

Kingsport City Schools

Monitoring: Review: Annually, in May	Descriptor Term: Migrant Students	Descriptor Code: 6.504	Issued Date: 02/03/11
		Rescinds:	Issued:

1 Migrant students are students whose family/guardian has moved within the last 36 months from one
2 school system to another in order to obtain (1) temporary or seasonal and (2) agricultural or fishing
3 work as an important part of providing a living for the family.
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5 The Superintendent of Schools shall identify possible migrant students in the System, as required by
6 law, and develop written administrative procedures for ensuring migrant students receive services for
7 which they are eligible. If a possible migrant student is identified by the System, the Superintendent, or
8 designee, shall notify the Tennessee State Department of Education, which has the ultimate responsibil-
9 ity to certify migrant students, and request assistance, if needed.

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11 In developing and implementing a program to address the needs of migrant students the System
12 shall:

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14 Assess the educational and related health and social needs of each student.

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16 Provide a full range of services to migrant students including applicable Title I programs,
17 special education, gifted education, vocational education, language programs, counseling programs,
18 elective classes, fine arts classes, etc.

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20 Provide migrant children with the opportunity to meet the same statewide assessment standards
21 that all students are expected to meet.

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23 To the extent feasible, provide advocacy and outreach programs to migrant students and their
24 families and professional development for System staff.

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26 Provide parents an opportunity for meaningful participation in the program.

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28 The Superintendent shall designate a person to act as a migrant liaison for Kingsport City
29 Schools.
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32 Legal Reference:
33 P.L. 107-110 Part C §§1301-1309

34 Cross Reference:
35 Attendance Zones 1.703
36 Parent/Family Involvement 4.502
37 Attendance 6.200
38 Student Health Services 6.401
39 Student Social Services 6.407
40 Homeless Students 6.503
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