

Policy 6170.1: Transitional Kindergarten

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CSBA NOTE: The following policy is for use by districts that maintain kindergarten and may be revised to reflect district practice. [Education Code 33050, as amended by SB 114 \(Ch. 48, Statutes of 2023\), prohibits the waiver of specified provisions related to transitional kindergarten \(TK\) and kindergarten provided for in Education Code 48000-48003. For more information on waivers, see BP 1431 – Waivers.](#)

Education Code 48000 provides that children are eligible for kindergarten enrollment if they have their fifth birthday on or before September 1 in that school year; see AR 5111 - Admission. Pursuant to Education Code 48000, as amended by AB 130 (Ch. 44, Statutes of 2021) and AB 167 (Ch. 252, Statutes of 2021); [SB 114](#), for the ~~2021-22~~[2023-24](#) school year, districts are required to admit any child whose fifth birthday is between September 2 and December ~~April~~ [2](#) to a ~~transitional kindergarten (TK) program as a condition of apportionment and revises the phases in~~ [transitional kindergarten \(TK\) program as a condition of apportionment and revises the phases in](#) timespans for mandatory admittance requirements ~~to be phased in from the 2022-23 school year to~~ [until](#) the 2025-26 school year, [at which time districts are required to admit any child who has their fourth birthday by September 1](#), as described below.

In its [The California Department of Education's \(CDE\), "Universal Prekindergarten FAQs" and "Transitional Kindergarten FAQs,"](#) the California Department of Education (CDE) provides that the laws governing TK programs apply equally to all districts including basic aid [available on its website, provide guidance to](#) districts. ~~Districts with questions about the application on the implementation of the TK mandatory admittance requirements to basic aid~~[universal prekindergarten and TK programs. Additionally, CDE has developed a universal prekindergarten resources website, "Universal PreKindergarten, California's Great Start," designed for use by](#) districts ~~should consult legal counsel~~[that operate a California State Preschool Program \(CSPP\), Head Start, and/or TK program.](#)

Education Code 48000 defines TK as the first year of a two-year kindergarten program that uses a modified kindergarten curriculum that is age and developmentally appropriate. Many of the requirements applicable to kindergarten (e.g., class size, minimum school day, facilities) are also applicable to TK. The district will receive funding based on average daily attendance (ADA) for students in a TK program that meets the requirements specified in Education Code 48000.

Education Code 8281.5, as added by AB 130, establishes [established](#) the California Prekindergarten Planning and Implementation Grant Program as an early learning initiative with the goal of expanding access to classroom-based prekindergarten programs. The program allocates funding to all districts that operate kindergarten programs through minimum base grants, enrollment grants based on a district's kindergarten enrollment, and supplemental grants based on a district's percentage of unduplicated students. Grant funds may be used for costs associated with creating or expanding preschool programs through the ~~California State Preschool Program (CSPP)~~[CSPP](#) or TK programs, or to establish or strengthen partnerships with other providers of

prekindergarten education within the district, including Head Start programs, to ensure that high-quality options for prekindergarten education are available for four-year-old children. Allowable costs include, but are not necessarily limited to, planning costs, hiring and recruitment costs, staff training and professional development, classroom materials, and supplies.

Education Code 17375, as amended by AB 130 and AB 167, establishes [Since funds for this program have already been granted, CDE is authorized, pursuant to SB 114 and SB 141 \(Ch. 194, Statutes of 2023\), to allocate or prorate unexpended funds from the California Prekindergarten Planning and Implementation Grant Programs to districts for costs associated with the educational expenses of current and future CSPP, TK, and kindergarten professionals that support their attainment of required credentials, permits, or professional development in early childhood instruction or child development, including developing competencies in serving inclusive classrooms and dual language learners.](#)

Education Code 17375, as amended by SB 114, extends the time that funds from the California Preschool, Transitional Kindergarten, and Full-Day Kindergarten Facilities Grant Program to provide, which provides one-time grants to school districts to construct new school facilities or retrofit existing school facilities including for the purpose of providing TK classrooms.

