



# NOTICE - HOMELESS STUDENTS

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Homeless students are eligible to enroll in school even if unable to provide records generally required for enrollment.

Homeless students include students who lack a fixed, regular and adequate nighttime residence and include a child or youth:

- who is sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing or economic hardship or a similar reason; is living in a motel, hotel, trailer park or camping ground due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodations; is living in an emergency or transitional shelter; is abandoned in a hospital;
- who is living in a car, park or public space or in an abandoned building, substandard housing, bus or train station or similar setting;
- who has a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designated for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings; or
- Who is a migratory child who qualifies as homeless because the child is living in circumstances as described above.

An unaccompanied homeless student is a homeless student, as defined above, who is not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian.

**Eligible homeless students have the right to:**

- **Enrollment in a school unit according to the student's best interest;**
- **Comparable educational services;**
- **Transportation;**
- **School meals;**
- **Full participation in school programs;**
- **Be served without stigma or separation.**

**If you believe that you or your child is homeless, please inform the person responsible for enrolling your child or the Homeless Education Liaison, Assistant Superintendent Susan Austin.**

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