

EGG HARBOR CITY PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT
Egg Harbor City, New Jersey

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Policy

NONPUBLIC SCHOOL PUPILS

New Jersey statute and regulations of the State Board of Education require the board of education to provide certain services and supplies to those New Jersey children whose parents/guardians enroll them in nonpublic schools within the confines of the district. Out-of-state pupils enrolled in nonpublic schools within the district are not included.

Nursing Services

The Egg Harbor City Board of Education shall, within the funding limitations as determined by the state's appropriations and nonpublic school enrollment, provide the mandated nursing services for pupils enrolled full-time in nonpublic schools located within the district. Specified nursing services include:

- A. Assistance with medical examinations including dental screening;
- B. Hearing screenings;
- C. Maintenance of student health records and notification of local or county health officials of improperly immunized pupils;
- D. Conducting of scoliosis examinations for pupils between the ages of 10 and 18.

The district shall extend to pupils enrolled full-time in nonpublic schools in the district who are injured or become ill at school or during participation on a school team or squad the emergency care provided to public school pupils up to the limit of state aid provided.

No district shall be required to make expenditures for purposes of this act in excess of the amount of state aid received for these purposes.

Textbooks

Upon individual requests from parents/guardians of students attending a nonpublic school within this school district, the board shall purchase and loan textbooks without charge to students in the nonpublic school. To be eligible for this benefit the student must be a resident of New Jersey.

The parent/guardian shall submit a signed and written request addressed to the district board of education for the loan of textbooks. The request may be submitted directly to the board or through the nonpublic school and forwarded to the board. All individual requests shall be due on or before March 1 of the preceding the school year.

All textbooks loaned to students attending nonpublic schools in this district shall remain the property of the board. The chief school administrator or his or her designee shall label the textbooks prior to the loan indicating that the textbooks are the property of Egg harbor City School District.

The textbooks shall be returned to the end of the school year unless an extension of the loan is requested or the board enters into an agreement with the nonpublic schools to store the books. In the event of such an agreement, the board shall not pay storage charges of any kind to a nonpublic school for this service.

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Students who are loaned district owned textbooks shall be required to reimburse the district for damage, loss or destruction of the loaned textbooks.

Other Services

New Jersey State resident parents/guardians of students attending a nonpublic school within this school district shall be provided the following services upon written signed request:

- A. Identification, referral, evaluation, and determination of eligibility for special education and/or related services, the development of individualized education programs, and speech correction for articulation disorders and remedial services provided by an appropriately certified professional;
- B. Services of a certified speech-language specialist at a location determined by the board;
- C. Transportation or aid in lieu of transportation;
- D. Supportive services for acquiring communication proficiency in the English language for children of limited English speaking ability, supplementary instruction services, and home instruction services.

Services shall be provided only upon the written consent of the parent/guardian of the pupil and shall include procedural safeguards provided to pupils of this district.

Federal Requirements

All requirements of federal law shall be obeyed; particularly those addressed in provision of Title 1 program services, and **IDEA** (see policies 6171.3 At-risk and Title 1 and 6171.4 Special Education). Among the programs included are: Title 1 programs, Reading First, Migrant Education, and Title 3 English Language Acquisition. The district shall provide the teachers and families of such students with equitable participation in parent involvement and professional development activities.

Implementation

The chief school administrator shall develop rules, regulations and procedures for the efficient and economical delivery of such services and supplies as are mandated by law. Wherever possible, already existing means and procedures for delivering those same supplies and services to the pupils attending the district's public schools shall be utilized.

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Legal References: N.J.S.A. 18A:39-1 et seq. Transportation of pupils
N.J.S.A. 18A:40-3.2 et seq. Medical and Nursing Personnel
N.J.S.A. 18A:40-23 et seq. Nursing Services for Nonpublic School Pupils
N.J.S.A. 18A:40A-1 et seq. Substance Abuse
See particularly:
N.J.S.A. 18A:40A-5, -17(c)
N.J.S.A. 18A:46-19.1 et seq. Remedial services for handicapped children in nonpublic schools ...

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<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:46A-1 <u>et seq.</u>	Auxiliary services (nonpublic school pupils)
<u>N.J.S.A.</u> 18A:58-37.3	Purchase and loan of textbooks
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:14-1.1 <u>et seq.</u>	Special Education
See particularly:	
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:14-6.1 <u>et seq.</u>	
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:16-2.5	Nursing services to nonpublic school students
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:23A-20.1	Purchase and loan of textbooks
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:23A-20.2	Responsibility of the district board of education
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:27-2.1 <u>et seq.</u>	Nonpublic School Transportation
<u>N.J.A.C.</u> 6A:30-1.1 <u>et seq.</u>	Evaluation of the Performance of School Districts

20 U.S.C.A. 1400 et seq. - Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (formerly Education for All Handicapped Children Act) -Part B

No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, Pub. L. 107-110, 20 U.S.C.A. 6301 et seq.

Hawkins-Stafford Elementary and Secondary School Improvement Amendments of 1988 (P.L. 100-297)

Agostini v. Felton, 521 U.S. 203 (1997), overruling Aguilar v. Felton, 473 U.S. 402 (1985)

Mitchell v. Helms, No. 98-1648, 2000 U.S. Lexis 4485 (June 28, 2000) 530 U.S. 793 (2000)

Parents for Student Safety, Inc. v. Board of Education of the Morris School District, 1986 S.L.D. (February 5), St. Bd. rev'g 1984 S.L.D. (August 24)

Possible

<u>Cross References:</u>	*1330	Use of school facilities
	*1600	Relations between other entities and the district
	*3541.1	Transportation routes and services
	*5131.6	Drugs, alcohol, tobacco (substance abuse)
	*5141.1	Accidents
	*5141.2	Illness
	*5141.3	Health examinations and immunizations
	*6145.1/6145.2	Intramural competition; interscholastic competition
	*6171.3	At-risk and Title 1
	*6171.4	Special education
	6174	Summer school

*Indicates policy is included in the Critical Policy Reference Manual.