

AP 5203 Lactation Accommodation

Reference:

Education Code Section 66271.9

The District shall provide reasonable accommodations (T700D Lancaster Campus; By arrangement at Palmdale Center Student Services) for a lactating student to express breast milk, breast-feed an infant child, or address other needs related to breast-feeding whenever a student is required to be present on campus. Reasonable accommodations include, but are not limited to, all of the following:

- 1. Access to a private and secure room, other than a restroom, to express breast milk or breast-feed an infant child. The room shall have a comfortable place to sit and have a table or shelf to place equipment described in paragraph (3).
- 2. Permission to bring onto a college campus a breast pump and any other equipment used to express breast milk.
- 3. Access to a power source for a breast pump or any other equipment used to express breast milk.

Lactating students shall be provided a reasonable amount of time to accommodate their need to express breast milk or breast-feed an infant child.

Students shall not incur an academic penalty as a result of their use of the reasonable accommodations, and shall be provided the opportunity to make up any work missed due to such use.

Also see BP/AP 5200 Student Health Services and AP 7348 Accommodations.

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