

Descriptor Term: ENROLLMENT OF STUDENTS RESIDING WITH GUARDIANS

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- I. All students must reside within the boundaries of the Gulfport School District and within the geographical boundaries of the attendance center at which the student is enrolled.
- II. Students residing within the District with a legal guardian, other than their natural parents may not enroll in or attend any school within the District until the following conditions have been satisfied:
  - A. Guardians must submit certified copies of all documents relating to the appointment and qualification as guardians both at the time of initial enrollment and again prior to the first day of each school year.
  - B. Guardian must submit a statement properly sworn to before a Notary Public or other duly authorized official attesting to the following:
    - a. That he/she is the legal guardian of the student as decreed by a Court of law.
    - b. That the student is actually residing at the specified street address within the boundaries of the Gulfport School District.
    - c. That he/she has been given a copy of this policy and understands that students not actually residing with the court-appointed guardian at the specified street address will be immediately withdrawn from the Gulfport School District or the attendance center at which the student is enrolled; and that the court awarding the guardianship will be notified of the withdrawal action by the District.