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# Title 5. EDUCATION Division 1. California Department of Education

## Chapter 11. Special Programs Subchapter 8. High School Proficiency Certificates

### Article 1. Certificate of Proficiency

**§ 11520. Definitions.**

(a) “Certificate” means a certificate of proficiency awarded by the State Board of Education (SBE) as described in Education Code section 48412(a)(2).

(b) “Certification” means documentation from a services provider, or a county or state agency, certifying the examinee is a homeless youth or a foster youth.

(c) “Eligibility” shall be verified by the student’s demonstration of a local educational agency-issued official or unofficial transcript showing current enrollment.

(d) “Fee” refers to a payment that shall be submitted at the time of registration or when requesting services such as ordering additional score reports or certificates.

(~~c~~e) “Parent” as used in Education Code section 48410(e), relating to verified parental approval, means the natural parent, or adoptive parent or legal guardian, having legal custody of the pupil.

(~~d~~f) “Testing accommodations” means any variation in the assessment environment or process that does not fundamentally alter what the test measures or affect the comparability of scores.

NOTE: Authority cited: Sections 48410 and 48412, Education Code. Reference: Sections 48410 and 48412, Education Code.

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