

POLICY JFABD

Board of Education Las Cruces Public Schools

Related Entries: JFABD-R
Responsible Office: Associate Superintendent for Instruction

ENROLLMENT OF HOMELESS STUDENTS

I. PURPOSE

The Board of Education is committed to the identification and enrollment in school of homeless students from Las Cruces so as to provide and/or maintain a stable educational environment for these students by minimizing the effect of mobility on academic achievement whenever possible.

The board is further committed to a policy which is in compliance with the federal McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Act of 2001 (reauthorized in 2002).

II. POSITION

- A. The Board of Education believes every LCPS student should receive a quality education regardless of his or her living arrangements.
- B. The Superintendent of Schools shall promulgate a regulation for the enforcement of this policy.

III. REVIEW

This policy shall be reviewed on an ongoing basis in accordance with the Board of Education policy review process.

History: New Policy; drafted 09.10.09

Legal Reference: 42 U.S.C. 11301, McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act (2002)



Board of Education, President

February 23, 2010

Date Approved