

The qualifications for this office shall include:

- A. Enrolled in a minimum of five semester units, or the equivalent quarter units.
 - a. or be enrolled in an adult education program offered by a community college district (Ed Code, Article 9, 84900)
 - b. or is a disabled student, as defined in subdivision (b) of Section 84850.
 - i. “(b) As used in this section, ‘disabled students’ are persons with exceptional needs who have applied to or enrolled at a community college who, because of a verified disability, cannot fully benefit from classes, activities, and services regularly provided by the college without specific additional specialized services or educational programs.”
- B. Possession of a least a 2.0 grade-point average at the time of application and during the term of office.
- C. Be free of academic or student conduct probation, at the time of application and during the term of office.

The remuneration for the student trustee shall be one-half the amount received by the Board of Trustees. Mileage will be reimbursed at the current rate paid to district employees for board-related meetings and events where the student trustee serves as a representative of the Board of Trustees. In addition, the student trustee shall receive a \$250 book voucher per semester, including summer intersession, for a total of \$750.

If the student trustee does not attend all regular meetings held by the board in any month, they may receive an amount not greater than a pro-rata share of the number of meetings actually attended, based upon the maximum compensation.

The student trustee may travel to conferences and meetings associated with the role of being a student trustee, and must be accompanied by a MiraCosta College staff member. The superintendent/president shall approve and pay for appropriate student trustee travel.

The student trustee shall be an ex-officio member of the Associated Student Government of the MiraCosta College Student Senate.

The student trustee may be declared in abandonment of office by the board president and removed from office by the board if they fail to attend three (3) consecutive, regularly scheduled Board of Trustee meetings for other than good cause.

If any of the qualifications (listed above) are not met during the student trustee's term of office, they may be removed from office by the Board of Trustees.

The students enrolled in the MiraCosta Community College District reserve the right to recall the student trustee for cause other than the qualifications outlined in this procedure and elect a new student trustee. Procedures for recall and election of a new student trustee shall be contained in the constitution and codes of the Associated Student Government of MiraCosta College.