

CERTIFICATION OF PERSONNEL ASSIGNED TO EVALUATE TEACHERS

It is the intent of the Board to certify that personnel assigned to evaluate teachers have demonstrated competency in instructional methodologies and evaluation of instruction. The Superintendent shall determine a program leading to certification that personnel who have the responsibility to evaluate teachers have demonstrated competence in instructional methodologies and evaluation. The determination of whether school personnel meet the District's adopted policies shall be made by the governing board, based on the Superintendent's recommendations of qualified evaluators of instruction. Performance standards established as a result of this policy shall be communicated to all affected individuals.

Criteria for certification of qualified evaluators shall include, but is not limited to, a demonstrated understanding of the District-adopted curriculum; demonstrated knowledge of wide variety of instructional methodologies and their appropriate uses; and demonstrated knowledge and skills in utilizing evaluation techniques for evaluation of teacher performance.

Reference: Education Code Sections 33039, 35171, 44660-44665

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