McNairy County Board of Education			
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1 TO SCHOOLS

- 2 Students, including those in kindergarten, are expected to attend the school to which they are assigned
- 3 by virtue of their residence. Students will enroll in the school of appropriate grade nearest their
- 4 residence.¹
- 5 Parents may elect to enroll their children in any school in the school system provided the parent provides
- 6 transportation to and from that respective school and provided that such choice does not cause
- 7 overcrowding in the chosen school.
- 8 Parents who are dissatisfied with the assignment of their children may, within ten (10) days after the
- 9 assignment, make application to the Board for a hearing requesting a transfer to another school.²

10 TO CLASSES

- 11 The principal shall be responsible for assigning all students to classes.
- 12 Students who enter the system from another school system are to be placed by the principal in the
- grade and/or level as indicated by records from the former school. If the student's placement is
- inappropriate in the grade or level assigned, he/she may be reassigned by the principal to another grade
- 15 level. Parents shall be kept advised.
- 16 The principal shall separate an alleged victim of child sexual abuse from an alleged perpetrator if the
- abuse allegedly occurred while the child was under the supervision or care of the school. If available
- and appropriate, a child shall be reassigned if a request is made by the child's parent or custodian and
- the perpetrator has been: (1) substantiated by the department of children's services; (2) adjudicated by
- 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