SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AREAS

The Board determines attendance areas for the various schools of the District. The Chief Executive Officer recommends boundary lines, taking into consideration the best use of school facilities, the equalization of enrollments in classrooms, natural barriers and traffic hazards and traffic patterns. Except as the foregoing factors influence boundary lines, the area established should generally permit each student to attend the school nearest his/her place of residence.

ASSIGNMENT OF STUDENTS TO SCHOOLS

Generally, students attend the school, which best serves their academic needs and which serves the attendance area in which their parents reside, or if a student does not reside with his/her parents, in the school serving the attendance area where the child resides, as determined under Ohio law. Upon acceptance, the student may attend another school pursuant to the District's intradistrict open enrollment policy.

The Chief Executive Officer is vested with the authority to assign students to schools. The Chief Executive Officer or his/her designee is authorized to make exceptions on the basis of hardship and student need and may assign a student to a school outside his/her own attendance area.

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LEGAL REFERENCES:

ORC 3313.48; 3313.49; 3313.64; 3313.65; 3313.97; 3319.01

CROSS REFERENCES:

JECD, Intradistrict Open Enrollment
JGBA, Programs for Disabled Students

NOTE: Interscholastic athletic eligibility for a student’s transfer from one district school to another or from a private school is determined by the athletic office, according to the regulations of the State Board of Education.

NOTE: THIS IS A REQUIRED POLICY