

Agreement between the Chabot-Las Positas Community College District and Fremont Unified District For an Education Experience Program

Purpose of the Agreement:

To engage the Fremont Unified School District (“District”) and Chabot Community College (“College”) to provide support for students who are interested in the career of teaching children with special needs.

Overview of this Agreement:

College offers a course designed to provide students interested in pursuing a career in secondary school Early Childhood Education (adaptive curriculum) at a local elementary or secondary school. This course includes forty-five (45) hours of on-site field experience as a service learning component in a local school. Students will gain knowledge and experience relevant to pre-school adaptive curriculum. Students will work a minimum of forty-five (45) hours (approximately 3 hours per week) during the semester in a school classroom. Possible activities include helping the teacher prepare for instruction or class activities, observing, and assisting individuals with disabilities.

College agrees to do the following:

1. Provide 1-3 students interested in learning to perform as classroom assistants in a preschool or elementary school
2. Ensure tuberculosis clearance of Chabot students

District agrees to do the following:

1. Provide fully credentialed teachers who will serve as Placement Teachers for Chabot students
2. Provide students the opportunity to obtain up to forty-five (45) hours to observe classroom lessons, assist with preparing for instruction or classroom activities and assisting individuals or groups of students.
3. Placement Teachers will communicate regularly with the Chabot instructor on course expectations, student progress and to provide the opportunity for the instructor to give feedback on any aspect of the program.
4. Placement Teachers will meet once a semester with the Chabot instructor and will keep regular contact with them.

General Terms:

1. The District may refuse to accept any student from the College in the Educational Experience Program and may terminate the placement of any student with a Mentor Teacher without cause.

Hold Harmless Clause:

District shall defend, indemnify and hold College, its officers, employees and agents harmless from and against any and all liability, loss, expense, including reasonable attorneys' fees, or claims for injury or damages arising out of the performance of this Agreement, but only in proportion to and to the extent such liability, loss, expense, attorneys' fees or claims for injury or damages are caused by or result from the negligent or intentional acts or omissions of District, its officers, agents and employees. College shall defend, indemnify and hold District, its officers, agents and employees harmless from and against any and all liability, loss, expense, including reasonable attorneys' fees, or claims for injury or damages arising out of the performance of this Agreement, but only in proportion to and to the extent such liability, loss expense, attorneys' fees , or claims for injury or damages are caused by or result from the negligent or intentional acts or omissions of the College, its officers, agents or employees.

This Agreement is for the 2010-2011 school year only and must be renewed on an annual basis.

Approvals:

Signature of District Superintendent's Designee

Date Signed

Signature of College President or Authorized Representative

Date Signed