

**Lake Oswego
School District 7J**

Code: **JC**
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School Attendance Areas

1. Students shall attend the school serving their place of residence, or as assigned by the superintendent under the exceptions listed below.
2. Attendance areas or zones shall be established by the Board for elementary, junior high, and senior high schools in the district. Attendance area boundaries may be changed as population distribution warrants or as capacities of buildings require adjustment of student numbers.
3. The superintendent may assign and reassign students from one attendance area to another to balance enrollments in the classrooms of district schools or to place students in appropriate programs.
4. Other exceptions may be granted at the discretion of the superintendent for students to attend district schools outside their attendance areas in the following situations:
 - a. A student changing place of residence within the district during the school year may continue attending the former school until the end of the current semester.
 - b. A student who anticipates establishing residence in a different school attendance area may be admitted in that area's school upon submission of satisfactory evidence that the move will be made within the semester for which admission is requested.
 - c. Students who have attended one of the district senior high schools may continue to attend that school even if the place of residence changes to within the other senior high school's attendance area.
 - d. Other exceptions may be made (a) to serve the educational interests of the student as judged by school officials, or (b) due to physical or emotional conditions.
 - e. Any student request granted under this section is contingent upon adequate facilities and staff in the requested school and upon maintenance of satisfactory performance and behavior by the student. The district is not responsible for the transportation of students who have requested to attend schools outside of their regular attendance areas.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 332.107](#)
[ORS 339.010 - 339.090](#)