

Release of Resident Students

Students living within the district boundaries may be released to attend school in another district under any of the following conditions:

1. A special hardship relating to the finances, education, safety or health of the student or the student's immediate family, which might be significantly eased by the transfer;
2. Students who move into the district in mid-semester and wish to finish the school year in their former district;
3. Students in grade twelve who move into the district and wish to complete their high school program in their former district;

Parents shall provide transportation except that the students may ride on an established district bus route if there is no additional cost to the district.

Parents shall submit their request for transfer in writing to the superintendent, state reasons for the request. The superintendent or designee shall grant or deny the request according to the above stated criteria and notify the parents promptly.

If the recommendation is to deny the request, the superintendent or designee shall tell the parents of their right to a hearing with the board at its next regularly scheduled meeting. The parents shall be told of the decision promptly thereafter.

If the request is granted, the superintendent or designee shall provide appropriate information to the nonresident district.

Legal References:	RCW 2819.225.220	Adults, children from other districts, agreements for attending school
	RCW 28A.225.230	Appeal from certain decisions to deny student's request to attend nonresident district
	WAC 392-137-040	District policies - procedure crib for release of resident students and admission of nonresident students
	WAC 392-137-055	Appeal notice

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