

# **LETHBRIDGE SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 51**

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## **501.6** Resident Students

#### **Policy**

All resident students shall be admitted to the District school within whose attendance area they reside, subject to the regulations provided below.

# Regulations

- 1. The student must be at least 6 years old, on or before December 31 of the current school year and under 20 years of age on September 1 of the current school year.
- 2. The student must be
  - 2.1. a Canadian citizen:
  - 2.2. the child or step child of a Canadian citizen;
  - 2.3. lawfully admitted to Canada for permanent residence;
  - 2.4. a child of an individual who is lawfully admitted to Canada for permanent or temporary residence; or
  - 2.5. the child or foster child of an individual who resides within the school's attendance area.
- 3. Proof of age and citizenship/immigration status is required for each student at the time of initial registration.
- 4. The parent/guardian's place of residence (address) is subject to annual verification.
- 5. Students with exceptional learning needs may be directed to a specific school where appropriate resources and facilities are available.
  - 5.1. Transportation shall be provided in accordance with District policy.
- 6. Resident students may be permitted to enroll in a District school other than the school in their attendance area in accordance with District policy.

The Board delegates to the Superintendent the authority to develop the procedures necessary to implement this policy.

## References

School Act: 8, 13, 45, 60, 61

District Policies: 501.3 School Attendance Areas, 501.3.1 School Choice, 501.2

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