



Board Policy
Chapter 5 – Student Services

BP 5700 INTERCOLLEGIATE ATHLETICS

The Santa Monica Community College District shall provide an athletic program for the students of the District.

The District shall maintain an organized program of intercollegiate athletics and offer opportunities for participation equally to all students consistent with state and federal law, including Title IX.

The Superintendent/President shall assure that the athletics program complies with state law, the California Community College Athletic Association (CCCAA) Constitution and Sport Championship Handbooks, and the appropriate Conference Constitution regarding student athlete participation.

The athletics program should also reflect the philosophy of the Board of Trustees, administration, and community at all times.

References:

Education Code Sections 66271.6, 66271.8, 67360 et seq., 67456, and 78223;

20 U.S. Code Sections 1681 et seq.;

California Community College Athletic Association (CCCAA) Constitution and CCCAA Bylaws

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