

## 4.05F--SCHOOL CHOICE CAPACITY RESOLUTION

Whereas:

- The Board of Directors of the Benton School District has approved by a vote of the Board, the following capacity resolution for school choice applicants for the 2015-2016 school-year under the provisions of policy 4.5—SCHOOL CHOICE and applicable Arkansas law.
- Applications that are not received on or before May 1, are to a student's resident district that has declared itself exempt due to an existing desegregation order, or, the acceptance of which would exceed the applicant's resident district's statutory limitation on student transfers out of its district will not be accepted.
- The district reserves to itself the ability to determine, based on an examination of student records obtained from the prior district, and other information, whether any student would require a different class, course or courses, program of instruction, or special services than originally applied for. If such an examination determines that capacity has been reached in the appropriate class, course or program of instruction, or that additional staff would have to be hired for the applicant, the District shall rescind the original provisional acceptance letter and deny the Choice transfer for that student.
- The district reserves to itself the ability to decline to accept under school choice any student whose acceptance would require the district to add additional staff, for any reason.

### Capacity Standards

#### 100 Elementary School (grades K-5)

Elementary Special Education Resource Openings (per student, regardless of number of subjects student requires for which student requires Resource instruction) \_\_\_\_\_

Elementary Special Education Self Contained, without assigned aide \_\_\_\_\_

#### 30 Middle School (grades 6-7)

Middle School Special Education Resource Openings (per student, regardless of number of subjects student requires for which student requires Resource instruction) \_\_\_\_\_

Middle School Special Education Self Contained, without assigned aide \_\_\_\_\_

#### 30 Junior High School (grades 8-9)

Junior High Special Education Resource Openings (per student, regardless of number of subjects student requires for which student requires Resource instruction) \_\_\_\_\_

Junior High Special Education Self Contained, without assigned aide \_\_\_\_\_

**25** High School (grades 10-12)

THEREFORE, let it be resolved that these shall constitute the School Choice openings at the beginning of the School Choice enrollment period for the school-year 2015-2016.

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Board President

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Board Secretary

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Date

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Date

Date Adopted: 10/14/2013  
Last Revised: 05/11/2015