

NORTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: ATTENDANCE OF
NONRESIDENT STUDENTS

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202. ATTENDANCE OF NONRESIDENT STUDENTS	
<p>1. Purpose SC 501, 502</p>	<p>The Board shall operate the schools of this district for the benefit of children resident in this district and eligible for attendance.</p>
<p>2. Authority SC 1301, 1316 Pol. 200</p>	<p>The Board may permit the admission of nonresident students in accordance with the terms of this policy.</p>
<p>SC 1302 Title 22 Sec. 11.19</p>	<p>The Board shall require a sworn statement of residential support or documentation of appropriate legal guardianship for the student who resides with a person other than his/her parent/guardian or custodian.</p>
<p>SC 1316, 2561 Pol. 607</p>	<p>The Board may require a resident to submit additional reasonable information to substantiate a sworn statement, in accordance with guidelines issued by the Department of Education.</p> <p>The Board shall not be responsible for the transportation to or from school of any student residing outside of school district boundaries.</p>
<p>3. Guidelines SC 1305</p>	<p>Tuition rates shall be determined in accordance with statute. Tuition shall be charged monthly, in advance of attendance.</p> <p><u>Nonresident Children Placed In The District</u></p> <p>Any child placed in the home of a resident of this district by a court or an agency of government shall be admitted to the schools and shall receive the same benefits and be subject to the same duties as resident children.</p>

<p>SC 1306, 1307, 1308, 1309, 1310 Title 22 Sec. 11.18</p>	<p><u>Inmates Of Institutions</u></p> <p>A child who is an inmate of an institution for the care or training of children located within this district, is not a legal resident of the district by such placement, but shall be admitted to the schools of this district and a charge shall be made for tuition in accordance with statute.</p>
<p>SC 1306.2, 1318</p>	<p><u>Juveniles Incarcerated In Adult Facilities</u></p> <p>A juvenile who is eligible for educational services and is confined to an adult local correctional institution following conviction for a criminal offense shall receive educational services from the school district in the same manner and extent as an expelled student.</p>
<p>SC 1306.2</p>	<p>A juvenile who is eligible for educational services and is confined to an adult local correctional institution following a charge for a criminal offense shall receive educational services from the school district in the same manner and extent as a student placed in an alternative education program for disruptive students.</p>
	<p><u>Consortium Agreements</u></p> <p>A child who is participating in the intermediate unit's special education consortium agreement, or other fair share or special education agreements or programs approved by the School Board, may be admitted to the schools of this district.</p>
<p>SC 1316</p>	<p><u>Future Residents</u></p> <p>Students otherwise eligible for attendance whose parents/guardians have executed a contract to buy or build a residence in this district for occupancy within sixty (60) school days may be enrolled without payment of tuition for the sixty (60) school day period previous to the anticipated date of residency. A pre-resident agreement form must be signed by the parents/guardians. If the child does not become a resident of the district by the end of the period for which free attendance is given, tuition will be charged for any days after the sixty (60) school day grace period but prior to residency. The parent(s)/guardian(s) will be responsible for providing transportation for the student(s). Parents/Guardians of children who claim admission on the basis of future residency shall be required to demonstrate proof of the anticipated residency. The Board reserves the right to verify such claims and to remove from school a nonresident student whose claim is invalid.</p>

	<p>References:</p> <p>School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 501, 502, 1301, 1302, 1305, 1306, 1306.2, 1309, 1310, 1316, 2503, 2561</p> <p>State Board of Education Regulations – 22 PA Code Sec. 11.18, 11.19, 11.41</p> <p>Board Policy – 103, 200, 607, 906</p>
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