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NON-RESIDENT NON-TUITION POLICY

It is the policy of Delaware Academy Central School District at Delhi not to accept non-resident students. However, the following exceptions apply to this policy:

- I. Subject to all provisions of Article III below, any non-resident student who is a child and full-time household member of a full-time employee of the Delaware Academy Central School District at Delhi **or** who is a child and full-time household member of such full-time employee's spouse or bona fide domestic partner shall be entitled to attend the Delaware Academy Central School District at Delhi as a K-12 non-resident student without payment of tuition. The person in parental relation to the non-resident student must submit a letter of request to have their non-resident child attend Delaware Academy Central School District at Delhi hereunder to the Superintendent of Schools for approval. In determining whether to admit such non-resident child hereunder the Superintendent of Schools shall consider the non-resident child's eligibility under this Section I in addition to the factors enumerated in Section III below.
- II. Foreign Exchange Students. Subject to Article III below, students from other nations who are living with district residents may be enrolled at the discretion of the District. The District will consider accepting international students recommended and authorized by the Rotary Youth Exchange Program, the International Student Exchange, or another Department of State approved sponsor program. Students must enroll at the beginning of the year. The administration is authorized to file with the U.S. Department of Homeland Security the forms necessary for the monitoring of non-immigrant foreign students during the course of their stay in the District in accordance with the Student and Exchange Visitor Information System (SEVIS).
- III. The right of a non-resident student to attend Delaware Academy Central School District under Article I and II of this Policy is dependent upon:
 1. If applicable, parents/guardians must work out transfer conditions with the home school district and must provide proof of the student's good academic standing and disciplinary standing.
 2. Enrollment is in the best interest of all students.
 3. The enrollment of the student will not create a hardship for the District, with respect to classroom space, student-teacher ratio and/or require additional staffing or affect staffing needs.
 4. Transportation to a residence outside of the District cannot be provided.
 5. A non-resident student's continued attendance will be dependent on a student maintaining a passing average in all subjects and compliance with the District's Code of Conduct and student attendance policy. A student and his/her parent or guardian shall be entitled to an informal conference with the Superintendent of Schools during, or at the end of the school year, for any of these reasons.
 6. The student's enrollment must be approved by the Superintendent of Schools.

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7. All rules and regulations in effect for the District students will be applicable to non-resident students.
8. The Board of Education reserves the right to limit or eliminate non-resident enrollment depending on the District's resources.
9. The parent/guardian of any non-resident student authorized to attend Delaware Academy Central School District at Delhi, and the student, will be required to sign a Contract of Conduct.

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