

Acronyms

AB	Assembly Bill
ACA	Assembly Concurrent Amendment or Affordable Care Act (also listed as PPACA)
ACR	Assembly Concurrent Resolution
ACSA	Association of California School Administrators
ADA	Average Daily Attendance
AFSCME	American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees
AMO	Annual Measurable Objective
AP	Advanced Placement
API	Academic Performance Index
ARRA	American Recovery and Reinvestment Act
ASAM	Alternative Schools Accountability Model
ASCC	Activity Supervisor Clearance Certificate
ASES	After School Education and Safety Program
AU	Administrative Unit of a SELPA
AV	Assessed Value
AYP	Adequate Yearly Progress
BCLAD	Bilingual, Crosscultural, Language, and Academic Development
BRL	Base Revenue Limit
BTSA	Beginning Teacher Support and Assessment
CADS	Consolidated Application Data System
CAHSEE	California High School Exit Examination
CALPADS	California Longitudinal Pupil Achievement Data System
CaIPERS	California Public Employees' Retirement System
CaSTRS	California State Teachers Retirement System
CALTIDES	California Longitudinal Teacher Integrated Data Education System
CaWORKs	California Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids
CAPA	California Alternate Performance Assessment
CARS	Consolidated Application and Reporting System
CASBO	California Association of School Business Officials
CASEMIS	California Special Education Management Information System
CASH	Coalition for Adequate School Housing
CAT/6	California Achievement Tests, Sixth Edition Survey
CBA	Collective Bargaining Agreement
CBEDS	California Basic Educational Data System
CBEST	California Basic Education Skills Test
CCR	California Code of Regulations (Title 5) or Coordinated Compliance Review
CCSESA	California County Superintendents Educational Services Association
CCSS	Common Core State Standards

CDE	California Department of Education
CELDT	California English Language Development Test
CFR	Code of Federal Regulations
CFT	California Federation of Teachers
CLAD	Crosscultural, Language, and Academic Development
CMIS	Compliance Monitoring, Interventions, and Sanctions
CNIPS	Child Nutrition Information Payment System
COE	County Office of Education
COLA	Cost-of-Living Adjustment
CPI	Consumer Price Index
CPR	California Performance Review
CSAM	California School Accounting Manual
CSBA	California School Boards Association
CSEA	California School Employees Association
CSET	California Subject Examination for Teachers
CSIS	California School Information Studies
CSR	Class-Size Reduction or Comprehensive School Reform
CST	California Standards Test
CSTP	California Standards for the Teaching Profession
CTA	California Teachers Association
CTC	Commission on Teacher Credentialing
CTE	Career Technical Education
DAC	District Advisory Committee
DAIT	District Assistance and Intervention Team
DGS	Department of General Services
DIS	Designated Instruction and Services
DOF	Department of Finance
DSA	Division of the State Architect
DSS	Department of Social Services
EAAP	Education Audit Appeals Panel
EC	Education Code
EDGAR	Education Department General Administrative Regulation
EIA	Economic Impact Aid
EL	English Learner (replaces ELL, LEP)
ELA	English Language Arts
ELAC	English Language Advisory Committee
ELAP	English Language Acquisition Program
ERAF	Education Revenue Augmentation Fund
ERP	Economic Recovery Payment
ESEA	Elementary and Secondary Education Act
ESL	English as a Second Language

ESY	Extended School Year
FAPE	Free and Appropriate Public Education
FCMAT	Fiscal Crisis & Management Assistance Team
FERPA	Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
FPM	Federal Program Monitoring
F/RPM	Free/Reduced-Price Meals
FTE	Full-Time Equivalent
GAAP	Generally Accepted Accounting Principles
GASB	Governmental Accounting Standards Board
GATE	Gifted and Talented Education
GDP	Gross Domestic Product
GO	General Obligation (Bond)
GPA	Governor's Performance Award Program
HOUSSE	High Objective Uniform State Standard of Evaluation
HQT	Highly Qualified Teacher
HRA	Health Reimbursement Arrangement
HSA	Health Savings Account
IASA	Improving America's Schools Act
IDEA	Individuals with Disabilities Education Act
IEP	Individualized Education Program
IHSS	In-Home Support Services
II/USP	Immediate Intervention/Underperforming Schools Program
IMFRP	Instructional Materials Funding Realignment Program
JPA	Joint Powers Agreement or Joint Powers Authority
LAIF	Local Agency Investment Fund
LAO	Legislative Analyst's Office
LCAP	Local Control Accountability Plan
LCFF	Local Control Funding Formula
LCI	Licensed Children's Institution (often used as a generic term to also encompass foster family homes and residential medical facilities)
LEA	Local Educational Agency
LEP	Limited English Proficient
MEP	Migrant Education Program
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MTYRE	Multi-Track Year-Round Education
MYP	Multiyear Projection
NAEP	National Assessment of Educational Progress
NCES	National Center for Education Statistics
NCLB	No Child Left Behind
NPS/A	Nonpublic School/Agency
NSS	Necessary Small School

OMB	Office of Management and Budget
OPEB	Other Postemployment Benefits
OPSC	Office of Public School Construction
P-1	First Principal (Apportionment)
P-2	Second Principal (Apportionment)
PAR	Peer Assistance and Review
PCA	Project Cost Account
PEPRA	Public Employees' Pension Reform Act
PERB	Public Employment Relations Board
PI	Program Improvement
PL	Public Law (federal law)
PL 81-874	Public Law 81-874 (Federal Impact Aid)
PMIA	Pooled Money Investment Account
PMIB	Pooled Money Investment Board
PPACA	Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act
PSAA	Public Schools Accountability Act
PTA	Parent Teachers Association
QEIA	Quality Education Investment Act
QSCB	Quality School Construction Bonds
QZAB	Quality Zone Academy Bond
RDA	Redevelopment Agency
RFA	Request for Application
ROC/P	Regional Occupational Center/Program
RRMA	Routine Restricted Maintenance Account
RSDSS	Regional System of District and School Support
RSP	Resource Specialist Program
RTI	Response to Intervention
RTTT	Race to the Top
S4	Statewide System of School Support
SAB	State Allocation Board
SACS	Standardized Account Code Structure
SAIT	School Assistance and Intervention Team
SARB	School Attendance Review Board
SARC	School Accountability Report Card
SAT-9	Stanford Achievement Test, Ninth Edition, Form T
SB	Senate Bill
SBE	State Board of Education
SCA	Senate Constitutional Amendment
SCO	State Controller's Office
SCR	Senate Constitutional Resolution
SDC	Special Day Class

SEA State Education Agency
SED Severely Emotionally Disturbed
SEIU Service Employees International Union
SELPA Special Education Local Plan Area
SERAF Supplemental Educational Revenue Augmentation Fund
SES Socioeconomic Status
SFID School Facility Improvement District
SFSD School Fiscal Services Division of CDE
SFSF State Fiscal Stabilization Fund
SIG School Improvement Grant
SIP School Improvement Program
SLIBG School and Library Improvement Block Grant
SPI Superintendent of Public Instruction
SPSA Single Plan for Student Achievement
SSI/SSP Supplement Security Income/State Supplementary Payment
SST Student Study Team; also Student Success Team
STAR Standardized Testing and Reporting
SWP Schoolwide Program
TANF Temporary Assistance for Needy Families
TAS Targeted Assistance School
TRANS Tax and Revenue Anticipation Notes
TK Transitional Kindergarten