

IS YOUR HOUSING UNCERTAIN?



YOU HAVE
IMPORTANT
SCHOOL
RIGHTS!

ARE YOU LIVING...

- With relatives, friends, or others because of economic hardship?
- In a shelter?
- In a motel or hotel?
- In inadequate housing?

THEN YOU MAY BE PROTECTED UNDER THE MCKINNEY-VENTO ACT!

Children and youth in temporary housing have the right to:

- stay in the same school, including pre-k, and get free transportation even if it is across district lines;
- immediately enroll in school without records (school records, medical records, vaccination records, proof of residency);
- get special education services immediately if the student has a current Individualized Education Program (IEP);
- participate fully in any school activities, including before-or-after-school activities;
- get free school meals without filling out an application;
- get help enrolling in pre-k, Head Start, other preschool programs, and Early Intervention; and
- get help preparing and applying for college.

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