

GOVERNANCE**SCHOOL ATTENDANCE BOUNDARIES**

In accordance with WV Constitution, Article XII and WV Code 18-5-16 and 18-5-16a, Ohio County Board of Education is required to provide a thorough and efficient education for all children and is empowered to designate school attendance districts to accomplish those goals.

As part of its commitment to providing the highest quality of education possible within the resources available, Ohio County Board of Education directs the administration to establish school attendance boundaries that facilitate efficient access of student to schools so that children can receive education as close to their residence as possible within their own neighborhoods.

In recognition of the desire of parents to exercise choice in enrollment, Ohio County Schools will provide for enrollment of student in public schools in districts which are not those of residence.

No boundaries may be drawn that create school districts that are deliberately segregated by race.

County boards of education are empowered to enter into cooperative agreements with each other to provide a thorough and efficient education for students. Ohio County Schools recognizes the desire of parents to exercise choice in enrollment and, hereby, permits enrollment of students from any West Virginia Regional Educational Service Agency VI (RESA) county without payment of tuition, and likewise, permits release of any student to a RESA VI county without tuition reimbursement.

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OHIO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION