

JACKSON HEIGHTS SCHOOLS

Unified School District #335

OUT OF DISTRICT WAIVER

Application must be submitted and approved each school year.

This waiver is for the **2019-2020** school year.

Student's Name _____ Home Phone _____
Parent/Guardian Name (s) _____ Work Phone _____
Street Address _____ City/Zip _____
Current School _____ Resident District _____
Student's grade level during the requested school year _____ Parent's E-mail _____

REASON FOR REQUEST

(Please print or type)

North Jackson USD #335 requests permission to contact the current or past school(s) where the student has attended. Information regarding the student will need to be shared with a representative of USD #335 in order to determine acceptance or denial of this request. All shared information will be kept confidential. Such information may include, but may not be limited to academic achievement and effort, discipline records/office referrals, suspensions/expulsions, attendance, administrative feedback, and teacher input.

_____ YES, I give permission for information to be shared with USD #335 concerning my child's educational and behavioral background.

Refusing USD #335's request for educational and behavioral information will result in denial of this waiver.

**** North Jackson USD #335 is not responsible for the transportation of Out of District students****

Approval is contingent upon appropriate attendance, behavior, academic achievement, and parent/guardian support. Jackson Heights Schools will contact the applicant within 30 days of receipt to share the district's decision. Applicants who disagree with the decision may appeal, in writing, to the USD #335 Board of Education within 10 days of notification.

Parent/ Guardian Signature

Date

Principal's Signature

_____ Approved _____ Not Approved

Superintendent's Signature

_____ Approved _____ Not Approved

Resident Student - A resident student is any child who has attained the age of eligibility for school attendance and lives with a parent or a person acting as a parent that is a resident of the district. For purposes of this policy, a person acting as a parent means a guardian or conservator, a person liable by law to care for and support the child, a person who has actual care and control of the child and provides a major portion of support or a person who has actual care and control of the child with written consent of a person who has legal custody of the child.

Nonresident Student - Nonresident students are those who do not meet the qualifications of a resident student. Nonresident students may be admitted only to the extent that staff, facilities, equipment, and supplies are available, and only if they meet academic, behavior and attendance standards which will be reevaluated each semester. The student should be enrolled and attending by the official count date established by the Kansas State Board of Education each year in order to be accepted as a nonresident student for a given school year. USD 335 Administration has discretion to waive this requirement based on student circumstances.

Request for permission to attend must be made in writing to the building principal each year and will be considered based on space available by grade level as well as the student's past attendance record, academic performance, and behavior. Forms are available at the district office and in each building.

Transportation to and from school is the responsibility of the nonresident student and his/her family. Exceptions to this rule can be made at the discretion of the "home district" of the student and the convenience of the Jackson Heights District.

A nonresident student who has been suspended or expelled from another district for disciplinary reasons will not be admitted to the district during the term of the suspension or expulsion unless approved by the Board of Education of U.S.D. # 335.

Evaluation – An evaluation of student performance will be conducted each year by school officials. The evaluation would include, but not be limited to, those areas mentioned above.

Attendance Record – More than five absences during a past semester could constitute grounds for possible disapproval of an application.

Academic Performance-Students in grades K-12 must be passing or have passed all subjects to be accepted as a nonresident student.

Behavior - In addition to the statement above discussing prior suspension or expulsion: behavior, as it relates to conduct that is unacceptable as defined by the school district handbook will also be a factor that could exclude a student from acceptance.