Policy Information

Series 5000 - Students

Elementary & Secondary Attendance Non-Residents

Policy # 5118

Non-resident students may be admit tted to Lakeland at the discretion of the Board of Education, provided that:

- a. They pay tuition at a rate established by the Board of Education;
- b. Their acceptance does not jeopardize or infringe upon the education opportunities for present students; and
- c. Their acceptance does not cause the District financial hardship.

In the instances where a change of residence to a district outside the Lakeland School District takes place during the school year, the student shall be ineligible to attend Lakeland schools. However, the Superintendent or his/her designee shall have the authority to approve the completion of the year in the District's schools without payment of tuition, at the request of the student's parents/guardian(s), in those instances when:

- a. The student is in good standing; and
- b. The transportation to and from the school is arranged by the student's parents/guardian(s); and
- c. Not more than one-half (1/2) of the school year is remaining.

In the case of a senior student, however, the Superintendent or his/her designee shall have the authority to approve the completion of the school year regardless of the portion of the year remaining.

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