

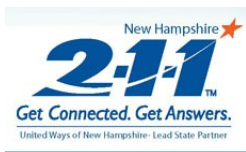
Who is eligible to receive help under the McKinney-Vento Act?

If, due to loss of housing, economic hardship or a similar reason, you are living in a shelter, motel, vehicle, campground, or temporary trailer; on the street; doubled-up with family or friends; or in another type of temporary or inadequate housing, you may be able to receive help for your child through a federal law called the McKinney-Vento Act.

Homeless children and youth are those who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence.



For more information, please call our office at 603-357-2042 or the NH Homeless Helpline at 2-1-1.



Educational Rights

Under the federal McKinney-Vento Act, children and youth in homeless situations have the right to:

- Go to school, no matter where they live or how long they have lived there
- Attend either the local school or the school of origin, if this is in their best interest; the school of origin is the school the student attended when permanently housed or last enrolled.
- Receive transportation to and from the school of origin
- Enroll in school immediately, even if missing records and documents normally required for enrollment such as a birth certificate, proof of residence, previous school records, or immunization/medical records
- Enroll, attend classes, and participate fully in all school activities while the school gathers records
- Have access to the same programs and services that are available to all other students including transportation and supplemental educational services
- Attend school with students not experiencing homelessness; a school may not segregate a student because of homelessness

Monadnock Title I

633 Old Homestead Highway
Swanzey, NH 03446

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Resources for Families Experiencing Homelessness

Monadnock Regional School District
Sharon Arnone, McKinney-Vento Liaison
603-357-2042
603-903-9988c

Resources

HOUSING

Keene Housing 603-352-6161
Affordable housing and supportive services
831 Court Street, Keene
www.keenehousing.org

NH Housing & Finance Authority
Housing vouchers
800-439-7247
32 Constitution Drive, Bedford

Southwestern Community Services
Direct and immediate care and various services and housing options offered throughout the region
603-357-7512
63 Community Way, Keene
www.scshehelp.org

Stewart Property Management 603-641-2163
Affordable housing throughout NH, VT, ME & MA
PO Box 10540, Bedford
www.stewartproperty.net

SHELTER

Southwestern Community Services
See info in Housing above

Hundred Nights Shelter 603-352-5197
Cold weather shelter & open doors resource center
17 Lamson Street, Keene

MCVP Crisis & Prevention Center
To see if you qualify or if they have space, call 603-352-3782.
1-888-511-MCVP (24/7 hotline)
12 Court Street, Suite 103, Keene

TOWN HALLS / WELFARE OFFICES

Fitzwilliam 603-585-7723
Main Street

Gilsum 603-357-0320
650 Route 10

Richmond 603-239-4232
105 Old Homestead Hwy.

Roxbury 603-352-4903
3 Middletown Rd.

Swanzy 603-352-7411
620 Old Homestead Hwy.

Troy 603-242-3845
16 Central Square



FOOD

Community Kitchen 603-352-3200
Free meals Mon-Fri 5:00-6:20, Sun 11:00-12:30
Pantry Wed drive-thru 12:30-5:30 and
Thu walk-thru 11:30-4:00
37 Mechanic St., Keene
www.thecommunitykitchen.org



End 68 Hours of Hunger 603-352-6575
Non-perishable food for qualifying MRSD students
<https://registration.end68hoursofhunger.org>

Feeding Tiny Tummies 603-499-8002
Food & other resources for children
305 Park Avenue, Keene
www.feedingtinytummies.com

Love Thy Neighbor 603-209-4225
Text: 802-579-9237
Food Pantry at Village Church
121 Cobble Hill Road, Swanzy
Fridays 12:00-3:00

Salvation Army 603-352-0607
15 Roxbury Plaza, Keene
Call for appointment Wed-Fri 9:00-2:00. Fill out paperwork for emergency food box to receive that day, then available every 30 days with 24-hour notice.

Southwestern Community Services
Food Pantry
603-352-7512
63 Community Way, Keene

Troy Helping Hands Center 603-242-3007
Pantry for Troy, & Fitzwilliam residents
Mon, Fri, Sat 10-12
1 Depot Street, Troy

CLOTHING

Salvation Army 603-352-0607
15 Roxbury Plaza, Keene
Call for appointment Wed.-Fri. 9:00-2:00. Fill out paperwork for clothing vouchers.



Thrift Store 603-357-2207
132 Monadnock Highway, Swanzy
Mon-Fri 11-3 Sat 10-5

Troy Helping Hand Center 603-242-3007
1 Depot Street, Troy
Mon, Fri, Sat 10-12

Jane's Kids

School clothing for students ages 5-12
Please contact a school official for an application.

SCHOOLS

School Administrative Unit 93
603-352-6955
600 Old Homestead Highway, Swanzy
www.mrsd.org

Cutler Elementary School 603-352-3383
31 S. Winchester St., Swanzy

Dr. George S. Emerson Elementary School
603-585-6611
27 Rhododendron Rd., Fitzwilliam

Gilsum STEAM Academy 603-352-2226
Route 10

Monadnock Regional Middle/High School
603-352-6575
580 Old Homestead Highway, Swanzy

Mt. Caesar Elementary School
603-352-4797
585 Old Homestead Highway, Swanzy

Troy Elementary School 603-242-7741
44 School Street



LIBRARIES

Fitzwilliam Town Library 603-585-6503
11 Templeton Tpk.

Gay-Kimball Library 603-242-7743
10 South Main St., Troy

Gilsum Public Library 603-357-0320
650 Route 10

Mt. Caesar Union Library 603-357-0456
628 Old Homestead Hwy.

Richmond Public Library 603-239-6164
Winchester Rd.

Stratton Free Library 603-352-9391
West Swanzy