## Three Rivers School District

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## **ASSIGNMENT OF STUDENTS**

Students shall attend the school in the attendance area in which they reside unless an in-district transfer agreement is approved by both principals and by the Curriculum/Federal Programs Director or as otherwise provided by state or federal law.

Students changing residence during the second semester may complete the school year at the school which they have been attending, provided attendance remains acceptable. The parent or guardian is responsible for transportation.

Individual school attendance boundaries shall be established by the Superintendent and may be changed as population conditions warrant or capacities of buildings require adjustment of student loads.

A student whose educational interest would be better served in another school, as determined by the administration, or because the student has not met or has exceeded academic content standards as provided by ORS 329.485 may be allowed to attend that school.

A student attending a district school identified for school improvement, corrective action or restructuring as provided by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (NCLBA) will be allowed to transfer to a district school that has not been identified as a school in need of improvement. Transfer will be allowed no later than the first day of the school year following such identification. Transfer priority will be given to the lowest achieving students from low-income families. As provided by law, lack of space will not be used as a determining factor for students requesting such transfers. All other transfer requests will be contingent upon adequate classroom space and staff. A student transferring for school improvement purposes will be permitted to remain in the school until he/she completes the highest grade in that school.

A student who becomes a victim of a violent criminal offense while in or on the grounds of a school the students attends, or any student attending a district school that is identified by the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) as persistently dangerous may, as required by NCLBA, transfer to a safe district school that is meeting adequate yearly progress standards as defined by law. Parents are responsible for transportation. Students transferring schools pursuant to the provisions of NCLBA will be provided with district transportation.

**END OF POLICY** 

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 329.485 ORS 332.107

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No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, 20 USC 6316, 7912

Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) Flexibility Waiver; July 18, 2012