

Lakeland Board of Education

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1 TO SCHOOLS

2 Students, including those in kindergarten, shall attend the school to which they are assigned.¹

3 Parents who are dissatisfied with the assignment of their children may in accordance with the law,
4 within ten (10) days after the assignment, make application to the Board for a hearing requesting a
5 transfer to another school.²

6 TO CLASSES

7 The principal shall be responsible for assigning all students to classes.

8 Students who enter the system from another school system are to be placed by the principal in the
9 grade and/or level as indicated by records from the former school. If the student's placement is
10 inappropriate in the grade or level assigned, he/she may be reassigned by the principal to another grade
11 level. Parents shall be kept advised.

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13 The principal shall separate an alleged victim of child sexual abuse from an alleged perpetrator if the
14 abuse allegedly occurred while the child was under the supervision or care of the school. If available
15 and appropriate, a child shall be reassigned if a request is made by the child's parent or custodian and
16 the perpetrator has been: (1) substantiated by the department of children's services; (2) adjudicated by
17 a juvenile court to have committed the child sexual abuse; or (3) criminally charged.³

Legal References

1. TCA 49-6-3102-3103
2. TCA 49-6-3201
3. Public Acts of 2015, Chapter No. 286