

### **ASSOCIATED STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS**

Each college of the District shall have one Associated Students Organization (ASO). The Governing Board of the District may authorize the students of a college to organize more than one student body association if day and evening students each need an organization or if geographic circumstances make the organization of only one student body association impractical or inconvenient. Recognized student groups may use college facilities without charge in accordance with policies and conditions established by the Governing Board and the college President.

The Governing Board shall recognize each Associated Student organization or its equivalent within the District as provided by California Education Code, Section 76060, as the representative body of the students to offer opinions and make recommendations to the administration of a college and to the Governing Board of the District with regard to District and college policies and procedures that have or will have a significant effect on students. The selection of student representatives to serve on college or District committees, task forces, or other governance groups shall be made, after consultation with designated parties, by the appropriate officially recognized Associated Student Organization(s) within the District.

The ASO shall encourage both day and evening students to participate in the governance of the college and conduct authorized activities.

A governing body shall be elected or appointed in accordance with Student Services Procedure 3008 that shall keep an account of its meetings, expenditures, authorizations and policies established.

A simple majority of the voting members of the Associated Students Organization governing body shall constitute a quorum.

California Education Code, Section 76060  
Title 5, California Code of Regulations, Section 51023.7