

ADMISSION OF NONRESIDENT STUDENTS

Students who are residents of the District are entitled to attend its schools without payment of tuition. Nonresident students may be admitted to the District schools subject to the limits of the building, availability of staff, predetermined class sizes and payment of tuition. The District may deny the admission of a student who has been expelled from another school district.

The parent(s)/legal guardian of a nonresident student must apply in person for school admission. The Superintendent shall assign approved nonresident students to schools and the principal will determine appropriate grade placement.

The Board of Education shall make a written agreement for the payment of tuition. Tuition fees shall be determined annually and shall be calculated in accordance with state law. Tuition fees will be waived by the Board under the following conditions:

1. A child whose parent(s)/legal guardian moves from the District during the school year may be permitted to continue attending school for the remainder of the school year in which the move occurred without payment of tuition.
2. A child whose parent(s)/legal guardian demonstrates plans to become a resident of the District within a nine-week period may be enrolled in the District without payment of tuition.
3. A foreign exchange program student may attend school in the District without payment of tuition in accordance with Board policy.
4. A child who has gained twelfth grade status and is a resident of the District at the time of gaining such status shall be permitted to complete the twelfth grade without payment of tuition even though his/her parent(s)/legal guardian is a nonresident.

All tuition waivers shall be approved by the Superintendent of Schools in line with provisions of this policy.

A child who is enrolled as part of the Voluntary Student Transfer Program (Chapter 220) shall be subject to the 1987 Federal Court Settlement Agreement among the Milwaukee Public Schools, the NAACP and suburban school districts relative to the payment of tuition.

Nonresident students shall have all the rights and privileges of resident students and shall be subject to the same policies, rules and regulations as resident students. The Board reserves the right to terminate enrollment of a nonresident student and to refund a prorated amount of tuition should the student be unable to meet student requirements as stated in established policies, rules and regulations.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 120.13(1)(f) Wisconsin Statutes
120.44(2)
121.75 - 121.84
121.845 - 121.86

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CROSS REF.: 411, Equal Educational Opportunities
420, School Admissions
421, Entrance Age
422.1, Admission of Foreign Exchange Students

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