

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE AREAS

Background

In order to assist in the efficient operation of the Division and the optimal utilization of school facilities, school attendance boundaries have been established. School attendance areas will also define transportation service areas.

Procedures

1. The Board determines attendance boundaries for each of its schools.
2. A boundary exemption request (Form 305-1) for a placement of a student outside the attendance area established by the Board shall be:
 - 2.1. Made before the first day of the student's attendance in any school year;
 - 2.2. Submitted to the Principal who shall determine if the program, facilities and resources in the school are appropriate and available for the student; and
 - 2.3. Appealed to the Superintendent or designate if the parent does not agree with the decision of the Principal.
3. When a student is admitted into a school outside of his/her designated attendance area, the parents will be responsible for transportation at their own expense.

Reference: *Education Act*, SA 2012, c E-0.3, ss. 4, 7, 11, 32, 33, 53, 59, 197, 222