BASIS FOR TRANSFER

The Board or its designee must make transfer decisions on an individual basis and may not consider as a factor in arriving at any decision regarding assignments any matter relating to the national origin of the student or the student's ancestral language. *Education Code 25.032* [See FDAA]

FUNDING FOR TRANSFERS

Upon the filing and certification of any transfer, the state per capita apportionment shall transfer with the student. For purposes of computing state allotments to districts eligible under the Foundation School Program, the student's attendance prior to the date of transfer shall be counted by the sending district and the student's attendance after transfer shall be counted by the receiving district. *Education Code 25.037*

TUITION

INCOMING STUDENTS

The Board may fix such fees and tuition rates as are deemed necessary to supplement other sources of funds for maintaining and operating the District in carrying out its functions, with authority, however, to reduce fees and tuitions or waive them altogether in cases where the parents or guardians of the students are able to pay a portion only or none of such tuition or fees, in the judgment of the Board, or in the judgment of an agency created by the Board to determine such matters; however, no parent or guardian of a school-age student residing in the District shall pay tuition, and any fees charged by the District shall be in conformity with Texas laws governing independent school districts. *Former Education Code 26.66 as continued in effect by Education Code 11.301(a)* [See FP]

LIMITATIONS

The District may charge a tuition fee to the extent that the District's actual expenditure per student in average daily attendance exceeds the sum of state available school fund apportionment benefits transferred to the District under Education Code 25.037. However, unless a tuition fee is prescribed and set out in a transfer agreement prior to its execution by the parties, no increase in tuition charge shall be made for the year of that transfer that exceeds the tuition charge, if any, of the preceding school year. *Education Code 25.038*

CREDITS AND RECORDS

Credits earned in local credit courses may be transferred at the enrolling district's discretion. Transfer students shall not be prohibited from attending school pending receipt of transcripts or academic records from the district the student previously attended. *19 TAC 74.26(a)(1)*

NONPUBLIC SCHOOLS

Records and transcripts of students from Texas nonpublic schools or from out of state or out of the country (including foreign exchange students) shall be evaluated, and students shall be placed promptly in appropriate classes. The District may use a wide variety of methods to verify the content of courses for which a transfer student has earned credit. *19 TAC 74.26(a)(2)*