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Transfers Within the System

Transfer students will meet the same enrollment requirements as new students.

Up to two (2) weeks prior to the beginning of the school year, a student may choose to attend a school within the system other than the one to which he/she is zoned.** However, the student must provide his/ her own transportation to and from the school.

After a student has enrolled in one (1) school within the system, he/she will not be permitted to transfer to another unless there is a change in residence of the student's parents or guardian outside the area in which the student enrolled. Any exception to this policy must be brought before the director of schools for evaluation and decision.

Students whose families transfer their residence to another school area after the first month of school may complete the school year at their former school. Students who present evidence that they will move during the school year and who desire to enroll in a new school in the new area may do so with prior written request for a change of school area. The director of schools may grant other exceptions to this policy for good and sufficient reasons.

Principals shall allow credit for work transferred from other schools only when substantiated by official transcripts or successful completion of comprehensive written examinations approved, administered and graded by the principal or his/her designated representative.¹

Legal Reference:

1. TRR/MS 0520-1-3-.03 (11)(a-e)

** Not effective in event of federally-mandated desegregation order.