

Ashland School District 5

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Assignment of Students to Schools**

Students will attend the school in the attendance area in which they reside, unless as otherwise provided by state and federal law. Students who wish to attend another district school must apply for a zone transfer. Zone transfers will be granted on a space-available basis, and must be approved by the principal of the attendance area and the receiving school.

When a student moves into another attendance area, he/she may remain at the former school until the end of the current report card period. At the end of that period, the student must transfer to the school which serves the attendance area of his/her new residence.

If a zone transfer is granted, the student may remain in his/her former school. In all such cases, parents must provide transportation.

In special cases, permission may be granted to allow the student to remain in his/her former school until the end of the semester. In all such cases, parents must provide transportation.

A student who becomes a victim of a violent criminal offense, as determined by state law, while in or on the grounds of a school the student attends, or any student attending a district school that is identified by the Oregon Department of Education (ODE) as persistently dangerous, may transfer to a safe district school.

Additionally, as provided by ORS 329.485, the district may allow a student who has not met or has exceeded all of the academic content standards to attend another district school outside the student's attendance area.

The district will provide transportation, as provided by Board policy EEA - Student Transportation Services. That obligation will end at the completion of the school year for students transferring from a school identified as persistently dangerous, if the school from which the student has transferred is no longer identified as persistently dangerous.

Notice to parents of their right to request the transfer of their student as provided by this policy will be provided as required by law.

Attendance areas are subject to annual adjustment to balance student enrollment.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 329.485](#)

[ORS 332.107](#)

[OAR 581-021-0045](#)

Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015, 20 U.S.C. § 7912.