

BOARD RESOLUTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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COUNTY OF FORT BEND

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A RESOLUTION OF THE FORT BEND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT CONCERNING THE IMPLEMENTATION OF SCHOOL BOUNDARIES AND RELOCATION OF ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

WHEREAS, the Board commissioned demographic studies that confirmed the District’s continued growth and need to provide school facilities that address changing enrollment patterns;

WHEREAS, the Board has adopted a District-wide feeder pattern and attendance boundary plan, which plan may be amended from time to time to address the evolving needs of the District (such plan as adopted by the Board is referred to herein as the “Feeder Pattern Plan”);

WHEREAS, the Feeder Pattern Plan calls for the alignment of District feeder patterns, and changes to District attendance boundaries;

WHEREAS, the Board has approved school boundaries that are designed to provide for the efficient and effective use of District facilities by balancing enrollment among District schools, efficiently utilizing existing building capacity, and providing space for future enrollment growth;

WHEREAS, the Board has determined it to be in the best interest of the District to effect orderly implementation of the Feeder Pattern Plan; and

WHEREAS, the District may determine it to be in its best interest to relocate an academic program(s) in connection with a boundary or feeder alignment change.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE FORT BEND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS SHALL APPLY TO STUDENTS WHO ARE AFFECTED BY AN ATTENDANCE BOUNDARY ZONE CHANGE APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES ON JANUARY 26, 2015 AND/OR THE RELOCATION OF AN ACADEMIC PROGRAM:

1. Students entering grades 10, 11 or 12 shall remain at their current campus and shall be eligible for District provided transportation until graduating.

2. Students entering grade 8 may remain at their current campus, but shall not be eligible for District provided transportation.
3. Students entering grade 5 may remain at their current campus provided projected capacity for the school does not exceed 120%, but shall not be eligible for District provided transportation.
4. Students entering grade 9, who are siblings to a student remaining at his or her current campus as required by paragraph 1 above, may attend the same campus as their sibling until graduating but shall be eligible for District provided transportation only until their older sibling no longer attends the school. This provision does not apply if the older sibling is attending his or her current campus pursuant to an intra-district transfer, inter-district transfer, or as a participant in an academy program.
5. Students attending a middle or high school campus pursuant to an approved intra-district transfer shall remain at their current campus until completion of the highest grade offered at that campus.
6. Any student affected by an attendance zone boundary change or the relocation of an academic program may apply for an intra-district transfer in accordance with District policy and applicable administrative transfer procedures.


PASSED AND APPROVED by the Board of Trustees of the Fort Bend Independent School District this 26th day of January 2015.

**FORT BEND INDEPENDENT SCHOOL
DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES**

By: _____


Grayle James
President of the Board of Trustees

ATTEST:


Jenny Bailey
Secretary of the Board of Trustees