

BP 1113 District and School Websites

Policy updated to (1) clarify the district's responsibility to make district and school web sites accessible to individuals with disabilities; (2) reflect laws prohibiting web site operators from using web site information to amass a profile about a student, engage in targeted advertising to students, or sell or disclose a student's information, including NEW LAW (AB 2799, 2016) which prohibits such activities for web sites used primarily for preschool and prekindergarten purposes; and (3) clarify options related to posting student photographs on district and school web sites together with their names. Regulation updated to (1) add section on "Design Standards," including standards for web site accessibility to individuals with disabilities; (2) reflect NEW LAW (AB 2257, 2016) which requires posting a prominent, direct link to the current board meeting agenda or to an integrated agenda management platform, effective January 1, 2019; and (3) clarify requirements related to posting copyrighted material.

BP 1114 District-Sponsored Social Media

New policy and regulation address the use of official district-sponsored social media platforms (e.g., Facebook, Twitter, YouTube, LinkedIn, blogs) as tools for communication and collaboration. Policy and regulation also address the open accessibility of social media and the circumstances under which the district may be able to remove posts that are not related to the stated purpose of the site or that are obscene, libelous, or incite students to commit unlawful acts.