



**MEMORANDUM**

To: Members of the Board of Trustees

Through: Christina S. Melton, Ed.D. *CSM*  
Superintendent

From: Dr. Michael R. Harris  
Chief Planning and Administrative Officer *MRH*

Date: February 17, 2021

Re: Superintendent's Report

Purpose: The attached recommendations for Redistricting Exemptions are applicable for the 2021-2022 school year.

Exemptions are recommended as a result of Board approved Redistricting Initiatives (January 25, 2021).

Attached: 2021-2022 Redistricting Exemptions

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## **2021-2022 Redistricting Exemptions**

**Chapin Elementary School  
Lake Murray Elementary School  
Piney Woods Elementary School**

The following are administrative recommendations for Redistricting Exemptions for the above schools during the 2021-2022 school year:

- The student is a permanent resident of School District Five prior to July 1, 2021;
- Rising 4th grade students impacted by the 2018 and 2019 Enrollment Freeze MAY remain in the school they currently attend for the 2021-2022 school year;
- Siblings of rising 4th grade students (students K - 3rd only) impacted by the 2018 and 2019 Enrollment Freeze MAY remain in the school they currently attend through the highest grade level;
- Parents/Legal Guardians must assume responsibility for transportation for their child(ren) and the student(s) must maintain an acceptable discipline and attendance record in order for the Exemption to remain in effect.
- All students who are new to school District Five (after July 1, 2021) will attend the school within their attendance zone (CES, LMES, PWES).

### **School of Choice:**

- School of Choice will be available for PWES (K - 4th);
- If a student(s) is selected through a random lottery to enroll into a School of Choice, the student may remain through the highest grade level (Board Policy JFBA - Intra District Transfer and Withdrawal);
- Parents/Legal Guardians must assume responsibility for transportation for their child(ren) and the student(s) must maintain an acceptable discipline and attendance record in order for the School of Choice approval to remain in effect.