

SUBJECT: NON-RESIDENT STUDENTS

The Board of Education affirms that its primary responsibility is to educate children who are residents of the District and who are of legal age to attend school. Non-resident families who wish to enroll children in the Churchville-Chili Central School District shall submit a request in writing to the Superintendent. The Superintendent will review such requests and make recommendations regarding non-resident student admission to the Board of Education. The Board of Education will have final authority to approve or deny such requests.

Non-resident student enrollment requests will only be considered where:

- a) There is sufficient space to accommodate the non-resident student;
- b) No increase in the size of faculty or staff will be necessary; and
- c) Admittance will not result in the establishment of a new section.

In making determinations regarding the admittance of non-resident students, the District will not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, age, gender, weight, disability or other legally protected category.

In the event a non-resident student is permitted to attend the District's schools, his/her attendance will be subject to the following conditions:

- a) Parents/guardians must arrange with the home school district the transfer of records for their child(ren) and provide their own transportation.
- b) All rules and regulations in effect for District students will be applicable to non-District students; and
- c) Tuition may be charged to families of non-resident students in accordance with formulas approved by the State Education Department.

Future Students

The children of families who have signed a contract to buy or build a residence in the School District may be enrolled during the semester in which they expect to become residents with or without payment of tuition, at the discretion of the superintendent. Non-resident tuition shall be charged, payable in advance, with an adjustment to be made when the family becomes a resident in the District.

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Former Residents

In the following limited circumstances, children who are no longer District residents may be permitted to attend the District's schools without payment of tuition at the discretion of the superintendent, provided they meet the following conditions:

- a) The superintendent will consider permitting students of any grade who move from the Churchville-Chili Central School District during the school year to finish the semester in which the move occurs provided they are in good academic and behavioral standing.
- b) The superintendent will consider permitting students who are residents who move from the District after completion of the first semester of the year preceding their anticipated graduation year, to remain in the Churchville-Chili Central School District until graduation provided they are in good academic and behavioral standing.
- c) If permission to remain is granted, parents are responsible for providing their own transportation.

Foreign Exchange Students

Please see policy 7132 *Admission of Exchange Students* for the requirements of foreign exchange students.

Reservation of Claims

Should a material misstatement of fact be made and relied upon by any administrator or the Board of Education in admitting a non-resident student without tuition, the Board shall be entitled to recover the cost of instruction for the time the student was not authorized to attend a school in the District from the person having made the misstatement or from a person in parental relation to the student.

Tuition Fees

Where applicable, tuition fees are computed according to a formula established by the Commissioner of Education.

Tuition of individual non-resident students shall be computed in advance at the time of enrollment. Methods of payment (e.g., quarterly or by semester) may be arranged in the District Office and approved by the Superintendent. Non-resident student status is contingent upon timely payment of tuition fees as established by the Board of Education.

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Legal Residence

Parents who maintain more than one residence, but whose legal residence for the purposes of voting or filing income tax is within the District, are eligible to send their children to District schools.
Refer also to Policy 7132 *Admission of Exchange Students*

Education Law Sections 1709(13) and 3202
8 New York Code of Rules and Regulations (NYCRR) Section 174.2

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