

*Migrant Education*

It is the Board's Policy to involve parents in programs for the education of migratory children in accordance with the No Child Left Behind Act of 2002.

The term "migratory child" means a child who is, or whose parent or spouse is, a migratory agricultural worker, including a migratory dairy worker, or migratory fisher, and who, in the preceding 36 months, in order to obtain, or accompany such parent or spouse, in order to obtain, temporary or seasonal employment in agricultural or fishing work:

- a) has moved from one school district to another;
- b) in a state that is comprised of a single school district, has moved from one administrative area to another within such district; or
- c) resides in a school district of more than 15,000 square miles, and migrates a distance of 20 miles or more to a temporary residence to engage in a fishing activity.

For all programs of one (1) school year in duration, the District shall:

1. Maintain an active Parent Advisory Council, unless extraordinary circumstances make such impractical;
2. Carry out activities in a format and language understandable to the parents;
3. Inform parents and guardians of their child's eligibility for education programs for migratory children;
4. Utilize a program handbook to inform parents/guardians;
5. Utilize informative parent/guardian meetings;
6. Provide two (2) written reports to parents each school year;
7. Involve parents/guardians in the joint development of District Plans submitted in regard to education programs for migratory children and/or their families and the review processes and improvement under the Act.