For guidance on implementing TK programs, see the Transitional Kindergarten Implementation Guide: A Resource for California Public School District Administrators and Teachers, published by CDE, [are available for encumbrance or expenditure by the State Allocation Board.](#)

The Governing Board desires to offer a high-quality transitional kindergarten (TK) program for eligible children who do not yet meet the minimum age criterion for kindergarten. The TK program shall assist students in developing the academic, social, and emotional skills needed to succeed in kindergarten and beyond.

The district's TK program shall be the first year of a two-year kindergarten program. (Education Code 48000)

The Board encourages ongoing collaboration among district preschool staff, other preschool providers, elementary teachers, administrators, and parents/guardians in the development, implementation, and evaluation of the district's TK program.

Eligibility

CSBA NOTE: Education Code 48000, as amended by AB 130 and AB 167, revises the timespans for mandatory admittance requirements to be phased in from the 2022-23 school year to the 2025-26 school year.
CSBA NOTE: [While children are not required to attend Kindergarten or TK, all school districts are required to provide TK to age-eligible children pursuant to Education Code 48000. According to CDE's, "Universal Prekindergarten FAQs," no age-eligible child may be denied access to TK by being placed on a waiting list.](#)

The district's TK program shall admit children as follows: (Education Code 48000):

1. For the 2021-22 school year, children whose fifth birthday is between September 2 through December 2

2. For the 2022-23 school year, children whose fifth birthday is between September 2 and February 2

3.1. For the 2023-24 school year, children whose fifth birthday is between September 2 and April 2

4.2. For the 2024-25 school year, children whose fifth birthday is between September 2 and June 2

5.3. For the 2025-26 school year, and in each school year thereafter, children who turn four by September 1

CSBA NOTE: Pursuant to Education Code 48000, as amended by AB 130 and AB 167, a child's eligibility for TK enrollment may not impact family eligibility for a preschool or childcare program.

A child's eligibility for TK enrollment shall not impact family eligibility for a preschool or childcare program. (Education Code 48000), including, but not limited to, a Head Start program, a childcare center serving children through an alternative payment program, a general childcare and development program, a California State Preschool Program (CSPP), a migrant childcare and development program, childcare and development services for children with special needs, or a program serving children through a CalWORKs Stage 1, Stage 2, or Stage 3 program. (Education Code 48000)

CSBA NOTE: CDE's "Transitional Kindergarten, "Universal Prekindergarten FAQs"" clarify that children are required to have documentation of required immunizations or a valid exemption prior to admission to TK. For information about required immunizations and exemptions, see BP/AR 5141.31 - Immunizations.

Parents/guardians of eligible children shall be notified of the availability of the TK program and of the age, residency, immunization, and any other enrollment requirements. Enrollment in the TK program shall be voluntary.

CSBA NOTE: The following paragraph is optional. If the district chooses to allow kindergarten-eligible children to enroll in the TK program, CDE recommends in its, "Universal Prekindergarten FAQs," that the district establish criteria to determine selection requirements. The parent/guardian of a kindergarten-eligible child who is enrolled in TK must, at the end of the year, sign a Kindergarten Continuance Form verifying agreement with the child enrolling in kindergarten the following year; see section "Continuation into Kindergarten" below.

On a case-by-case basis, a child whose fifth birthday is on or before September 1 may be admitted into the district's TK program upon request of a child's parents/guardians, if the Superintendent or designee, determines that it is in the child's best interest.

CSBA NOTE: The following paragraph is optional. Pursuant to Education Code 48000, as amended by AB 130 and AB 167, the district may, at its discretion, determine whether to allow admittance of children whose fifth birthday is after the date specified for admittance for the applicable year as described above. Such students may be admitted at any time during the school year, including at the beginning of the year. Education Code 48000 provides that districts will not receive ADA apportionment for a child whose birthday is after the date specified for the applicable year until the child's fifth birthday.

