

STUDENTS serving as JURORS

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We have a student who is being dropped from a class at Butte Community College because he is serving Jury Duty. I have checked education codes 87036 and 44037 and there is no specific language protecting students. Does anyone have a rule of court or education code that I can refer to?

1	Arlene Cervantes	In Riverside, we normally postpone our students until their school breaks. We will also grant and excuse for a year if they represent they are enrolled in a trade schools that has a year commitment, with no break in the year.
2	Esperanza Esparza	Del Norte Superior Court is the same as Riverside County.
3	Joe Yniquez	Stanislaus says look under education code 48205(5).
4	Diana Gifford-Tuggle	We have not had this issue come up here in Shasta County. If we receive a call from a juror stating they are attending school, or will be, we reset to break. We have a couple of tech schools here that are in session a solid 12 months and we reset to the end of their program.