

Draft Policy: Courtesy enrollment of non-resident employees' children

Non-resident employees, for whom no public educational alternative is available, may request permission to enroll their child(ren) at Hyde Park Elementary School. Enrollment of a non-resident child may be approved by the superintendent or his or her designee provided that all standard admission criteria are met; that the child can be accommodated by the existing faculty and within existing classroom space- in accordance with current district policy and practice regarding both class size and student:teacher ratio; and that no foreseeable burden or disadvantage to Hyde Park residents would ensue.

No non-resident will be denied admission if the reason for denial is that the student is disabled as defined in section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended, or that the student is in need of special education services. Nor will any child be denied admission on the basis of his/her race, color, religion or membership in any other legally protected class.

Permission to enroll a non-resident child, if granted, is extended as a courtesy to HPES staff, and may be withdrawn for any or no reason with two weeks' notice. The superintendent or his/her designee shall be responsible for the development of the rules and procedures necessary to implement this policy. Employees may appeal any decision to deny or revoke a request to the Board of Directors.