Reciprocal Agreements with Other School Districts

Reciprocal written agreements with other school districts concerning nonresident students shall be made in compliance with state statutes[1] and administrative regulations.[2]

It shall be the policy of the Board to deny requests made by (or on behalf of) a student for the waiver of Average Daily Attendance (A.D.A.) to enable that student to attend another school district. However, the Superintendent may approve any such request if one of the below criteria are met;

- when the student is placed in another school district by court order; or
- when the student requires a specific program for special needs students (reflected by provisions of the Individual Education Program), and such program is not offered by the District; or
- when the student's parent is a full-time certified or classified employee of another school district and the student's parent has requested in writing to the Superintendent that the student be permitted to attend the same district; or
- when the student resided in a different school district and the student is entering the eighth (8th) grade or is currently an eighth (8th) grader and then moves within the Southgate School District and the student has requested in writing to the Superintendent to waive A.D.A.

Furthermore, any student who resides in the District and is entering the high school level or is currently a high school student may attend the high school of their choosing and the District will waive A.D.A.

Any request that is submitted to the Superintendent shall be reported to the Board at its next scheduled meeting; upon approval of any request by the Superintendent, the District shall not be required to provide transportation for students whose requests have been approved.

REFERENCES:

[1]KRS 157.350(4)
[2]702 KAR 007:125
OAG 91-75

RELATED POLICIES:

09.12
09.124

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