Students Policy #5131.9

## ACADEMIC HONESTY

The Governing Board believes that academic honesty and personal integrity are fundamental components of a student's education and character development. The Board expects that students will not cheat, lie, plagiarize or commit other acts of academic dishonesty.

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(cf. <u>5131</u> - Conduct)
(cf. <u>6162.6</u> - Use of Copyrighted Materials)
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Students, parents/guardians, staff and administrators shall be responsible for creating and maintaining a positive school climate that encourages honesty. Students found to have committed an act of academic dishonesty shall be subject to District and school-site discipline rules.

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(cf. <u>5137</u> - Positive School Climate)
(cf. <u>5144</u> - Discipline)
(cf. <u>1220</u> - Citizen Advisory Committee)
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Legal Reference: EDUCATION CODE 35291-35291.5 Rules

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