POLICY 6159.1

YOLO COUNTY SPECIAL EDUCATION LOCAL PLAN AREA (SELPA)

FREE APPROPRIATE PUBLIC EDUCATION (FAPE)

POLICY:

It is the responsibility of each member Local Education Agency (LEA) of the Yolo County SELPA to provide an education for all students, including those with disabilities. Each LEA recognizes that all individuals with disabilities have the right to receive a free appropriate public education (FAPE), including children with disabilities who have been suspended or expelled from school.

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PROCEDURE 6159.1

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PROCEDURES:

Each Local Education Agency (LEA) shall provide, or arrange for provision of, special education instruction and services for individuals with exceptional needs in accordance with the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). Modifications and/or special services and aids shall also be provided as needed for students who are eligible for services under Section 504 of the federal Rehabilitation Act of 1973, the Americans with Disabilities Act and related federal regulations. Appropriate education is that combination of educational and related service(s) as determined on an Individualized Education Program (IEP) that meets the unique needs of each individual in order to benefit from his/her access to educational opportunities.

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