

2035.

POLICY ON BOARD MEMBERSHIP

Reference: California Education Code Sections 72023, 72103, 72104,  
ACCJC Accreditation Standard IV.C.6

The Board shall consist of five members elected by the qualified voters of the District. Members shall be elected by trustee area, as outlined in Board Policy 2023. All policies in this Chapter apply only to these five Trustees, except as otherwise noted.

Any person who meets the criteria contained in law is eligible to be elected or appointed to serve as a member of the Board.

An employee of the District may not be sworn into office as an elected or appointed member of the Board of Trustees unless he or she resigns as an employee. If a District employee is elected or appointed to the Board of Trustees, the employment will be automatically terminated upon being sworn into office.

The prohibition on members of Board of Trustees being employed by the District does not apply in the limited situation of a Trustee who is usually employed in an occupation other than teaching and who is employed part-time by the District to teach no more than one course per term in the subject matter of that individual's occupation. This exception applies only when the individual already is employed by the District as a part-time instructor at the time of election or appointment to the Board of Trustees.

No member of the Board shall, during the term for which he or she is elected or appointed, hold an incompatible office, as specified in applicable law.

No member of the Board shall, during the term for which he or she was elected, be eligible to serve on the governing board of a school district whose boundaries are coterminous with those of the District.

Adopted: September 11, 2019

