

Mount Olive Township School District

Residency vs. Domicile: Where is Your Student's Legal School Home?

While you may stay in multiple locations (**Residency**), you can only have one legal home (**Domicile**) for school enrollment purposes. This guide clarifies eligibility for Mount Olive schools.



DOMICILE

When You **ARE** Eligible
(Mount Olive is Your Domicile)



Temporary Stays & Repairs
You remain eligible if staying elsewhere temporarily due to home repairs or personal circumstances.



The 51% Residency Rule
Families with second homes or split work arrangements must reside in Mount Olive 51% of the time.



Support for Unfixed Housing
Families in hotels or temporary housing may qualify for enrollment support under McKinney-Vento.



RESIDENCY

When You **MUST** Enroll Elsewhere
(Domicile is Outside the District)



Permanent Relocation
Selling your home or signing a long-term lease in another town ends eligibility.



Convenience vs. Legal Home
Living with a Mount Olive relative for childcare while parents live elsewhere is not allowed.



Duty to Notify
You must notify the district immediately if your permanent legal home changes.