At any time during the school year, the district may admit into the TK program a child whose fifth birthday is after the date specified for admittance for the applicable year as described above, provided that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent or designee recommends, the Board determines that enrollment in a TK program is in the child's best interest and the child's parents/guardians approve. Prior to such enrollment, the child's parents/guardians shall be provided information regarding the advantages and disadvantages and any other explanatory information about the effect of early admittance. (Education Code 48000)

CSBA NOTE: The following paragraph is optional and may be deleted by districts that do not allow early enrollment children in TK. Pursuant to Education Code 48000.15, as amended by SB 141, for the 2023-24 and 2024-25 school years, a district that offers TK to early enrollment children must concurrently offer enrollment in a CSPP program, if offered by the district, space permitting. The district may enroll an early enrollment child in a CSPP program operated by the district regardless of income, after all other eligible children have been enrolled. Districts will not receive ADA apportionment for an early enrollment child admitted to TK until the child's fifth birthday. For more information on district preschool programs, see BP/AR 5148.3 - Preschool/Early Childhood Education.

Additionally, the district may enroll an early enrollment child in TK whose fourth birthday is between June 3 and September 1, inclusive, preceding the school year during which they are enrolled in TK. The Superintendent or designee shall maintain any classroom that includes an early enrollment child with a classroom enrollment that does not exceed 20 students and an adult-to-student ratio of at least one adult to every 10 students. Additionally, if an early enrollment child is enrolled in TK, the district shall concurrently offer enrollment to the child in the district's CSPP, subject to available space. (Education Code 48000.15)

Curriculum and Instruction

The district's TK program shall be based on a modified kindergarten curriculum that is age and developmentally appropriate. (Education Code 48000)

CSBA NOTE: Education Code 48000 states the Legislature's intent that the TK curriculum be aligned to the California Preschool Learning Foundations developed by CDE. These standards address essential knowledge and skills in the subject areas listed below. The standards and companion preschool curriculum frameworks are available on CDE's ~~web site~~ [website](#).

Pursuant to Education Code 8203.3, CDE in consultation with the California Department of Social Services, is responsible for establishing and updating prekindergarten learning development guidelines that focus on preparing children for kindergarten, including developmental milestones, assessment, and suggested methods for achievement.

The program shall be aligned with the preschool learning foundations and preschool curriculum frameworks developed by the California Department of Education (CDE). It shall be designed to facilitate students' development in essential knowledge and skills related to language and literacy, mathematics, physical development, health, visual and performing arts, science, history-social science, English language development, and social-emotional development.

CSBA NOTE: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. Education Code 37202 permits districts to maintain TK and kindergarten classes for different lengths of time during the school day, either at the same or a different school site. Districts offering TK classes for different lengths of time are still required to meet the minimum and maximum length of school day

provided in law. Pursuant to Education Code 46111, as amended by AB 130, 46115, and 46117, at the kindergarten and TK level the minimum school day is three hours (180 minutes), including recess but excluding noon intermission, and the maximum school day is four hours (240 minutes), excluding recess, except for students in expanded learning opportunity programs intended to supplement instructional time provided by a district pursuant to Education Code 46120 or if the district has adopted an extended-day kindergarten pursuant to Education Code 8973. However, pursuant to Education Code 46119, if the district has fewer than 40 kindergarten students, the Governing Board may apply to the Superintendent of Public Instruction to maintain two kindergarten classes of 150 minutes each, including recesses, taught on the same day by the same teacher. Also see [BP/AR 5148.2 – Before/After School Programs and AR 6112 - School Day](#).

Pursuant to Education Code 48003, districts are required to provide an annual report to CDE regarding the type of kindergarten program offered by the district, including part day, full day, or both. The California Basic Educational Data System (CBEDS) School Information Form, located on CDE's [web site website](#), requires a report on the type of TK program offered.

The Board shall establish the length of the school day in the district's TK program, which shall be at least three hours but no more than four hours long, [including recess but excluding noon intermission](#), except for TK students enrolled in expanded learning opportunity programs provided by the district pursuant to Education Code 46120. If the district has adopted an extended-day kindergarten, the length of the school day for the TK program may be different than the length of the school day for the kindergarten program either at the same or different school sites. The Superintendent or designee shall annually report to CDE as to whether the district's TK programs are offered full day, part day, or both. (Education Code 8973, 37202, 46111, 46115, 46117, 48003)

CSBA NOTE: Education Code 8281.5, as added by AB 130 and amended by AB 167, requires districts receiving grants through the California Prekindergarten Planning and Implementation Grant Program to develop a plan for consideration by the Board at a public meeting on or before June 30, 2022 for how all children in the attendance area of the district will have access to full-day learning programs the year before kindergarten that meet the needs of parents/guardians, including through partnerships with the district's expanded learning offerings, the After School Education and Safety Program, the CSPP, Head Start programs, and other community-based early learning and care programs.

