

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AREAS

School attendance areas shall be established by the Board of Education to reasonably balance class sizes throughout the district, to make optimal use of staff and facilities, to relieve overcrowding and/or to facilitate district provided transportation.

Modifications to established attendance areas shall occur from time to time.

Any modifications in attendance areas will be finalized by June 1st. Students shall attend the school located in the attendance area in which they live, unless assigned elsewhere by the superintendent pursuant to Board policy. The superintendent is empowered to assign students to schools outside their established attendance areas and to grant exceptions for individual students in accordance with guidelines established by the Board of Education. Students enrolling after the final day of the preceding school year will be assigned administratively for that year on a case by case basis.

Administration shall seek to balance class sizes between district buildings through volunteers, intra-district transfer students, assignment of students new to the district, etc. before assigning elementary children from the same family to different attendance areas. Every effort shall be made to assign siblings in the elementary grades to the same attendance area. It is recognized that this may not always be possible.

Parents/guardians of kindergarten students are expected to attend the kindergarten orientation/screening at the school in which attendance area they reside.

Legal Ref.: Sections 118.001 Wisconsin Statutes
118.13
120.13

Cross Ref.: 343.2, Class Sizes
411, Equal Educational Opportunities
422, Admission of Nonresident Students (Other Than Open Enrollment Students)
423, full-time Open Enrollment
432-Rule, Intra-District Transfer of Students
433, Assignment of Students to Classes

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