

BOARD BYLAW
Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District

Bylaws of the Board

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NUMBER OF BOARD MEMBERS AND TERM OF OFFICE

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The Board of Education of the Placentia-Yorba Linda Unified School District is composed of five members who are elected at large by the electors of the district as their non-partisan representatives on school matters.

In addition, one student shall be appointed to the Board as a non-voting member. The student selected to serve shall be enrolled in a district high school and shall be an elected or appointed Associated Student Body officer/member or a member of the school’s student leadership team. The student member shall have the right and responsibility to attend all meetings of the Board of Education except closed sessions. Rotation among the district's high schools shall be as follows: El Camino Real, Parkview/La Entrada, Esperanza, El Dorado, Valencia, and Yorba Linda High Schools.

Term of Office

Each person elected to the Board of Education at the regular biennial election shall hold office for a term of four years, commencing on the first Friday in December next succeeding their election. The four-year term expires on the first Friday in December following the election of new members.

The terms of Board members shall be staggered so that approximately half of the Board, i.e., either two or three members, shall be elected in each even-numbered year.

A member whose term has expired shall continue to discharge the duties of the office until his/her successor has qualified by taking the oath of office.

The student board member shall serve a one semester term commencing on the first Board meeting in September for the first semester term and on the first Board meeting in February for the second semester term.

LEGAL REFERENCE: Education Code Sections 5000-5033
Sections 35010, 35012, and 35107

Government Code Section 1302, 1303, and 1360

CROSS REFERENCE: Board Policy 2434 Student Involvement in Decision Making

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