

Homeless Students

Homeless students in the district will have access to the education and other services needed to ensure that an opportunity is available to meet the same academic achievement standards to which all students are held.

A liaison for students in homeless situations will be designated by the district to carry out duties as required by law.

The district will ensure that homeless students are not stigmatized nor segregated on the basis of their status as homeless. A homeless student will be admitted to the district school in the attendance area in which the student is actually living or to the student's school of origin as requested by the parent and in accordance with the student's best interest. Transportation will be provided to and from the student's school of origin at the request of the parent, or in the case of an unaccompanied student, the district's liaison for homeless students.

The superintendent will develop administrative regulations to implement this policy.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 109.056
ORS 294.100
ORS 327.006

ORS 339.115
ORS 339.133
ORS 433.267

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McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Improvements Act of 2001, P.L. 107-110, 42 U.S.C. Sections 11431-11435.

No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, P.L. 107-110, Title I, Section 1115.

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C. Section 1232g; 34 CFR Part 99 (2000).

Letter Opinions, Office of the Attorney General (March 15, April 18, June 30, 1988).

Oregon Department of Education, Memos #23-1988-89, #42-1994-95.