

**STATEMENT OF INTENT TO EMPLOY A MINOR AND REQUEST FOR WORK PERMIT—  
CERTIFICATE OF AGE**  
CDE B1-1 (Rev. 07-10)

**General Summary of Minors' Work Regulations**

FLSA-Federal Labor Standards Act, CDE-California Department of Education, EC-California Education Code, LC-California Labor Code, CFR-California Federal Regulations

- **If federal laws, state laws, and school district policies conflict, the more restrictive law (the one most protective of the minor) prevails. (FLSA)**
  - Employers of minors required to attend school must complete a "Statement of Intent to Employ a Minor and Request for Work Permit" (CDE B1-1) for the school attendance for each such minor. (EC 49162)
  - Employers must retain a "Permit to Employ and Work" (CDE B1-4) for each such minor. (EC 49161)
  - Work permits (CDE B1-4) must be retained for three years and be available for inspection by sanctioned authorities at all times. (EC 49164)
  - A work permit (CDE B1-4) must be revoked whenever the issuing authority determines the employment is illegal or is impairing the health or education of the minor. (EC 49164)
  - A day of rest from work is required in every seven days, and shall not exceed six days in seven. (LC 551, 552)
- Minors under the age of 18 may not work in environments declared hazardous or dangerous for young workers, examples listed below: (LC 1294.1 and 1294.5, 29 CFR 570 Subpart E)
1. Explosive exposure
  2. Motor vehicle driving/outside helper
  3. Roofing
  4. Logging and sawmilling
  5. Power-driven woodworking machines
  6. Radiation exposure
  7. Power-driven hoists/forklifts
  8. Power-driven metal forming, punching, and shearing machines
  9. Power saws and shears
  10. Power-driving meat slicing/processing machines

**HOURS OF WORK**

<b>16 &amp; 17 Year Olds</b>	<b>14 &amp; 15 Year Olds</b>	<b>12 &amp; 13 Year Olds</b>
Must have completed 7 <sup>th</sup> grade to work while school is in session. (EC 49112)	Must have completed 7 <sup>th</sup> grade to work while school is in session (EC 49112)	Labor laws generally prohibit non-farm employment of children younger than 14. Special rules apply to agricultural work, domestic work, and the entertainment industry. (LC 1285-1312)

**School In Session**

4 hours per day on any schoolday (EC 49112; 49116; LC 1391) 8 hours on any non-schoolday or on any day preceding a non-schoolday. (EC 49112; LC 1391) 48 hours per week (LC 1391) WEE students & personal attendants may work more than 4 hours on a schoolday, but never more than 8. (EC 49116; LC 1391, 1392)	3 hours per schoolday outside of school hours (EC 49112, 49116; LC 1391) 8 hours on any non-schoolday No more than 18 hours per week (EC 49116; LC 1391) WEE students may work during school hours & up to 23 hours per week. (EC 49116; LC 1391)	2 hours per schoolday and a maximum of 4 hours per week. (EC 49112)
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**School Not In Session**

8 hours per day (LC 1391, 1392) 48 hours per week (LC 1391)	8 hours per day (LC 1391, 1392) 40 hours per week (LC 1391)	8 hours per day (LC 1391, 1392) 40 hours per week (LC 1391)
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**Spread of Hours**

5 a.m.–10 p.m. However, until 12:30 a.m. on any evening preceding a non-schoolday (LC 1391) WEE students, with permission, until 12:30 a.m. on any day (LC 1391.1) Messengers: 6 a.m.–9 p.m.	7 a.m.–7 p.m., except that from June 1 through Labor Day, until 9 p.m. (LC 1391)	7 a.m.–7 p.m., except that from June 1 through Labor Day, until 9 p.m. (LC 1391)
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For more information about child labor laws, contact the U.S. Department of Labor at <http://www.dol.gov>, and the State of California Department of Industrial Relations, Division of Labor Standards Enforcement at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSE/dlse.html>.