



**DATE:** April 10, 2024

**TO:** Board of Education

**FROM:** Mrs. Kerstin Kramer, Superintendent Chief Learning Officer

**SUBJECT:** First Read of Proposed Revisions to Board Policy 5126 and Administrative Regulation 5126, Awards for Achievement

**PRESENTED BY:** Logan Mallonee, Assistant Superintendent of Educational Services

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### **ACTION REQUESTED**

Review the proposed revisions of Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 5126 and Administrative Regulation 5126, Awards for Achievement, and provide direction to bring them back to the next regular Board Meeting for approval.

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Regulation will reflect NEW LAW (AB 370, 2023), which revises the criteria needed to be met for a student to be awarded the State Seal of Biliteracy and to clarify the eligibility requirements for an English learner to be eligible for the State Seal of Biliteracy.

The policy shall be updated to add that a budget be established for student awards and that no fee or other cost be charged to any student about any requirements in qualifying for or receiving any district achievement awards.

Additionally, the policy shall be updated to separate the State Seal of Biliteracy material from district-established awards for biliteracy and to clarify that the Governing Board may prohibit the district committee that administers the district's scholarship and loan fund from accepting any donation under conditions it finds incompatible with the fund's intents and purposes as specified in Board Policy 3290 - Gifts, Grants, and Requests.

**RESOURCES REQUIRED:** None

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Attachments: BP and AR 5126 Awards for Achievement