

**TEMPORARY ATHLETIC TEAM COACHES**

The Superintendent or designee shall determine criteria in accordance with law for certifying the competency of all staff employed to coach or supervise district athletic teams. The hiring of non-certificated coaches shall be subject to Board approval and based upon the recommendation of the Superintendent or other designated administrative personnel.

The Superintendent or designee shall maintain procedures to ensure that all staff who coach or supervise district athletic teams have received appropriate training and are qualified in all competencies required by law. Administrative Regulations shall include criteria for determining competencies in these areas in accordance with State regulations.

The Superintendent or designee shall certify, as required by law, that non-certificated coaches meet or will meet all qualifications for employment. The Superintendent or designee may waive specific competency requirements for persons who enroll in appropriate training programs or courses leading to acquisition of the competency. All such persons shall serve under the direct supervision of a fully qualified temporary athletic team coach until the required competencies are met.

The Superintendent shall annually certify to the State Board of Education that the district conforms with State requirements governing the employment of temporary athletic team coaches. (Education Code 35179.5)

All coaches shall adhere to the Code of Ethical Conduct adopted by the State Board of Education.

*Legal Reference:*

**EDUCATION CODE**

*35179.5 Supervision of athletic activities*

*35179.7 Interscholastic athletic program and activities*

*44919 Classification of temporary employees*

**CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5**

*5531 Supervision of extracurricular activities of pupils*

*5590-5596 Duties of temporary athletic team coaches*

*CIF – Code of Conduct for Interscholastic Coaches*