

Homeless Dispute

If a dispute arises over any issue covered in policy JLG, the child or youth in transition will be admitted immediately, pending final resolution of the dispute. The student will also have the rights of a student in transition to all appropriate educational services, transportation, free meals, and Title 1, Part A, services while the dispute is pending.

When a dispute arises, Platte County School District #2 will provide the parent or unaccompanied youth with a written and/or oral explanation of its decision and the right to appeal and will refer the parent or youth to the local liaison immediately. The local liaison will ensure that the student is enrolled in the requested school and receiving services to which he or she is entitled and will resolve the dispute as expeditiously as possible. The parent or unaccompanied youth will be given every opportunity to participate meaningfully in the resolution of the dispute. The local liaison will keep records of all disputes in order to determine whether particular issues or schools are delaying or denying the enrollment of children and youth in transition repeatedly.

The parent or unaccompanied youth, or other school district may appeal the school district's decision as provided in the state's dispute resolution process.