The Superintendent or designee shall ~~develop a plan~~ [collaborate with parents/guardians and relevant community groups, in accordance with the plan developed](#) for how all children in the attendance area of the district will have access to full-day learning programs the year before kindergarten that meet the needs of parents/guardians, including through partnerships with the district's expanded learning offerings, the After School Education and Safety Program, the ~~California State Preschool Program (CSPP)~~, Head Start programs, and other community-based early learning and care programs. ~~The Superintendent or designee shall present such plan for consideration by the Board at a public meeting on or before June 30, 2022.~~ (Education Code 8281.5)

CSBA NOTE: The following optional paragraph may be revised to reflect district practice. According to CDE's "[Transitional Kindergarten, "Universal Prekindergarten](#) FAQs," it is the intent of the law to provide separate and unique experiences for TK and kindergarten students. However, districts have flexibility to determine how best to meet the curricular needs of each child and whether TK and kindergarten students may be enrolled in the same classrooms.

TK students may be placed in the same classrooms as kindergarten students when necessary, provided that the instructional program is differentiated to meet student needs.

TK students may be commingled in the same classroom with four-year-old students from a CSPP program as long as the commingled program meets all of the requirements of each program as well as the following requirements: (Education Code 8207, 48000):

1. The classroom does not include students enrolled in TK for a second year or students enrolled in a regular kindergarten
2. An early childhood environment rating scale, as specified in 5 CCR 18281, is completed for the classroom
3. All children enrolled for 10 or more hours per week are evaluated using the Desired Results Developmental Profile, as specified in 5 CCR 18272
4. The classroom is taught by a teacher that holds a credential issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing ([CTC](#)) in accordance with Education Code 44065 and 44256
5. The classroom is in compliance with the adult-child ratio specified in Education Code 8241
6. Contractors of the district report the services, revenues, and expenditures for children in the preschool program in accordance with 5 CCR 18068 except for contractors of the TK program

CSBA NOTE: Education Code 48000, as amended by AB 130, requires districts to maintain an average TK class enrollment of not more than 24 students for each school site.

The district shall maintain an average TK class enrollment of not more than 24 students for each school site, not including students who are continuously enrolled in and meet the minimum day requirement for independent study for more than 14 school days in a school year. (Education Code 48000)

Staffing

CSBA NOTE: To be qualified to teach a TK class, the teacher must possess an appropriate multiple subjects or early childhood education credential issued by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing ([CTC](#)) authorizing instruction in TK. Education Code 48000 establishes additional requirements for credentialed teachers who are first assigned to a TK class after July 1, 2015, as provided below. [CTC may issue a one-year emergency specialist teaching permit in early childhood education that authorizes teaching all subjects in a self-contained TK general education classroom, provided that certain conditions are met as specified in Education Code 44300.](#)

[Additionally, CTC has amended 5 CCR 80067, and adopted 5 CCR 80067.1 and 80067.2, which are pending approval by the Office of Administrative Law as of October 2023, pertaining to the prekindergarten-grade 3 early childhood education specialist credential. The proposed credential is designed to provide individuals who already hold a bachelor's degree and have gained experience in early childhood education through their work, to have an expedited pathway to earning the credential to teach in the prekindergarten-grade 3 environment. See CTC Coded Correspondence 23-02 for more information regarding the proposed regulations. For more information about the Early Childhood Education Emergency Specialist Permit/Emergency Transitional Kindergarten Permit, see AR 4112.2 -- Certification.](#)

TK assignments are subject to assignment monitoring and reporting by the County Superintendent of Schools in accordance with Education Code 44258.9.

The Superintendent or designee shall ensure that teachers assigned to teach in TK classes possess a teaching credential or permit from the Commission on Teacher Credentialing (CTC) CTC that authorizes such instruction.

