

For school purposes, the residence of the pupil's parent(s), custodial parent(s), or guardian determines that of the child. The Board of Education, or its designee, shall determine student residency and whether a student is entitled to attend the schools of the District. Procedures for such determination shall comply with Commissioner's Regulation Section 100.2(y).

1. Non-resident students will not be accepted for enrollment in this school district. Students in their senior year who become non-residents after the opening of school for that school year may continue their education in the BH-BL High School for the remainder of that school year only. Transportation will become the responsibility of the parents and/or guardians. No tuition will be charged for such attendance. Students in grades K-11 who attend classes in Charlton Heights Elementary, Pashley Elementary, Stevens Elementary, O'Rourke Middle School or BH-BL High School and become non-residents after March 1 may continue their education in these schools for the remainder of that school year only. Transportation will become the responsibility of the parents and/or guardians. No tuition will be charged for such attendance.
2. Students who cannot be provided in their own district with a program that is available in our school district may be recommended by the Superintendent of Schools to the Board of Education for acceptance upon payment of regular tuition rates.
3. Full time employees of this school district who reside outside of this school district may, upon payment of the regular tuition fee, enroll their children in the district schools. Placement of the child in a school will be determined by the Superintendent of Schools.
4. Students sponsored by recognized agencies or organizations such as the American Field Service, Experiment in International Living, Rotary Exchange Program, or other programs in which the receiving parents are authorized to assume full control and responsibility for the visiting student will be accepted tuition free.
5. An exchange agreement with a local school district may be considered with tuition-free enrollment when special situations warrant. The BH-BL district and the home district must agree that a student enrollment in a BH-BL school will be of mutual benefit and in the student's best interest. The agreement must be in writing and specify the sending district's willingness to reciprocate when it is in the best interests of the district and of a BH-BL student to attend a bordering school district without tuition. Board of Education approval will be necessary before any such agreement can be concluded.

Tuition fees will be computed according to the formula of the Commissioner of Education. This policy complies with current New York State Comptroller's Regulations regarding tuition for all non-resident pupils.

TUITION FEES - NON-RESIDENT

Non-resident students, when accepted, will be charged tuition computed in accordance with the regulations of the Commissioner of Education. The Board will also establish a tuition rate for students with handicapping conditions, through a formula provided by the Education Department, to be charged to any other school district for such services that may be provided for such non-resident pupils by the district.

Non-resident students whose parents own assessable property in the school district have the school tax payment subtracted from the tuition bill.

Reviewed January 2011
Renumbered from P5116 – September 2015

Revised May 2005
Renumbered from P3240 – September 2015