

DANBURY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Danbury, Connecticut

REGULATIONS***ATTENDANCE - AREAS***

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The implementation of the policy will follow the concept of controlled free attendance areas under the following guidelines:

- Parents may request application approval after student residing within the designed attendance areas has been placed in planned classes or programs
- The application for “out of district” placement/approval will be considered when there is under-utilization of the school capacity and under enrollment for particular grade levels or classes.
- The request to leave the assigned local area and enroll in the new area will not contribute to a racial imbalance at either location
- The application cannot request school district transportation. However, the parent may ask for access to available spaces on existing routes that are in proximity to the home residence and the requested school. The request will be considered under Policy 7-760. Appropriate request forms will be available through the District Transportation Office.
- The request will be for one school year and must be renewed on an annual basis.
- Educational services of programs required under a Special Education IEP will control the decision for an out of district application for a special education student.