



# BOARD POLICY

No. 7100

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MENDOCINO - LAKE COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT

## COMMITMENT TO DIVERSITY

The Mendocino-Lake Community College District is committed to building and fostering an inclusive, equitable, and diverse educational environment, by maintaining comprehensive practices that reflect these principles. Diversity within the college environment allows the opportunity to challenge and eliminate ingrained stereotypes and prejudices, ensuring anti-racist practices leading to student success.

The District is committed to employing qualified administrators, faculty, and staff members who are dedicated to student success. The Board of Trustees recognizes that diversity in the academic environment fosters cultural awareness, promotes mutual understanding and respect, and provides suitable role models for all students. The Board of Trustees is committed to hiring and staff development processes that support the goals of equal opportunity and diversity, and provide equal consideration for all qualified candidates.

References: Education Code Sections 87100 et seq.;  
Title 5, Sections 53000 et seq.