

BLAIRSVILLE- SALTSBURG SCHOOL DISTRICT

SECTION: PUPILS

TITLE: ASSIGNMENT WITHIN
DISTRICT

ADOPTED: November 16, 2011

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206. ASSIGNMENT WITHIN DISTRICT	
<p>1. Purpose</p>	<p>The Board directs that the assignment of students to classes and schools within this district shall be consistent with the educational needs and abilities of students and the best use of district resources.</p>
<p>2. Authority SC 1310 Pol. 103, 103.1</p>	<p>The Board shall determine periodically the school attendance areas of the district, and the students within each area are expected to attend the designated school. In assigning students to schools within this district, no discrimination shall occur.</p>
<p>3. Delegation of Responsibility</p>	<p>The Superintendent periodically shall review existing attendance areas and recommend to the Board changes that may be justified by considerations of safe student transportation and travel, convenience of access to schools, financial and administrative efficiency, and appropriateness of the instructional program.</p> <p>The Superintendent or designee may assign a student to a school other than the one designated for the attendance area when such exception is justified by circumstances and is in the educational interest of the student.</p> <p>The Superintendent or designee shall assign incoming transfer students to schools, grades, and classes that afford each student the greatest likelihood of realizing his/her educational and academic goals.</p> <p>The building principal shall assign students in the school to appropriate grades, classes or groups, based on consideration of the needs and abilities of the student, as well as the educational program and administration of the school. The building principal may solicit the input of teachers in helping to properly assign students for the following year.</p> <p>Parental requests for specific teachers shall not be honored unless there are extenuating circumstances that warrant such a request. Such circumstances must be submitted in writing to the building principal prior to April 1 of the preceding school year. The final decision regarding a child's placement still resides with the building principal.</p>

