

PUBLIC SCHOOL OPEN ENROLLMENT

Nonresident Open Enrollment Students

A nonresident student may apply for full-time enrollment in a public school in the School District of Mayville under the open enrollment program. Applications shall be made and acted upon in accordance with the timelines and procedures outlined in state law. The District shall consider the following criteria when accepting or rejecting a nonresident student's application for full-time enrollment:

1. The availability of space in the schools, programs, classes or grades within the District. When determining space availability, consideration shall be given to such factors as class size, student-teacher ratios, the number of students currently attending district schools under cooperative agreements with other districts, and enrollment projections.
2. Whether the special education program or related services described in the student's individual educational program (IEP) are available in the District or whether there is space available in the special education program identified in the student's IEP. If a nonresident student's IEP changes after the student begins attending school in the School District of Mayville and the special education program or services required by that IEP are not available in the District or there is no space available in the special education program identified in the IEP, the District may deny the student's continued enrollment in the District.
3. Whether the student has been screened by his/her resident district to determine if there is reasonable cause to believe that the student is a child with disability.
4. Whether the student has been reported or identified as having possible student with disabilities but not yet evaluated by an individualized education program team in the resident district.

The District shall give preference in accepting full-time open enrollment applications to any nonresident students already attending school in the District and their siblings.

The District shall not accept any student for full-time enrollment who has been expelled by any school district during the current school year or preceding two school years for specific conduct or who has disciplinary proceedings pending on such conduct. This policy provision applies to the following student conduct: endangering the health, safety or property of others, conveying or causing to be conveyed a "bomb" threat involving school property, and possessing a dangerous weapon while at school or under the supervision of a school authority. If any of these disciplinary actions occur after the student has been accepted for enrollment and prior to the beginning of the school year in which the nonresident student first

enrolls in the District, the student's enrollment shall be denied.

Full-time open enrollment students attending elementary or middle school in the District shall be required to reapply for enrollment prior to admission to high school.

A nonresident public high school student may apply for enrollment in a specific course(s) (maximum of two courses) in the District in accordance with state law and established procedures. The District shall use the same criteria for accepting and rejecting course applications for nonresident students as resident students, except that the District shall give preference in attendance in a course to resident students and returning nonresident students.

If the District receives more nonresident student applications for full-time or part-time enrollment than there are spaces available, the District shall determine which students to accept on a random basis.

Except as otherwise provided, student transportation shall be the responsibility of the nonresident student's parent(s)/guardian(s) or the student, if an adult. The School District of Mayville shall provide transportation for nonresident students with disabilities if it is required in the student's IEP. The School District of Mayville will also provide transportation to non-resident Open Enrollment students, provided they are picked up and/or dropped off at a previously designated bus stop within the Mayville school district boundary.

Nonresident open enrollment students attending school or classes in the District shall have all the rights and privileges of resident students and shall be subject to the same rules and regulations as resident students.

Resident Open Enrollment Students

Any student residing in the School District of Mayville shall be allowed to attend public school in another district on a full-time basis, provided he/she has filed the appropriate application with that school district and has been accepted for enrollment. The District may deny a student from attending public school in another district, or continuing to attend school in another public school district, if costs of special education services required in the student's IEP would place an undue financial burden on the School District of Mayville.

Mayville High School students may apply for enrollment in individual courses at other public school districts in accordance with state law. A student may enroll in no more than two courses at any time in other public school districts. The District shall reject a student's application to attend a course in another school district if the course conflicts with the student's IEP. The District may reject a student's application to attend a course in another public school district if the cost of the course would impose an undue financial burden on the School District of Mayville. The High School Principal shall determine whether a course to be taken at another school district satisfies District graduation requirements. If it does not satisfy such requirements, the principal shall inform the student of that fact prior to beginning the course.

