



ADMISSION OF NON-RESIDENT STUDENTS

Children of Employees

The Lincoln Public Schools provide a quality education to all of its students. It is a sign of confidence and support for our programs if non-resident employees of the Schools and the Town wish to enroll their children in our schools. The Lincoln School Committee wishes to show its appreciation of such employees by extending enrollment to their children on a "space available" basis. In addition, the Committee wishes to extend such privileges on a reciprocal basis to employees of the Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School. This policy is also governed by MGL , c 76, § 12.

Therefore, dependent children of employees of: 1) the Lincoln Public Schools, 2) the Town of Lincoln, and 3) Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School, may attend the Lincoln Public Schools upon approval of the Lincoln School Committee based on the following guidelines:

Eligibility Requirements

For the purposes of this policy, "eligible employees" are full-time or regularly scheduled part-time employees working 25 (twenty-five) or more hours per week.

- A. A student whose parent leaves the employ of his/her qualified employer will no longer be eligible to be educated in the Lincoln Public Schools. If the parent leaves the employ before March 15, the student must transfer out of district. If the parent leaves the employ after March 15, the students may continue to attend the Lincoln Public Schools for the remainder of the school year.
- B. Eligibility is dependent upon the ability of the Lincoln Public Schools to meet the educational needs of the child(ren) within the normal academic program and student support services.

Criteria for Enrollment

In consideration of both cost and space constraints, the School Committee reserves the right to limit the total number of employees' children to ensure the quality of education delivered to all the District's students.

"Space availability" will be determined by the School Committee, with initial input from the Superintendent. Space availability will be decided annually by grade or program in March or when the School Committee finishes their budgeting process, whichever comes later.

The process used shall be as follows:

1. The School Committee will use the most up-to-date projections of student enrollment for the following academic year.
2. From this data, setting aside current or new students that wish to attend Lincoln schools under this Policy, the School Committee will determine