SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Any student seeking school admission in the District must reside within the established boundaries of the District, except as otherwise provided by law and/or Board of Education policy.

School assignments and grade placements shall be made by the administrative staff in accordance with District procedures. Students transferring from other school systems are required to provide a transcript of academic accomplishments at the previous school, or the address from which this data may be secured. If insufficient academic transcript information is available, students may be required to take appropriate academic tests to assist in making a placement.

It is the policy of the Rice Lake Area School District, pursuant to s. 118.13 of Wisconsin Statutes, and Chapter PI 9 of the Wisconsin Administrative Code, that no person may be denied admission to any school or be denied participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be discriminated against in any curricular, extracurricular, pupil services, recreational, or other program or activity on the basis of the protected classes of race, color, religion, national origin, ancestry, creed, pregnancy, marital status, parental status, sexual orientation, sex, or physical, mental, emotional, or learning disability.

This policy does not, however, prohibit the District from placing a student in a school, class, program, or activity based on objective standards of individual performance or need. Discrimination complaints shall be processed in accordance with established procedures.

Nothing in this policy shall prevent the District from denying the admission of a student during the term of their expulsion from another Wisconsin public school, out-of-state public school or independent charter school in Wisconsin, or from setting enrollment conditions that the expelled student must meet in order to be admitted, consistent with legal requirements.

Legal Ref: 118.13, 118.135, 118.14, 118.145, 118.51, 118.52, 118.53, 120.12(25), 120.13(1)(f),

120.13(1)(h), 121.77, 121.84, 252.04 WSS; Pl 9.03 WAC

Cross Ref: 411 Rule Student Discrimination Complaint Procedures; 420 Rule

Admissions/Placement Procedures; 422 Entrance Age (Admission to Kindergarten and First Grade); 423 Admission of Non-Resident Students (Other Than Open Enrollment

Students)

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