

Evangeline Parish School District

2010-11 Student Transfer Information

**Deadline to apply:
June 30, 2010**



Toni Hamlin, Superintendent

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April 23, 2010

RE: Student Transfers

Dear Parents/Guardians of K thru 12th graders:

Any student in the majority population of the school that he/she is required to attend may apply for a majority to minority (M to M) transfer to a school in our parish where he/she will be in the minority school population.

All transfer students, except those who were approved for majority to minority (M to M) must reapply annually and provide any required documentation. If a student who was approved for a majority to minority (M to M) transfer wants to return to the school in the zone where he/she lives, the student's parent/legal guardian must inform the transfer committee in writing by Friday, July 30, 2010.

Please contact your local school for 2010-2011 student transfer form for your use. You must apply or reapply by Wednesday, June 30, 2010.

Please mail or deliver to: Darwan Lazard, Parish Administrator
Evangeline Parish School Board
1123 Te Mamou Road
Ville Platte, LA 70586

Kindest regards,



Darwan Lazard
Parish Administrator

EVANGELINE PARISH SCHOOL DISTRICT

"Our Children, Our Schools, Our Future"

2010-2011 Student Transfers

Student transfers are a vital part of our district's efforts to improve our schools.

The Evangeline Parish School District is pleased to offer the following transfer options:

MAJORITY to MINORITY: A student may apply to leave his or her home school in which he or she is in the majority population to attend a school in which he or she will be in the minority school population. Transportation is provided to and from schools for approved transfer students. Applications may be obtained from any public school in Evangeline Parish.

STUDENT OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM: Students in grades 9-12 have a unique opportunity to jump start their future by applying for one of our academies through the Student Opportunity Program. We offer four exciting programs for students including:

Academy of Health Careers - You can finish high school while becoming a Certified Nursing Assistant or Pharmacy Technician. The Academy of Health Careers located at Ville Platte High School can help you start your career in the medical field. Course offerings include: Pharmacy Technician, Health Occupations, and First Responder. Some courses even count as Dual Enrollment which gives you technical college credits.

Advanced Placement/Dual Enrollment - Are you ready to be on the fast track to success? Then the Advanced Placement/Dual Enrollment courses at Ville Platte High School are just what you need. Advanced studies in Chemistry, Physics, Calculus, Environmental Sciences, Biology, Math, English Composition & Literature, American History, and World History will give you an edge for college. Dual Enrollment courses qualify for both high school AND college credits. AP Prep courses give you the tools you need to succeed on Advanced Placement tests which can help you earn even more college credit.

Academy of Performing and Visual Arts - Nurture your passion for the arts with the Academy of Performing and Visual Arts at Pine Prairie High School. Choose from classes in Band, Chorus/Voice, Dance, Theatre, or Visual Arts. You can also participate in collaborative art showcases and performances. Studies show that students who are exposed to the arts do better in school.

Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (ROTC) - Are you interested in pursuing a career in the United States military or would you like to develop discipline and leadership skills? Then you should look into the JROTC program at Ville Platte High School. This program can help you develop good citizenship, self-reliance, leadership, and team building skills. Program participants who take 2 to 4 years of the course have the opportunity to instantly rank higher should they pursue a military career.

All students who currently live in Evangeline Parish are eligible to apply for any of our Student Opportunity programs. Applications are available at all Evangeline Parish public schools and transportation is provided to and from school for these approved student transfers. Students who currently attend Ville Platte High School or Pine Prairie High School and are interested in attending an academy at their school are still **REQUIRED** to complete and submit an application.

Some programs may have minimum GPA, interview, and/or audition

For more information about these options, please contact Darwan Lazard or Mike Lombas at (337) 363-6651.

**EVANGELINE PARISH
STUDENT TRANSFER APPLICATION FORM
2010-11**

Return Form to School Board Office by Wednesday, **JUNE 30, 2010**. Each application will be reviewed for approval or disapproval. You will be notified by U. S. Mail regarding the status of your application by **Friday, July 30, 2010**.

PLEASE PRINT:

New _____ Renewal _____

Student Name _____ Race _____ Sex _____ Age _____

Grade (2010/11) _____ Parish in which child resides _____ School zoned for _____ School attended (09-10) _____

School Requesting to attend(1st Choice) _____ School Requesting to attend (2nd Choice) _____ Reason for Transfer (See Table Below) _____

Name of Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s) _____ Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Other _____

Physical Address (911 Address) _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Mailing Address (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE) _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature _____ School where you work: _____
(for employees only)

- ❖ Only court ordered custody papers, signed by a judge, will be accepted as proof of custody. Notarized statements for custody will not be accepted.
- ❖ All required documentation must be attached to each request for a student transfer. Incomplete transfer applications will not be considered.
- ❖ Please be reminded that all requests for transfers must be submitted yearly, except those for Majority to Minority (M to M).
- ❖ The Magnet Academies are vital parts of our on-going desegregation efforts. They are designed to positively impact education and desegregation in this school system.
- ❖ All approved transfers require students to remain in their requested schools for the entire school year.

STUDENT TRANSFER POLICY (REASON REQUESTING TRANSFER)		
(A) Curricula	(D) Safety	(G) Majority to Minority
(B) Graduating Senior	(E) Employee's Child	(H) Academy of Health/Math/Science/Jrotc
(C) Health	(F) Hardship	(I) Academy of Performing Arts

FOR SCHOOL BOARD USE:

Date turned in to office: _____ Approved: _____ Denied: _____