

## **Board Policy 3710**

## **Intellectual Property and Securing of Copyright**

The Superintendent/President or his/her designee shall develop procedures that define the rights, interests, protection, and transfer of intellectual property created by the District employees and students and secures copyrights and other intellectual property rights, in the name of the district, to all copyrightable works and other intellectual property developed by the district, and royalties or revenue from said intellectual property are to be for the benefit of the district securing said intellectual property right.

The Superintendent/President shall develop appropriate administrative procedures to implement the provisions of Education Code 72207, which authorizes the securing of copyright protection for works, including but not limited to registering copyrights on behalf of the District. The procedures developed by the Superintendent/President shall assure that the District may also use, sell, give or exchange copyrightable materials and may license materials prepared by the District in connection with its curricular and other services.

In the development of procedures, the Superintendent/President shall solicit the input of representatives of the college community in accordance with the District's policies regarding shared local decision making.

### References:

Education Code Sections 72207 and 81459

17 U.S. Code Section 201

35 U.S. Code Section 101 et seq.

37 Code of Federal Relations 1.1 et seq.

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