

StudentsResident Students

Students who are residents of the school district will attend the district schools without paying tuition.

A student is a resident of the school district if he or she resides in the school district, or if at least one of the student's parents reside in the school district.

Students whose residency in the district ceases during a school year may be permitted to continue attending school for the remainder of the school year.

In cases of disputed residency, the Superintendent will decide each case involving the determination of residence of a student upon its individual merits. The burden of proof to supply the necessary documents to demonstrate legal residence shall rest with the person claiming legal residence in the district. At the request of the Superintendent, parents will submit form "Proof of Residency – A" to the district, with the required supporting documentation.

Any student who is unable to provide proof of residency by providing the required documentation listed in "Proof of Residency – A", will submit form "Proof of Residency – B" with the required co-signatures and notarization. Any such student will also be subject to residency checks by the district. A residency check is a visit to the provided address by district staff to ensure that the student and/or the student's parent(s) are residing in the address provided. Students who repeatedly fail residency checks will be deemed to be improperly enrolled.

**Improper Enrollment:**

If a student is improperly enrolled in the district, the district in its sole discretion may:

1. Exclude the student from the schools of the district: or
2. Permit the nonresident student to remain enrolled in the district as a nonresident student provided the student files appropriate option paperwork or other legal documents entitling him/her to attend the district.

All admissions are subject to the condition that admission requirements other than residency be satisfied to the extent required by law and that the School District is legally responsible for or authorized to admit the child or provide educational services to the child.

Legal Reference: Neb. Rev. Stat. § 79-215 (residency and admission)

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