
Board Policy
Chapter 4 – Academic Affairs

BP 4021 PROGRAM DISCONTINUANCE

References:

Education Code Section 78016;
Title 5 Sections 51022 and 55130;
ACCJC Accreditation Standard II.A.15

The Board of Trustees recognizes its responsibility to monitor program quality, effectiveness, and efficiency. The Superintendent-President in collaboration with the Academic Senate shall develop processes and procedures to address Title 5 Section 51022. The District is required by current statute and regulation to develop a process for program discontinuance and minimum criteria for the discontinuance of occupational programs. Every career/technical program offered by the District shall be reviewed every two years by the Board of Trustees pursuant to Education Code Section 78016.

Program discontinuance is separate and distinct from program review. Results from program review may necessitate an examination of program viability.

Also see BP 4020 Program, Curriculum, and Course Development, AP 4020 Program and Curriculum Development, and AP 4022 Course Approval.

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