

Houston County Board of Education

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| Monitoring: Review: Annually, in March | Descriptor Term: <h2 style="text-align: center;">Admission of Suspended or Expelled Students</h2> | Descriptor Code: <h3 style="text-align: center;">6.318</h3> | Issued Date: <h3 style="text-align: center;">07/18/24</h3> |
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The Board may deny admission of any student (except those in state custody) who has been expelled or suspended from another school district in Tennessee or another state even though the student has established residency in the district in which he/she seeks enrollment.

After a request for enrollment is made, the Director of Schools shall investigate the facts surrounding the suspension or expulsion from the former school district. The principal may ask the parent(s)/guardian(s) in writing if their student has been adjudicated delinquent for an offense listed in TCA 49-6-3051 and submit any records to the Director of Schools.¹ Based on the results of the investigation, the Director of Schools shall make a recommendation to the Board to approve or deny the request.

The Board shall not deny enrollment beyond the length of the imposed suspension or expulsion.

A student may be dismissed if it is determined subsequent to the enrollment that the student has been suspended or expelled from the former school district.²

Legal References

1. [Public Acts of 2024, Chapter No. 721](#)
2. [TCA 49-6-3401\(f\); 20 USCA § 1232g\(b\)\(4\), \(h\)](#)

Cross References

School Admissions 6.203
 Student Records 6.600