



# St. Mary Parish Schools

## MAJORITY-TO-MINORITY STUDENT TRANSFERS (M-TO-M) 2026-2027

### Who can apply?

To be eligible for a Majority-to-Minority transfer, the student’s race must be in the majority at the student’s zoned school for the 2026-2027 school year. Majority means that over 50% of the students at the school are the same race. The student’s race must be in the minority at the receiving school. A school has a minority race only if it has a majority race listed below.

Please be aware that as of May 1, 2026, if your child’s race is not in the **MAJORITY** at your residentially zoned school **AND** in the **MINORITY** at the requested school, the application will not be approved.

### What does the M-to-M transfer do?

The M-to-M transfer allows a student, grades K-12, whose race is in the majority at his or her residentially zoned school to transfer to a school where the student’s race is in the minority. Please note that the facility capacity will be a consideration.

### If my child is currently on an M-to-M transfer, do we need to apply for the 2026-2027 school year?

If your child is on a current M-to-M transfer and going from 5<sup>th</sup> grade to 6<sup>th</sup> grade or going from the 8<sup>th</sup> grade to the 9<sup>th</sup> grade, you must apply.

### What are the current school Demographics?

School	Majority Race	School	Majority Race
Bayou Vista Elementary School	Majority White	LaGrange Elementary School	Majority Black
B. E. Boudreaux Middle School	Majority Black	Maitland Elementary School	No Majority Race
Berwick Elementary School	Majority White	M.E. Norman Elementary School	No Majority Race
Berwick High School	Majority White	Morgan City High School	No Majority Race
Berwick Junior High School	Majority White	Morgan City Junior High School	No Majority Race
Centerville High School	No Majority Race	Patterson High School	No Majority Race
Foster Elementary School	Majority Black	Patterson Junior High School	No Majority Race
Franklin High School	Majority Black	Raintree Elementary School	Majority Black
Franklin Junior High School	Majority Black	West St. Mary High School	Majority Black
Hattie Watts Elementary School	No Majority Race	Wyandotte Elementary School	No Majority Race
J.S. Aucoin Elementary School	No Majority Race		

**NOTE: Students at schools with no majority race are not eligible for an M-to-M transfer.**

### Is transportation provided?

Yes, transportation is provided for M-to-M transfer students to the requested school at no cost.

### When can I apply for the M-to-M transfer?

The M-to-M application period is currently open and ends at 4:00 PM on May 1, 2026. Determinations of eligibility will be June 1, 2026.

### Where can I complete the M-to-M transfer application?

Applications can be filled out online at [www.stmaryk12.net](http://www.stmaryk12.net) or by using a paper application available at all schools within St. Mary Parish or the Central Office Complex at 474 Highway 314, Centerville, Louisiana.

### How can I find out more information about the M-to-M transfer process?

Please visit [www.stmaryk12.net](http://www.stmaryk12.net) or call the Office of Child Welfare and Attendance at 337-836-6025.



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## APPLICATION FOR MAJORITY-TO-MINORITY STUDENT TRANSFERS (M-TO-M) 2026-2027

Student's Legal Name (Last, First) \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Race \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Same as Mailing?  Yes  No

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Parent's Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Grade for 2026-2027 School Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Transportation Needed:  Yes  No

*Please be aware that as of May 1, 2026, if your child's race is not in the MAJORITY at the residentially zoned school AND in the MINORITY at the requested school, the application will not be approved. Facility capacity will also be a consideration. Determinations will be made June 1, 2026.*

### APPLICATION DEADLINE MAY 1, 2026.

Submit to: Mrs. Tiffany Stewart, Department of Child Welfare and Attendance  
P.O. Box 170, Centerville, LA, 70522-0170 or [tstewart@stmmaryk12.net](mailto:tstewart@stmmaryk12.net)

#### 1. CHECK THE RESIDENTIALLY ZONED SCHOOL

- Bayou Vista Elementary School
- B. E. Boudreaux Middle School
- Berwick Elementary School
- Berwick High School
- Berwick Junior High School
- Foster Elementary School
- Franklin High School
- Franklin Junior High School
- LaGrange Elementary School
- Raintree Elementary School
- West St. Mary High School

#### 2. CHECK THE REQUESTED SCHOOL

- Bayou Vista Elementary School
- B. E. Boudreaux Middle School
- Berwick Elementary School
- Berwick High School
- Berwick Junior High School
- Foster Elementary School
- Franklin High School
- Franklin Junior High School
- LaGrange Elementary School
- Raintree Elementary School
- West St. Mary High School

*Additional Notes from Parent/Legal Guardian:*

#### AUTHORIZATION (Required)

I verify that the information provided in this application is accurate. I understand that transfer approval may be rescinded for any of the following reasons:

- Falsification of information reported on the transfer application.
- Failure to report changes in the circumstances on which the application was approved.
- Excessive **absences/tardiness or repeated disruptive behavior by the student** (not applicable on M to M transfers).

PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN'S SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

#### CENTRAL OFFICE USE ONLY

Approved: Yes No \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Superintendent or Designee \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_