

ADMISSION OF NON-RESIDENT STUDENTS

The Board of Education affirms that its primary responsibility is to provide the best possible educational opportunities for the children who are legal District residents and who are of legal age to attend school.

However, a non-resident student may be admitted to District Schools upon payment to the District of the Board-adopted tuition charge, if and only if, in the judgment of the Superintendent of Schools:

1. there is sufficient space to accommodate the non-resident student;
2. no increase in the size of faculty or staff will be necessary to accommodate them;
3. the non-resident student meets the District's criteria for admission; and
4. the admission of such non-resident student during the enrollment period to be in the best interests of the District.

The Superintendent or designee shall review each application on a case-by-case basis to determine whether the student shall be admitted to attendance to the District.

As a condition of admission of a nonresident student, said admission may be revoked at any time for noncompliance with school rules, regulations, or for failure to pay the required fees and expenses. Students will not be admitted if there is insufficient space in a class or program. Once admitted to the class or program, the student may remain for the remainder of the school year unless one of the other conditions (discipline or non-payment) is present.

Future Residents

The children of families who can produce a signed a contract to buy or build a residence in the School District may be enrolled during the semester in which they expect to become residents, without payment of tuition. Proof of residence is required once the residence is occupied.

Tuition

Parents of any non-resident student granted admission are responsible to pay annual tuition. Administrative regulations will govern the implementation of the tuition charges.

Procedure

Admission of attendance to the District for non-resident students shall be, limited to a school year and requires application on an annual basis. Administrative regulations shall provide for attendance by resident students who move and become non-residents and allow those students to complete the academic year tuition free provided that transportation shall be the responsibility of the student or parent.

Ref: Education Law §3202(2)

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