

Nonresident Students

DEFINITION OF LEGAL RESIDENT

Residence is established by where the student normally resides. If this is other than the residence of the legal guardian, other documentation may be required.

APPLICATION PROCESS (NONRESIDENTS)

Families interested in enrolling their children in the Monroe County school district that are not residents of the county should apply by the date designated for district registration.

Families who wish to apply as nonresident students after the deadline may appeal to the Superintendent for admission.

Current and returning students do not need to fill out an application.

Students whose legal guardians are full time employees of the Monroe County School District do not need to apply.

ADMISSION OF NONRESIDENT STUDENTS

Contingent upon the recommendation of the Superintendent nonresident pupils may attend District schools when the following requirements have been met:

1. The non-resident student is not currently under any disciplinary action from another district (suspension, expulsion, placement in an alternative school)
2. Written request for admission has been submitted. An annual enrollment process be determined by the Superintendent or the Superintendent's designee.
3. Official notification of acceptance has been received from the Superintendent
4. Payment of tuition (only for out of state students)

A non-resident student may be denied enrollment in the district or asked to return to their home district for the next school year if any of the following conditions exist:

1. Cap size is exceeded in a class in which the non-resident student is enrolled.
2. The non-resident student exhibits behavior that is disruptive to the learning environment.
3. The non-resident student accumulates seven (7) unexcused absences in the course of a school year.
4. The non-resident student is not making satisfactory academic progress (passing 75% of courses attempted).

CAPACITY

A grade level will be determined to be at capacity when the enrollment reaches 98% of the state mandated student to teacher ratio. This will be based on the number of SBDM allocations provided to each school by the board divided by the number of grade levels taught at that school.

TRANSPORTATION

Bus transportation will not be provided outside the borders of Monroe County.

Nonresident Student**NOTIFICATION**

Students that are admitted will be contacted by phone by the schools guidance department to begin the enrollment process. Students that are denied will be notified by the Superintendent or designee.

Nonresident students that have not met the expectations for continued enrollment will be notified in writing by June 15th.

The Board reserves the right to admit and assign all nonresident pupils. Admission will be reviewed annually.

REFERENCES:

¹[KRS 159.010](#); [OAG 78-64](#); [OAG 91-171](#)

²42 U.S.C. 11431 et seq. (McKinney-Vento Act)

³[KRS 158.120](#); [OAG 80-47](#); [OAG 79-327](#); [OAG 75-602](#)

⁴[KRS 157.320](#)

⁵[702 KAR 007:125](#)

⁶[KRS 158.155](#); [KRS 157.330](#); [KRS 158.150](#)

⁷[KRS 158.140](#)

[KRS 157.360](#); [KRS 158.100](#)

[KRS 199.802](#)

[704 KAR 007:090](#)

P. L. 104-208

P. L. 114-95 (Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015), 20 U.S.C. § 6301 et seq.

8 U.S.C. Sections 1101 and 1184; 8 C.F.R. Section 214

Plyler v. Doe, 457 U.S. 202 (1982)

Equal Educational Opportunities Act of 1974 (EEOA)

RELATED POLICIES:

06.32; 08.1114

09.11; 09.121; 09.1222; 09.1223; 09.123; 09.124; 09.125

09.126 (re requirements/exceptions for students from military families)

09.14; 09.211

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