Students

Ages of Attendance/Admissions/Placement

The New Fairfield Board of Education (the "Board") complies with its legal obligation to cause each child five years of age and over and under eighteen years of age who is not a high school graduate and is residing within the Board's jurisdiction to attend school in accordance with Connecticut General Statutes § 10-184.

Effective July 1, 2024, the New Fairfield Public Schools (the "District") shall be open to resident children five years of age and over who reach age five on or before the first day of September of any school year.

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes

10-15c Discrimination by public schools prohibited. School attendance for five-year-olds

10-220 Duties of boards of education

10-221 Board of education to prescribe rules, policies, and procedures

10-184 Duties of parents. School attendance age requirements

Public Act 23-208, "An Act Making Certain Revisions to the Education Statutes."

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