

Franklin County Board of Education

Monitoring: Review: Annually, in April	Descriptor Term: Attendance of Non-Resident Students	Descriptor Code: 6.204	Issued Date: 06/13/16
		Rescinds: 6.204	Issued: 03/10/11

1 Students residing outside the boundaries of the school system may attend schools within the school
2 system under the following conditions:

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- 4 1. They must be approved by the director of schools.¹
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- 6 2. Non-resident students must make application at least two weeks prior to the first day of school.
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- 8 3. Requests from students from adjoining states to attend school shall be considered on a case-by-
9 case basis.
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- 11 4. Students who become residents of the school system will be refunded any unused portion of
12 the tuition on a pro-rata basis.
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- 14 5. If a teacher of this school system has a residence outside the school system, his/her children
15 may be allowed to attend such school system if the appropriate tuition requirements are met,³
16 provided that there is adequate room and teaching capacity and other determinations made by
17 the Board according to applicable law.⁴
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- 19 6. The Board reserves the right to establish a tuition rate for non-resident students should the Board
20 determine that charging tuition is a fiscal necessity for the district. Furthermore, if the Board
21 decides to charge tuition, the Board will set the tuition rate. Annual tuition may not exceed per
22 student, per annum, an amount equal to the amount of funds actually used for school purposes by
23 the school system per student during the preceding school year minus any funds received from
24 the state or from the student's resident system.² Tuition for out-of-state non-resident students
25 shall be charged at the same rate as the average cost per student in the system attended.
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- 27 7. When payment is not made on all or any part of the required tuition for a previous year, the
28 student(s) shall be excluded from future attendance until all prior and current tuition is paid.
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33 Legal References:

- 34 1. TCA 49-6-3104; TCA 49-6-3105;
35 TRR/MS 0520-1-3-.03(11)(f-i)
- 36 2. TCA 49-6-3003; TCA 49-6-403 (f)
- 37 3. TCA 49-6-3108
- 38 4. TCA 49-6-3113; TCA 49-6-3103
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Cross Reference:
Foreign Exchange Students 6.502