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ADMISSION OF EXCHANGE AND FOREIGN STUDENTS (Foreign Exchange Students)

The Governing Board may admit nonresident foreign students without payment of tuition or as it may otherwise prescribe.

The Governing Board may admit the same number of nonresident foreign students who are in exchange programs and who are recipients of a J-1 visa pursuant to federal law, that is equal to the number of resident students enrolled in that local education agency who are currently participating in a foreign exchange program, as determined by the Department of Education, without the payment of tuition.

The number of foreign exchange students shall not exceed one (1) exchange student for each two hundred fifty (250) to three hundred fifty (350) students enrolled in the school. Exceptions may be made by the Superintendent. In addition, students admitted under this policy must meet the conditions as outlined in A.R.S. 15-823.

The principal will review requests, and a decision will be made to allow or disallow admittance under this policy. The decision shall be final.

Exchange students who do not meet the conditions, pursuant to A.R.S. 15-823 and as outlined above, may be admitted on a tuition basis, following approval by the principal.

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