

TRANSFERS OUTSIDE THE DISTRICT *(K–8 Districts)*

The Pleasant View R-VI School District provides an excellent education to students within the boundaries of the district, near the students' homes and families, and therefore does not encourage or support transfers outside the district except in the following situations.

Specialized Services

On occasion, students with disabilities require specialized services that are not offered in the Pleasant View R-VI School District or are more efficiently offered in another district. In those situations, and at the discretion of the district, the district may contract with another district to provide the necessary services to the student. The student will stay enrolled in the Pleasant View R-VI School District.

Residential Placements in other Districts

When a resident student of the Pleasant View R-VI School District is placed in programs or facilities in another district by the Missouri Department of Mental Health, the Department of Social Services or a court order, and the placement results in the student living in a different district, the student is still considered a resident of the Pleasant View R-VI School District, but the district in which the student is living is responsible for educating the student. The Pleasant View R-VI School District will pay the educating district an amount equal to the average sum produced per child by the Pleasant View R-VI School District's local tax effort.

Homeless Students and Students in Foster Care

In accordance with law, when it is in the best interest of a student who is in foster care or identified as homeless to attend his or her school of origin and that school is in another district, the Pleasant View R-VI School District will assist the other district with the transfer and provide transportation when required to do so.

High School

Because the district does not maintain a high school, the district will pay tuition for resident students to attend a high school in any public school district or approved charter school located in the same county as the Pleasant View R-VI School District or an adjoining county, as required by law. Before the district will pay tuition for any student, the student must be currently enrolled in the Pleasant View R-VI School District or the parent/guardian must first register with the district and verify residence in the district.

In accordance with law, the Board will designate one or more accredited districts or approved charter schools to which the district will provide transportation. The district is not responsible for providing transportation to districts or approved charter schools that have not been designated by the Board.

Transfers Due to Accreditation Status

In accordance with law, if the Missouri State Board of Education declares the Pleasant View R-VI School District unaccredited, any student who is eligible to transfer but is not able to do so within the district may apply to the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (DESE) to transfer to an eligible attendance center located within an accredited district in the same county as the Pleasant View R-VI School District or an adjoining county or an eligible charter school located within the same county as the Pleasant View R-VI School District or an adjoining county. The district will pay tuition to the receiving school district or charter school and will provide transportation to at least one receiving school district or charter school designated by DESE.

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Note: The reader is encouraged to check the index located at the beginning of this section for other pertinent policies and to review administrative procedures and/or forms for related information.

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Cross Refs: IGBA, Special Education
IGBCA, Programs for Homeless Students
IGBE, Students in Foster Care

Legal Refs: §§ 167.126,.131, .132, .241, .895, .898, RSMo.
Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. §§ 1400 - 1417
34 C.F.R. Part 300
McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Improvements Act of 2001,
42 U.S.C. §§ 11431- 11435
The Rehabilitation Act of 1973, Section 504, 29 U.S.C. § 794
34 C.F.R. Part 104
Breitenfeld v. Sch. Dist. of Clayton, 399 S.W.3d 816 (Mo.banc 2013)

Pleasant View R-VI School District, Trenton, Missouri