

Board Policy 5140 **Disabled Student Programs and Services**

The each of the four Peralta Colleges, Berkeley City College, College of Alameda, Laney College, and Merritt College, are to maintain Disabled Student Programs and Services to promote the academic success and personal enrichment of students with diverse needs by facilitating equal access to educational opportunities in an integrated college setting, encouraging the interaction and full participation of all students with disabilities, and recognizing the importance of self-advocacy and independence in such students' pursuit of their academic careers.

References:

Education Code Sections 67302, 67310 and 84850;
Title 5 Sections 56000 et seq.
42 U.S.C. Section 12101, 34 CFR Sections 104.3 and 104.44; 36 CFR 11135
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Board Policy 5.24 **Academic Accommodations for Students with Disabilities** approved July 12, 1994.

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