

# Wilson County Board of Education

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Student Assignment

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1 **TO SCHOOLS**

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3 The Wilson County School Board directs that the assignment of students to schools within its system be  
4 consistent with the best interests of students and the best use of the resources of the school system.

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6 Students, including those in kindergarten, are expected to attend the school to which they are assigned by virtue  
7 of their residence.

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9 Parents who are dissatisfied with the assignment of their children may, within ten (10) days after the assignment,  
10 make application to the Board for a hearing requesting a transfer to another school.<sup>1</sup>

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12 The director of schools shall periodically review existing attendance areas and recommend to the Board such  
13 changes as may be justified by good and sufficient reasons.

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15 No assignment to schools shall discriminate on the basis of race, gender, religion, disability, or national origin.

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17 Any student whose parent is an employee of the district (other than substitute teachers) may attend a school in  
18 another attendance area of the district under these conditions:

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1. The student's attendance will be more convenient for the employee.
2. The employee submits an annual written request to the director of schools or his/her designee and assumes the responsibility to transport the student to and from school.

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24 The employee must submit this request for a particular school prior to the beginning of the school year unless the  
25 employment begins during the school year. Once the assignment is made, the student must remain in that  
26 school for the remainder of the year.

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<sup>1</sup> TCA 49-6-3201

1 **TO CLASSES**

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Students who enter the system from another school system are to be placed by the principal in the grade and/or level as indicated by records from the former school. If the student's placement is inappropriate in the grade or level assigned, he/she may be reassigned by the principal to another grade level. Parents shall be kept advised.

