

# William S. Hart Union HSD

## Board Bylaw

### Student Board Members

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The Governing Board believes it is important to seek out and consider students' ideas, viewpoints and reactions to the educational program. In order to provide student input and involvement, the Board shall include one ~~s-Student Board m~~ Member selected by the Student Communications Council to serve pursuant to current Board Policy, Administrative Regulation and the California Education Code.

The term of the ~~s-Student Board m~~ Member shall be one school year, usually beginning in October. Student Board Members shall have the right to attend all Board meetings except closed sessions.

~~Student Board members shall be seated with regular Board members and be recognized at meetings. They may participate in discussing issues and shall receive materials presented to Board members except those related to closed sessions.~~

*All materials presented to Board members, except those related to closed sessions, shall be presented to Student Board Members at the same time they are presented to voting Board members.*

*Student Board Members shall be recognized at Board meetings as full members(s), shall be seated with other members of the Board, and shall be allowed to participate in questioning witnesses and discussing issues. (Education Code 35012)*

*Student Board Members shall be allowed to cast preferential votes on all matters except those subject to closed session discussion. Preferential voting means a formal expression of opinion that is recorded in the minutes and cast before the official vote of the Board. Preferential votes shall not affect the final numerical outcome of a vote. (Education Code 35012)*

Student Board ~~m~~ Members may be reimbursed for expenses incurred in meeting responsibilities of the position, but shall not receive the compensation for attendance at Board meetings to which regular Board members may be entitled. (Education Code 35012)

~~Student Board member(s) may cast preferential votes on all matters except those subject to closed session discussion and the Consent Calendar. Preferential votes shall not affect the final numerical outcome of a vote. Preferential votes shall be recorded in the Board meeting minutes. (Education Code 35012)~~

It shall be the responsibility of the ~~s~~ Student Board ~~m~~ Members to communicate with the Board

regarding items that are of interest and concern to the general student body of the school district. It shall also be the responsibility of the ~~s~~ **Student Board** ~~m~~ **Members** to accurately reflect to the general student body of the school District the feelings and actions of the Board on items of interest and concern to the general student body.

*Legal Reference:*

**EDUCATION CODE**

*5000-5033 Election of school district board members*

*35010 Control of district*

*35012 Board members; number, election and terms*

*35107 Eligibility*

**GOVERNMENT CODE**

*1302 Continuance in office until qualification of successor*

*1303 Exercising functions of office without having qualified*

*1360 Necessity of taking constitutional oath*

Bylaw **WILLIAM S. HART UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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