

### R 5130 WITHDRAWAL FROM SCHOOL (M)

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Every pupil in this school shall be encouraged to complete the program of instruction in which he/she is enrolled, in cooperation with school staff members. Although the enrollment and attendance of persons over the age of sixteen cannot be compelled by law, school personnel shall make every reasonable effort to determine whether the school is meeting the educational needs of a pupil who requests withdrawal.

#### A. Request for Permanent Withdrawal

1. The pupil must obtain a withdrawal form from the Principal to be taken home for the signature of his/her parent(s) or legal guardian(s).
2. The pupil must meet with the Principal to discuss the reasons for the requested withdrawal.
3. The Principal will review the pupil's file to determine whether the pupil has received the educational services to which he/she is entitled.
4. The Principal will report the withdrawal and the reasons for the withdrawal to the Executive Director to satisfy state reporting requirements.

#### B. Transferring Pupils

1. A pupil requesting transfer to another school, public or private, must obtain from the Principal a transfer form for approval by the pupil's parent(s) or legal guardian(s).
2. A parent(s) or legal guardian(s) who withdraws a pupil from this school shall be asked to designate the name and location of the school or school in which he/she intends to enroll the pupil. The Principal shall be alert to the receipt of a request for records from that school, for the purpose of implementing Policy No. 8464.

#### C. Pupil's Responsibilities

A pupil who withdraws, permanently or by transfer, must:



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1. Return all books, uniforms, and other school property to the appropriate school staff member, who shall give a proper receipt for returned items;
  2. Clear out his/her locker(s) and turn in any locks owned by the school;
  3. Clear any obligations, for materials or fines, to the school;
  4. Pay any fines due for school enterprise funds to include Food Service and Before/After School and damaged or lost textbooks; and
  5. Submit a properly authorized withdrawal or transfer form.
- D. Records
1. The records of a pupil who transfers to another school will be sent to that school in accordance with Regulation No. 8330.
  2. The permanent records of a pupil who withdraws from school will be retained in accordance with Regulation No. 8330.

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