

(b) The DoDDS which, under 32 CFR part 347, provides a free public education of high quality from pre-kindergarten through grade twelve for eligible minor dependents of U.S. military and civilian personnel of the Department of Defense stationed overseas; a free, appropriate education for such minor dependents with disabilities, ages 3 through 21; and a community college program for eligible students in Panama.

(c) The DoD section 6 Schools Office which, under 32 CFR part 345, provides a free public education for dependent children of U.S. military personnel and federally employed civilian personnel when those children are eligible for an education in DoD section 6 Schools under 20 U.S.C. 2362, 20 U.S.C. 241 note, and 32 CFR part 68. Such free public education arrangements shall be made by the Secretary of Defense either with a local educational agency or with the head of a Federal Department or Agency, consistent with 20 U.S.C. 2362.

(d) The Office of CAPSE which, under DoD Directive 1322.8,¹ provides overall policy guidance and periodic review of voluntary education programs for military personnel, including the Defense Activity for Non-Traditional Education Support. The Office of CAPSE monitors the basic and/or functional skills programs conducted within the Department of Defense for military personnel and partnerships in education; provides support within the Department of Defense for implementation of the President's goals for adult literacy; and provides policy guidance and oversight of Tuition Assistance Programs for military personnel, consistent with DoD Directive 1322.8.

(e) Other subordinate elements as are established by the Director, within the resources assigned by the ASD(FM&P).

§ 346.5 Responsibilities and functions.

(a) The Director of Education shall:

(1) Serve as the principal staff advisor to the ASD(FM&P) on the DoDDS, section 6 Schools, and CAPSE programs.

(2) Organize, manage, and direct the DoDEA, its subordinate elements, and all assigned resources.

(3) Establish subordinate offices necessary to fulfill assigned missions.

(4) Supervise, administer, implement, and evaluate the policies and procedures for the DoDDS, the section 6 Schools, and the CAPSE programs.

(5) Enter into agreements with the Military Services or other U.S. Government entities, as required, for the effective performance of the responsibilities assigned in this part.

(6) Supervise and administer DoDEA financial management activities.

(7) Develop, for issuance by the ASD(FM&P), such policy or technical guidance, regulations, and instructions as are required to effectively administer and manage the education programs established under this part.

(8) Provide DoDEA representation at meetings and deliberations of educational panels and advisory groups.

(9) Perform other functions as may be assigned by the ASD(FM&P).

(b) The Assistant Secretary of Defense (Force Management and Personnel) shall:

(1) Recommend to the Secretary of Defense policies and resources for the administration of the DoDDS, section 6 Schools, and CAPSE programs.

(2) Exercise direction, authority, and control over the DoDEA.

(c) The Comptroller of the Department of Defense shall provide technical advice and support to the Director for Education on budget and financial management activities to the DoDEA.

(d) The General Counsel of the Department of Defense shall provide legal advice on the implementation of this part.

(e) The Secretaries of the Military Departments shall provide such facilities, logistic, and administrative support as are required for the effective operation of the DoDDS, section 6 Schools, and CAPSE programs. Reimbursements for goods and services shall be made in accordance with DoD Instruction 4000.19² and DoD Directive 1400.16.³

¹Copies may be obtained, at cost, from the National Technical Information Service, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

²See footnote 1 to § 346.5(e).

³See footnote 1 to § 346.5(e).