CSBA NOTE: Education Code 48000, as amended by ~~AB 130~~ SB 114, extends until August 1, ~~2023~~ 2025, the requirement for credentialed teachers who are first assigned to a TK class to meet additional qualifications, as described below.

A credentialed teacher who is first assigned to a TK class after July 1, 2015, shall, by August 1, ~~2023~~ 2025, have at least 24 units in early childhood education and/or child development, comparable professional experience in a preschool setting, and/or a child development teacher permit or an early childhood specialist credential issued by CTC. (Education Code 48000)

CSBA NOTE: Education Code 8281.5, as added by ~~AB 130~~, permits the use of funding from the California Prekindergarten Planning and Implementation Grant Program for the purpose of professional development, including, but not limited to, developing competencies in serving inclusive classrooms and dual language learners, and which as amended by SB 114 and SB 141, extends the time that CDE is authorized to allocate or prorate unexpended funds.

The Superintendent or designee may provide professional development as needed to ensure that TK teachers are knowledgeable about the standards and effective instructional methods for teaching young children, including, but not limited to, developing competencies in serving inclusive classrooms and dual language learners.

CSBA NOTE: Education Code 48000, as amended by ~~AB 130~~ SB 114, requires districts to, ~~commencing with the 2022-23 school year,~~ maintain an average of at least one adult for every 12 students for TK classrooms and, contingent upon an appropriation of funding, maintain an average of at least one adult for every 10 students commencing with the ~~2023-24~~ 2025-26 school year.

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Continuation to Kindergarten

CSBA NOTE: The following section is consistent with guidance in CDE's "~~Transitional Kindergarten~~ Universal Prekindergarten FAQs."

There is no requirement that an age-eligible student complete a year of TK or kindergarten before enrolling in first grade. Pursuant to Education Code 48010, a student must be six years old on or before September 1 to be eligible for first grade. However, if a student is not six years old by September 1, the student may be admitted to first grade in accordance with Education Code 48011, if the child has completed one year of kindergarten or, in some cases, has attended some kindergarten. CDE's, "Universal Prekindergarten FAQs," note that a year of TK is not equivalent to a year of kindergarten, for purposes of enrolling a 5-year-old student in first grade pursuant to Education Code 48011.

Students who complete the TK program shall be eligible to continue in kindergarten the following school year. Parents/guardians of such students shall not be required to submit a signed Kindergarten Continuance Form for kindergarten attendance.

CSBA NOTE: The following optional paragraph is for use by districts that allow kindergarten-eligible children to enroll in TK; see "Eligibility" section above. When such students are subsequently enrolled in kindergarten, the district is required to obtain a signed Kindergarten Continuance Form in order to receive kindergarten ADA for those children since they would otherwise be age-eligible for first grade. [A sample Kindergarten Continuance Form is available on CDE's, "Universal Prekindergarten FAQs" website.](#) CDE recommends that approval for a student to continue in kindergarten not be sought until near the end of the year of TK, since permission obtained unreasonably far in advance could be found invalid.

However, whenever children who would otherwise be age-eligible for kindergarten are enrolled in TK, the Superintendent or designee shall obtain a Kindergarten Continuance Form signed by the parent/guardian near the end of the TK year consenting to the child's enrollment in kindergarten the following year.

CSBA NOTE: Pursuant to Education Code 46300, the district may not include for ADA purposes the attendance of any student for more than two years in kindergarten or for more than two years in a combination of TK and kindergarten.

A student shall not attend more than two years in [kindergarten or](#) a combination of TK and kindergarten. (Education Code 46300)

Assessment

CSBA NOTE: The following section may be revised to reflect district practice. One assessment resource for TK students is CDE's Desired Results Developmental Profile, which is designed to assess the developmental progression of all children from early infancy to kindergarten entry.

The Superintendent or designee may develop or identify appropriate formal and/or informal assessments of TK students' development and progress. The Superintendent or designee shall monitor and regularly report to the Board regarding program implementation, the progress of students in meeting related academic standards, and student preparedness for future education.

