

Book BYLAWS AND POLICIES

Section 5000 STUDENTS

Title HOMELESS STUDENTS

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Children who meet the Federal definition of "homeless" will be provided a free appropriate public education in the same manner as all other students of the school and will not be stigmatized or segregated on the basis of their status as homeless. No homeless student will be denied enrollment based on a lack of proof of residency. No Board policy, administrative guideline, or practice will be interpreted or applied in such a way as to inhibit the enrollment, attendance, or school success of homeless students.

Homeless students will be provided services comparable to other students in the school, including:

- A. transportation services;
- B. educational services provided under Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act or similar State and local programs;
- C. programs for children with disabilities;

- D. programs for students with limited English proficiency;
- E. programs in vocational and technical education;
- F. programs for gifted and talented students;
- G. school nutrition programs.

The name and contact information for the Liaison for Homeless Children shall be posted on the school's internet website and shall be reported to the Indiana Department of Education.

The CEO, Executive Director will appoint a Liaison for Homeless Children who will perform the duties as assigned by the CEO, Executive Director. Additionally, the Liaison will coordinate and collaborate with the State Coordinator for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth as well as with community and school personnel responsible for the provision of education and related services to homeless children and youths.