

NON-RESIDENT STUDENTS – FOREIGN

Background

The Division may accept foreign students if adequate programs, space and resources are available.

Alberta Education does not provide funding for foreign students to attend Alberta public schools. Notwithstanding the above, Divisions may accept foreign students if they have adequate space and appropriate programs.

Procedures

1. The applicant shall have met all requirements pertaining to student visas stipulated by Canada Manpower and Immigration.
2. The applicant shall have made application for registration in a Canadian school prior to entry into Canada and will have been issued a student visa or equivalent from his/her home country.
3. The Superintendent and Principal are satisfied that the student is a worthy candidate if he/she:
 - 3.1 Has satisfactory language facility.
 - 3.2 Is prepared to meet attendance and conduct regulations.
4. The full cost of the tuition and transportation for the program in which the student is enrolled is paid in advance. These funds will be allocated to the appropriate school-based accounts.
5. Notwithstanding the above, the Division may accept foreign students on international exchanges without tuition fees.

Reference: Section 3, 13, *Education Act*