

BP 2015 Student Member of the Board of Trustees

Reference: ***Education Code Section 72023.5***

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The Board shall include one non-voting student member. The term of office shall be one year commencing July 1.

The student member shall be a resident of California at the time of nomination, and during the term of service, and shall be enrolled in and maintain a minimum of five (5) semester units in the District at the time of nomination and throughout the term of service. The student shall maintain at least a 2.75 GPA.

The student member serves as an Associated Students executive officer with the same rights and responsibilities of other Associated Students executive officers. The student member shall be seated with the Board and shall be recognized as a full member of the Board at meetings. The student member is entitled to participate in discussion of issues and receive all materials presented to members of the Board (except for closed session). The student member shall be entitled to any mileage allowance necessary to attend board meetings to the same extent as publicly elected trustees.

On or before May 15 of each year, the Board shall consider whether to afford the student member any of the following privileges:

- The privilege to make and second motions;
- The privilege to attend closed sessions, other than closed sessions on personnel or collective bargaining matters;
- The privilege to receive compensation for meeting attendance at a level of \$264.60 per month. See BP 2725;
- The privilege to serve a term commencing on July 1;
- The privilege to cast an advisory vote, although the vote shall not be included in determining the vote required to carry any measure before the Board.

For the 2005-2006 school year, all of the above privileges as listed except the privilege to attend closed sessions.