
Note: This local policy has been revised in accordance with the District's [innovation plan](#).¹

Authority

The Superintendent is authorized to accept or reject any transfer requests, provided that such action is without regard to race, religion, color, sex, disability, national origin, or ancestral language.

~~A resident student in grades 9–12 who becomes a nonresident during the course of a semester shall be permitted to continue in attendance for the remainder of the semester.~~

~~A resident student in kindergarten–grade 8 who becomes a nonresident during the course of a school year shall be permitted to continue in attendance for the remainder of the school year.~~

A resident student who becomes a nonresident during the course of a six-week grading period shall be permitted to continue in attendance for the remainder of the six-week grading period.

Transfer Requests

A nonresident student wishing to transfer into the District shall file an application for transfer with the Superintendent or designee. Once a transfer to a school is approved, and as long as the student is continuously enrolled at that District school and abides by the transfer agreement, the student shall be allowed to complete his or her academic program at that District school, unless the transfer is revoked.

Factors

In approving transfers, the Superintendent or designee shall consider availability of space and instructional staff and the student's disciplinary history and attendance records.

Transfer Agreements

A transfer student shall be notified in the written transfer agreement that he or she must follow all rules and regulations of the District.

In accordance with the District's innovation plan, the District is exempt from state law requiring transfers to be for a one-year period. Therefore, violation of the terms of the agreement may result in revocation of the agreement during the school year or may result in a transfer request not being approved the following year.

Tuition

If the District charges tuition, the amount shall be set by the Board, within statutory limits.

Waivers

The Board may waive tuition for a student based on financial hardship upon written application by the student, parent, or guardian. [See FP]

Nonpayment

The District may initiate withdrawal of students whose tuition payments are delinquent.

Appeals

Any appeals shall be made in accordance with FNG(LOCAL) and GF(LOCAL), as appropriate.

¹ Innovation Plan:

http://www.apisd.org/main_menu/district_of_innovation/district_of_innovation_plan