

RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

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Existing law allows parents to enroll children in the public school of their choice, without regard to residence, school system geographic boundaries, or attendance zones, if both of the following apply:

- (1) The public school in which the student was most recently enrolled or would otherwise attend received a school performance letter grade of "D" or "F" for the most recent school year.
- (2) The school in which the student seeks to enroll received a school performance letter grade of "A", "B," or "C" for the most recent school year and has sufficient capacity at the appropriate grade level.

Existing law requires each public school governing authority to adopt a policy to govern student transfers authorized by existing law. New law requires that the policy be posted to the governing authority's website by Sept. 30, 2018, and reported to the state Dept. of Education by Dec. 31, 2018.

Effective August 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 17:4035.1(A)(intro. para.) and (E)(1))