requirements in all applicable programs in the District.

The Disabled Student Programs and Services (DSPS) program administrated by the Special Resource Center (SRC) shall be the primary provider for academic adjustments, auxiliary aids, services, or instruction that facilitate equal educational opportunities for students with disabilities who can benefit from instruction as required by federal and state laws.

SRC services shall be available to students with verified disabilities. The services to be provided include, but are not limited to, reasonable accommodations, academic adjustments, technology accessibility, accessible facilities, equipment, instructional programs, academic, career, and personal counseling.

Participation in the DSPS program is voluntary.

The District shall respond in a timely manner to accommodation requests involving academic adjustments. The President/Chief Executive Officer (CEO) shall establish a procedure to implement this policy which, at a minimum, provides for an individualized review of each such request, and permits interim decisions on such requests pending final resolution by the appropriate administrator or designee.

The President/CEO shall assure that the DSPS program complies to all requirements established by the relevant law and regulations.

Applicable Administrative Regulations:

AR 5140 Disabled Student Programs and Services