

Students

Ages of Attendance

In accordance with Connecticut General Statute 10-186, The Woodstock Academy Board of Trustees shall provide education for all sending town persons of equivalent high school age and under twenty-one years of age who have not graduated from a high school or vocational school, except as provided in Connecticut General Statutes 10-233c and 10-233d. According to Connecticut General Statute 10-76d(b2), special education services will be provided for children, as stipulated by the PPT process, who have been identified as being in need of special education, and whose educational potential will be irreparably diminished without special education.

Parents and those who have the care of children five years of age and under eighteen years of age, are obligated by Connecticut law to require their children to attend public day school or its equivalent in the district in which such child resides, unless such child is a high school graduate or the parent or person having control of such child is able to show that the child is elsewhere receiving equivalent instruction in the studies taught in the public schools.

The parent or person having control of a child seventeen years of age may consent to such child's withdrawal from school. The parent or person shall exercise this option by personally appearing at The Academy to sign a withdrawal form. Such withdrawal form shall include an attestation from a guidance counselor or school administrator of The Academy that The Academy has provided the parent or person with information on the educational opportunities available in The Academy and in the community.

A child who has attained the age of seventeen and who has voluntarily terminated enrollment with parental consent in The Academy and subsequently seeks readmission may be denied readmission for up to ninety school days from the date of such termination, unless such child seeks readmission to The Academy not later than ten (10) schooldays after such termination.

Once a withdrawal is finalized, or any change in enrollment occurs, The Academy must notify the sending town superintendent and/or other designated person(s).

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The Woodstock Academy
Woodstock, CT