

STUDENTS

SUBJECT: Student Progress

Retention and Promotion

School authorities shall place students at the grade level to which they are best suited academically, socially and emotionally.

Transfer

School authorities shall place students in schools of the attendance area where the student resides except where the overall good of the District makes an out-of-attendance area choice of schools necessary.

Report of Parents

When it appears advisable to promote, retain or transfer a student, a conference shall be held with the parent or guardian in order to apprise them of the situation. The decision to promote, demote, and transfer shall rest with school authorities.

In normal situations, the report card and parent conference are the methods used by the school authorities to report to parents.

Transfer to Continuation Classes

When, for whatever reason, it becomes necessary to recommend that a student be transferred to continuation classes, at least one parent conference shall be held in order to apprise parents of the situation. While parental consent is desirable, it is not required. A Screening Committee shall act on all recommendations, and its decision may be reversed only by the Board of Education or the Superintendent of Schools.