Policy Reference UPDATE Service

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State

5 CCR 18000-18434 [18308](#)

Description

~~Child care~~ [Early Learning](#) and development programs [Care Programs](#)

5 CCR ~~18068~~ [80067](#)

~~Attendance and expenditure reports~~ [Professional Clear Early Childhood Education Specialist Instruction Credential](#)

5 CCR ~~18272~~

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5 CCR 18281	Environment rating scales
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<u>Ed. Code 33050</u>	<u>Waiver authority and exceptions</u>
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Ed. Code 44065	Issuance of and functions requiring credentials
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Ed. Code 44258.9	County superintendent review of teacher assignment
<u>Ed. Code 44300</u>	<u>Emergency permits</u>
Ed. Code 46111	Kindergarten; hours of attendance
Ed. Code 46114-46119	Minimum school day; kindergarten
Ed. Code 46120	Expanded learning opportunities
Ed. Code 46300	Method of computing average daily attendance
Ed. Code 48000	Minimum age of admission for kindergarten; transitional kindergarten
<u>Ed. Code 48000.15</u>	<u>Early enrollment in transitional kindergarten</u>
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Ed. Code 48003	Kindergarten annual report
<u>Ed. Code 48010</u>	<u>Minimum age of admission to first grade</u>
Ed. Code 48011	Promotion/retention following one year of kindergarten
Ed. Code 48200	Compulsory attendance
<u>Ed. Code 8203.3</u>	<u>Development of pre-kindergarten learning development guidelines</u>
Ed. Code 8207	California State Preschool Program administration
Ed. Code 8241	Staffing ratios for center-based program
Ed. Code 8322 <u>8281.5</u>	California Prekindergarten Planning and Implementation Grant Program
Ed. Code 8970-8974	Early primary program, including extended-day kindergarten
Ed. Code 8973	<u>Extended-day kindergarten</u>
Management Resources	Description
California Department of Education Publication	Desired Results Developmental Profile: A Developmental Continuum from Early Infancy up to Kindergarten Entry, 2015

	https://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/cd/ci/documents/drdp2015preschool.pdf
California Department of Education Publication	California Preschool Curriculum Framework, Vol. 1, 2010 https://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/cd/re/documents/psframeworkvol1.pdf
California Department of Education Publication	California Preschool Curriculum Framework, Vol. 2, 2011 https://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/cd/re/documents/psframeworkvol2.pdf
California Department of Education Publication	California Preschool Curriculum Framework, Vol. 3, 2013 https://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/cd/re/documents/preschoolframeworkvol3.pdf
California Department of Education Publication	California Preschool Learning Foundations, Vol. 1, 2008 https://www.cde.ca.gov/sp/cd/re/psfoundations.asp#psfoundvol1
California Department of Education Publication	Transitional Kindergarten FAQs
California Department of Education Publication	Transitional Kindergarten Implementation Guide: A Resource for California Public School District Administrators and Teachers, 2013
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California Department of Education Publication	Universal Prekindergarten FAQs https://www.cde.ca.gov/ci/gs/em/kinderfaq.asp#universal
CSBA Publication	What Boards of Education Can Do About Kindergarten Readiness, Governance Brief, May 2016
CA Commission on Teacher Credentialing Publication	Proposed Amendments to Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations Pertaining to the PK-3 Childhood Education Specialist Credential, Coded Correspondence 23-02, February 10, 2023 (https://www.ctc.ca.gov/docs/default-source/commission/coded/2023/coded-23-02.pdf?sfvrsn=973026b1_9)
CSBA Publication	Advancing Universal Transitional Kindergarten, April 2022 (https://www.csba.org/-/media/CSBA/Files/GovernanceResources/GovernanceBriefs/GovBrief-UTK-04062022.ashx?la=en&rev=99c007ecdf1f4b128d38a351913740d8)

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Website	CSBA District and County Office of Education Legal Services
Website	Transitional Kindergarten California
Website	California Kindergarten Association
Website	Commission on Teacher Credentialing
Website	CSBA
Website	California Department of Education
<u>Website</u>	<u>California Department of Education, Universal PreKindergarten, California's Great Start</u> <u>(https://express.adobe.com/page/OZrg3lsP1GE8b/)</u>
<u>Website</u>	<u>California Office of Administrative Law</u> <u>(https://oal.ca.gov/)</u>

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