

2021-2022 Independent Study Policy Addendum

Independent Study Plan Certification for Emergency Closures

In the event of an emergency closure at CSCE for conditions described in *Education Code Section 41422*, CSCE will offer independent study within 10 days of the first day of a school closure for material decrease.

Education Code Section 41422

(a) A school district, county office of education, or charter school that is prevented from maintaining its schools during a fiscal year for at least 175 days or is required to operate sessions of shorter length than otherwise prescribed by law because of fire, flood, earthquake, or epidemic, or because of any order of any military officer of the United States or of the state to meet an emergency created by war, or of any civil officer of the United States, of the state, or of any county, city and county, or city authorized to issue that order to meet an emergency created by war, or because of other extraordinary conditions, or because of inability to secure or hold a teacher, or because of the illness of the teacher, which fact shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Superintendent by the affidavits of the members of the governing board of the school district, the governing board of the county superintendent of schools, shall receive the same apportionment from the State School Fund as it would have received had it not been so prevented from maintaining school for at least 175 full-length days.

(b) This section shall also apply to school districts, county offices of education, or charter schools that, in the absence of one or more of the conditions prescribed by this section, would have qualified for funds pursuant to <u>Sections 46200</u> to <u>46208</u>, inclusive, or <u>Section 47612.5</u>, as applicable.