SECOND READING BY BOARD

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Special Update - Nondiscrimination - July 2026 Technical Correction ASSIGNMENT WITHIN DISTRICT

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The ~~School~~ Board directs that the assignment of students to schools within this District be consistent with the best interests of students and the best use of the resources of this District.

The Board shall determine periodically the school attendance areas of the District and shall expect the students within each area to attend the school so designated.

The Superintendent shall periodically review existing attendance areas and recommend to the Board such changes as may be justified .

No assignment to schools or attendance schedules shall discriminate against students on the basis of any Protected Class consistent with Board Policy 2260 - Nondiscrimination and Access to Equal Educational Opportunity. ~~gender, race, religion, disability, or national origin.~~

The Superintendent or designee may assign a student to a school other than that designated by the attendance area when such exception is justified by circumstances and is in the best interest of the student.

~~Every~~ ~~effort~~ Effort shall be made to continue a student in the elementary school to which the student ~~s/he~~ is initially assigned. Wherever possible and advisable in the interests of the students, siblings shall be assigned to the same building.

The Superintendent or designee shall assign incoming transfer students to such schools, grades, and classes ~~as may afford each student the greatest likelihood of realizing his/her fullest educational potential~~ .

The principal shall assign students in the principal's ~~his/her~~ school to appropriate grades, classes, or groups. ~~This action shall be based on consideration of the needs of the student as well as the administration of the school.~~

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