

**ELEMENTARY/MIDDLE SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

In order to recognize successful completion of elementary and middle school education, the Governing Board shall confer certificates of promotion from middle school to high school.

Certificates shall be awarded only to students who have completed the course of study prescribed by law and the district.

In addition, students shall meet district requirements for promotion based on grades, assessments, citizenship, and effort as specified in Board policy and administrative regulation.

*Legal Reference:*

EDUCATION CODE

*48070-48070.5 Promotion and retention*

*51400-51403 Elementary school diplomas*

*52507-52510 Requirements for eighth grade graduation (adult school)*

*60641-60647 Standardized Testing and Reporting Program*

*60648 Minimum performance levels*