AP 301 – NON-RESIDENT STUDENTS

BACKGROUND

Non-resident students, as defined in the *Education Act*, may be admitted to the Division in accordance with these procedures and subject to any agreements made by the Division.

DEFINITION

As defined in Section 173(1) of the *Education Act*, "A non-resident is a person whose declared place of residence is outside the boundaries of the division in which that person seeks or is provided with educational services."

PROCEDURES

1. Non Resident Students from within Saskatchewan.
   1.1. The Student Information Services Coordinator shall identify all pupils who reside outside the boundaries of the school division and report such pupils to the Chief Financial Officer

2. Non-Canadian Students
   2.1. The Newcomer Student Centre will verify the eligibility of all students who are not Canadian citizens, including those who register from outside Canada and within Canada. Staff will provide an orientation and assist with the documents required for registration of those students. If the student speaks English as an additional language, the Newcomer Student Centre will conduct a language assessment.

   2.2. Students (who are not Canadian citizens) accompanying their parents who have been granted study permits or work permits may be registered in schools. Minor students (under 18 years of age) are not required to have a study permit. Study permits will be accepted only if the following criteria are met:
         2.2.1. The parents' study is documented for at least one year, and
         2.2.2. The area of study is not limited to English as an Additional Language.

   2.3. Students with permanent resident status who have established residence in Saskatoon with their parent or legal guardian shall be considered resident students and will not pay tuition.

   2.4. Students who or whose parents do not meet the criteria above are not eligible to study.
         2.4.1. In exceptional circumstances as determined by and at the discretion of the Chief Financial Officer or designate, non-resident students may be allowed to register and will be charged tuition as per The Education Act, Section 173(3).

2.5. The Chief Financial Officer, or designate shall be responsible for the determination of the "residency" status of students wishing to register in the schools of the Division.
Reference: Section 142, 171, 173, Education Act Regulation 20
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