Repetition of special classes is subject to the provisions of 5 California Code of Regulations, Sections 55761-63 and 58161. The District is authorized to permit additional repetitions of special classes to provide an accommodation to a student’s educational limitations pursuant to state and federal non-discrimination laws. Students may initiate a request to repeat a course and shall be allowed to do so under the following circumstances:

a) when continuing success in other general and/or specific classes is dependent on additional repetitions of a specific class;

b) when additional repetitions of a specific special class are essential to completing preparation for enrollment into other regular or special classes; or

c) when a student has a student educational contract which involves a goal other than completion of the course of a special class in question and repetition of the course will further achievement of that goal.

In accordance with § 56029 of Title 5, students may initiate a request for course repetition through their campus Disabled Students Programs and Services (DSP&S) Office and may appeal any adverse decision in the manner outlined in the DSP&S Student Handbook.

See Board Policy 5078

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