

ADMISSIONS
INTERDISTRICT TRANSFERS

FDA
(LOCAL)

Based on the available space at each grade level and within the various District programs, the Board shall determine annually whether the District shall accept transfer students, and if so, the amount of tuition to be charged within statutory limits.

AUTHORITY

The Superintendent is authorized to accept or reject any transfer requests, provided that such action is without regard to race, religion, color, sex, disability, national origin, or ancestral language.

TRANSFER
REQUESTS

A nonresident student wishing to transfer into the District shall file an application for transfer each school year with the Superintendent or designee. Transfers shall be granted for one regular school year at a time.

CHILDREN OF
DISTRICT
EMPLOYEES

Children of nonresident, full-time (at least 50 percent) District teachers (as defined by the Texas Education Code) and administrators shall be eligible to attend District schools tuition-free.

Upon completion of two years of employment with the District, the children of nonresident paraprofessional employees (teaching assistants, secretaries, and clerical staff) and auxiliary employees (grounds, custodial, maintenance, and bus drivers) shall be eligible to attend District schools tuition-free.

In order to continue enrollment from year to year, as a privilege and not a right afforded eligible District employees and their children, the children must maintain good discipline, attendance, and grades.

FACTORS

In approving a new transfer request, the Superintendent or designee shall consider availability of space and instructional staff and the student's disciplinary history and attendance records.

In approving a transfer request for a student who has previously been enrolled as a transfer student, the Superintendent or designee shall consider the following:

1. The availability of space and instructional staff;
2. The student's disciplinary history and attendance records;
3. Whether the student made satisfactory academic progress during the previous school year; and
4. Whether the student's parents or guardian remained current on tuition payments throughout the previous school year.

A transfer student who does not have a parent employed by the District shall not be eligible to participate in the District's Spanish immersion program or the dual language program.

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TRANSFER AGREEMENTS	A transfer student shall be notified in the written transfer agreement that he or she must follow all rules and regulations of the District. Violation of the terms of the agreement may result in a transfer request not being approved the following year.
UIL ELIGIBILITY	The eligibility of a transfer student to participate in UIL activities shall be determined by all applicable UIL regulations and Board policy FMF(LOCAL).
TUITION EXCEPTIONS	<p>A student who moves out of the District after the school year begins is eligible to remain in the District tuition-free until the end of the grading period in which the student moved out. If the student wishes to continue in the District for the remainder of the school year, he or she must apply as a tuition student and, if accepted, tuition shall be due for the remainder of the year.</p> <p>The Superintendent shall have the authority to waive tuition for senior students.</p> <p>If the Superintendent approves the transfer, the following nonresident students shall be exempt from tuition:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Foreign students living with a teacher employed by the District.2. Foreign students temporarily living outside the District as long as the program and the students' participation are approved by the Superintendent.
WAIVERS	The Board may waive tuition for a student based on financial hardship upon written application by the student, parent, or guardian. [See FP]
NONPAYMENT	The District may initiate withdrawal of students whose tuition payments are delinquent.
APPEALS	Any appeals shall be made in accordance with FNG(LOCAL) and GF(LOCAL), as appropriate.