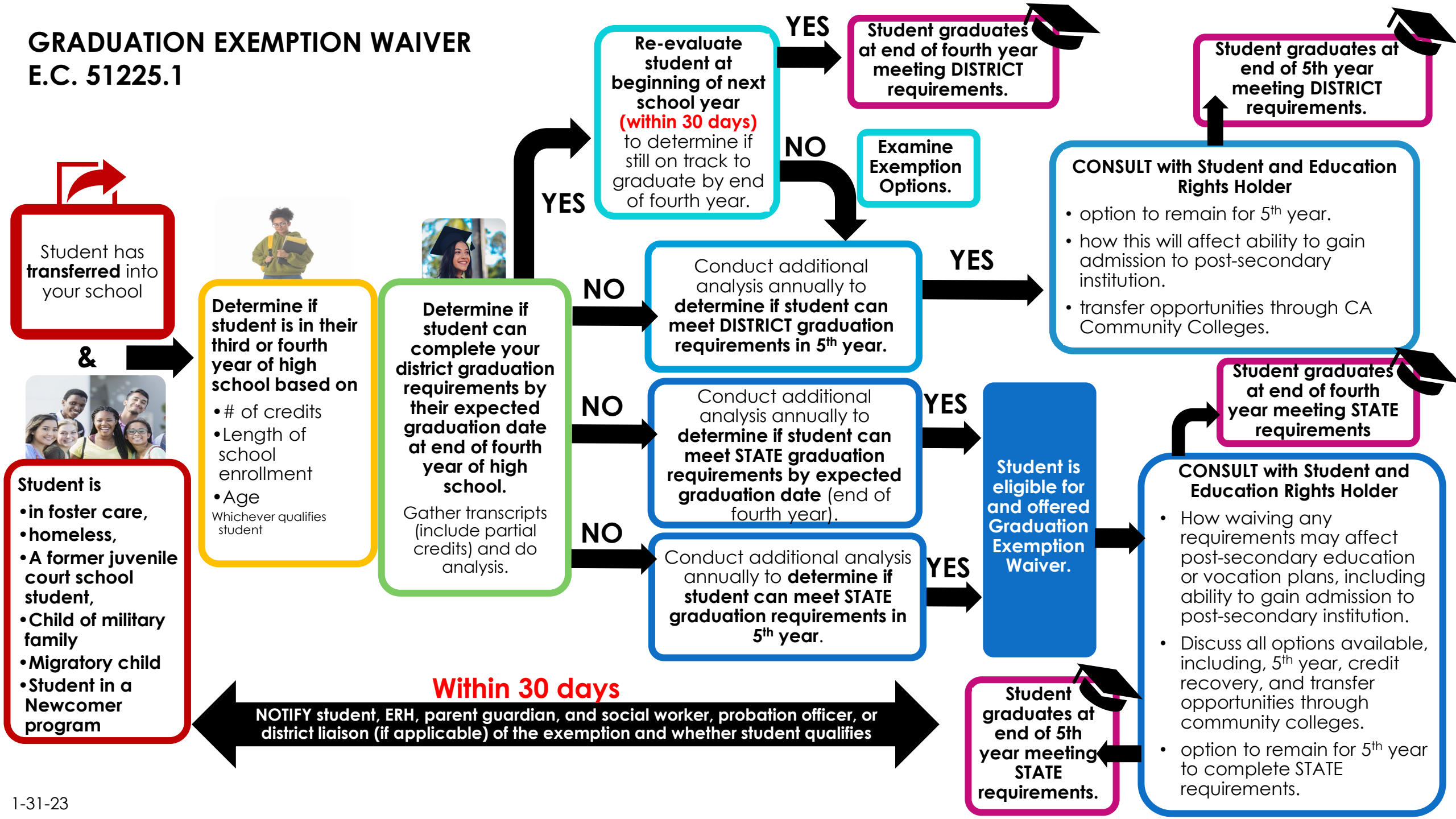


# GRADUATION EXEMPTION WAIVER E.C. 51225.1



Student has transferred into your school



- Student is
- in foster care,
  - homeless,
  - A former juvenile court school student,
  - Child of military family
  - Migratory child
  - Student in a Newcomer program

Determine if student is in their third or fourth year of high school based on

- # of credits
- Length of school enrollment
- Age

Whichever qualifies student

Determine if student can complete your district graduation requirements by their expected graduation date at end of fourth year of high school.

Gather transcripts (include partial credits) and do analysis.

Re-evaluate student at beginning of next school year (within 30 days) to determine if still on track to graduate by end of fourth year.

Student graduates at end of fourth year meeting DISTRICT requirements.

Examine Exemption Options.

Student graduates at end of 5th year meeting DISTRICT requirements.

**CONSULT with Student and Education Rights Holder**

- option to remain for 5<sup>th</sup> year.
- how this will affect ability to gain admission to post-secondary institution.
- transfer opportunities through CA Community Colleges.

Conduct additional analysis annually to determine if student can meet DISTRICT graduation requirements in 5<sup>th</sup> year.

Conduct additional analysis annually to determine if student can meet STATE graduation requirements by expected graduation date (end of fourth year).

Conduct additional analysis annually to determine if student can meet STATE graduation requirements in 5<sup>th</sup> year.

Student is eligible for and offered Graduation Exemption Waiver.

Student graduates at end of fourth year meeting STATE requirements

**CONSULT with Student and Education Rights Holder**

- How waiving any requirements may affect post-secondary education or vocation plans, including ability to gain admission to post-secondary institution.
- Discuss all options available, including, 5<sup>th</sup> year, credit recovery, and transfer opportunities through community colleges.
- option to remain for 5<sup>th</sup> year to complete STATE requirements.

Student graduates at end of 5th year meeting STATE requirements.

**Within 30 days**  
NOTIFY student, ERH, parent guardian, and social worker, probation officer, or district liaison (if applicable) of the exemption and whether student qualifies