

PRINCIPAL'S DESIGNEE

The Governing Board recognizes that a principal may be absent from the school site in the course of his/her professional duties or for other reasons. Therefore, the Board authorizes the position of Assistant Principal or a comparable Administrative position to serve as designee in order to provide proper supervision and maintain the continuity of the instructional program and school operations.

In the absence of the principal, the designee shall administer the school in accordance with Board policy, administrative regulations and procedures, and the law.

The delegation of school site duties shall not relieve the principal of the responsibility for actions by the designee.

The name of the principal's designee shall be kept on file in the school office. A teacher in charge may be designated to serve in this capacity when both the principal and primary administrative designee are absent.

(cf. 4321 - re Substitutes for management Personnel)
(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension/Expulsion)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

7 Delegate of powers

35020 Duties of employees fixed by governing board

35160 Authority of governing boards

35161 Powers and duties generally

44861 Employment of substitute principal

48911 Suspension by principal or designee

Code of Regulations

5550-5552 Duties of principals

5600 Duty-free lunch period