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Support and Resources to Assist Students to Pass the California High School Exit Examination (CAHSEE)

State laws require school districts to offer and provide support and resources to assist all students who have not passed the CAHSEE in grade 10.

Allocation of State Funds

Assembly Bill 1802 authorized the California Department of Education to allocate money to purchase materials for students who have not passed the California High School Exit Examination. All juniors and seniors in Chino Valley Unified School District who have not passed the English Language Arts section and/or the mathematics sections of the CAHSEE are being offered intensive instruction and services using these funds.

Students in the graduating classes of 2008 and 2009 at all CVUSD high schools are using the individualized intervention materials provided by Peoples Education titled *Measuring Up to the California Content Standards*. The program consists of two workbooks and a web-based individualized planner for each student. The web-base tool is available in English and Spanish.

Additional resources are being provided on an individual school basis and may vary from site to site. Resources include:

- Adelante materials and services
- Educational Partnership diagnostic assessments
- Saturday classes
- Individual and small group instruction
- Tutoring by peers and teachers
- Independent study
- PLATO Learning *Exam Intervention for CAHSEE*
- Extended day CAHSEE classes
- In-school CAHSEE classes
- CAHSEE Boot Camp

Assistance Past 12th Grade

Assembly Bill 347 requires districts to offer students who have failed one or both parts of the CAHSEE at the end of 12th grade the opportunity to receive intensive support and assistance for two years following the completion of 12th grade. Chino Valley Unified School District has implemented and is implementing the following assistance option to meet the objectives of AB 347:

1. Written notification of the legislation and the services that CVUSD is offering is being sent to all students in the Classes of 2006 and 2007 who have not passed one or both sections of the CAHSEE. Supports may include, but are not limited to, any of the following:
 - Materials from Adelante, Princeton Review and Kaplan
 - Adult education
 - Extended day CAHSEE classes
 - Web-based options
 - Tutoring opportunities by teachers and contracted tutoring services.
2. Principals and school counselors have received written notification of the district and site responsibilities in meeting objectives of AB347.
3. Classroom posters are being designed and delivered to each school site to be posted in grades 10, 11 and 12 classrooms.
4. New information and additional support options are being posted to the CVUSD website as made available.

For more information please contact your local high school, CVUSD Adult School or the Office of Assessment and Evaluation at 909 628-1201.