

November 17, 2025

Subject: 2026–2027 Incoming Freshman Open Transfer Process

Dear Parents, Guardians, and Incoming 9th Grade Students,

We are beginning to plan for high school enrollment for the **2026–2027 school year**. Board policy allows students who reside in the Las Plumas High School (LPHS) attendance area to request a transfer to Oroville High School (OHS), and vice versa.

Applications for Intra-District Open Enrollment will be accepted from **November 30, 2025, through January 10, 2026**. It is very important to meet this deadline to be considered in the initial review.

Please note that intra-district transfer requests submitted after January 10 will be placed on a waiting list. Because space is limited, transfer requests received after this date may not be approved.

If you have a child currently attending either Las Plumas or Oroville High School on an approved transfer and will remain enrolled next year, you do not need to reapply for that student's continued enrollment. **However, a new transfer application is required for any incoming freshmen**, even if a sibling is already attending the requested school. Please list any siblings currently attending the requested school on your application.

Please note that transfers will not be approved for athletic reasons.

Attendance Areas

- Students living in Concow, Thermalito, or Oroville north of Wyandotte Avenue are assigned to **OHS**.
- Students living in Bangor, Berry Creek, Feather Falls, Kelly Ridge, or Oroville south of Wyandotte Avenue are assigned to **LPHS**.

You only need to submit the online transfer form if you wish to attend a school other than your geographical assigned school.

Link to Transfer Form (No paper copies will be accepted): <https://tinyurl.com/ys8pwav7>

Selection Process

Per Board Policy BP/AR 5116.1 – Intra-District Open Enrollment, applications received during the open enrollment window will be processed through a random, unbiased selection process.

As stated in the policy and California Education Code (§35160.5):

“The Superintendent or designee shall calculate each school's capacity in a non-arbitrary manner using student enrollment and available space.”

Requests received after January 10th will not be part of the initial selection process but may be reviewed later if space becomes available. You will be notified if your request is approved, though this may not occur until after the 2026-27 school year begins and enrollment numbers are finalized at each site.

Priority for enrollment may be granted to students who meet criteria outlined in Board Policy and Administrative Regulation 5116.1, which may include, but are not limited to:

- Students who have been confirmed as victims of bullying or violence through a documented investigation pursuant to Education Code 234.1;
- Siblings of students currently attending the requested school; and
- Students whose parent or guardian works primarily at that school; and
- Other categories of students granted priority under applicable Education Code or district policy.

8th Grade Visitation and Enrollment Activities

After the open transfer process is complete, the following activities will help students and families learn more about their high school experience. Additional information will be provided by your school in the coming weeks.

Las Plumas High School

- Student High School Visits: January 26–27
- Parent Informational Night: January 29
- Counselor Middle School Visits: February 2–5

Oroville High School

- Student High School Visits: January 26–27
- Parent Informational Night: January 28
- Counselor Middle School Visits: February 2–5

Notification of Approval

Families will be notified by email no later than January 20, 2026, regarding the status of their transfer request—approved, denied, or waitlisted.

Students may only visit their requested school if approval has been granted by January 20th. Otherwise, they must attend visitation activities at their school of residence.

If your student will be attending a school **in another district** (such as Durham or Chico), or if you reside **outside the OUHSD boundaries** and wish for your student to attend LPHS or OHS, please contact the Superintendent's Office at (530) 538-2300, ext. 1107. A separate **inter-district transfer form** will be required.

We are pleased to welcome you and your student to the Oroville Union High School District and look forward to a successful start to their high school journey. Please contact my office with any questions.

Sincerely,



Doug Williams
Superintendent