## CLOVIS UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

## PERSONNEL Certificated, Classified, Administrative and Supervisory DOCTORAL DEGREE STIPEND PROGRAM

PURPOSE: To encourage employees to acquire a doctoral degree through an accredited doctoral degree program.

The Board authorizes the Superintendent or designee to develop an administrative regulation that promotes and encourages employees to acquire an advanced doctoral degree. The Board recognizes that the achievement of a doctoral degree represents the highest level of advanced academic study, and employees acquiring such an advanced degree greatly enhance the quality of the educational system in which they work.

The District supports the achievement of a doctoral degree through establishing a stipend program to ease the financial burden of doctoral study by providing financial assistance.

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