THIRTY (30) UNIT REMEDIATION LIMIT

In compliance with Section 55756.5, Remedial Coursework Limit, (Title V, California Code of Regulations), students who do not attain full eligibility status for college-level courses within thirty (30) units of remediation coursework shall, unless provided with a waiver, be dismissed and referred to appropriate adult non-credit education services provided by a college, adult school, community-based organization, or other appropriate local provider with which the district has an established referral agreement.

Waivers to this Policy may be granted after review by appropriate college personnel. Students desiring a waiver must submit a petition along with transcripts showing measurable progress in coursework and brief typed letters of support (if appropriate). Among the reasons deemed acceptable for a waiver are: (1) the student needs only one course to complete the remaining college-preparatory requirements, (2) the student has attempted and passed the majority of non-degree applicable courses, or (3) the student is performing satisfactorily in college-level courses.

Two groups of students are exempted from the limitation on remedial coursework: students enrolled in one or more courses in English-as-a-Second Language or students identified by the district as possessing a learning disability defined in Section 56014 of Title V of the California Code of Regulations. Students with similar learning deficits (acquired brain injury, developmentally delayed learner, etc) verified by college personnel may also be exempted.

Students who wish to be reinstated to the college must petition utilizing the established procedures for students requesting reinstatement as a result of academic disqualification. Petitions must include evidence of successful completion of remedial coursework or demonstration of skill levels which will provide reasonable assurance of success in college-level coursework.

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