

Jefferson County Public Schools
McKinney-Vento Homeless Education Assistance Act
School of Origin Waiver Form

A School of Origin Waiver form for McKinney-Vento parents is used when a parent or guardian of a student experiencing homelessness chooses to waive the right for their child to remain in their school of origin.

Under the McKinney-Vento Act, your child has the **right to remain in their school of origin** if it is in their best interest, even if your current living situation is outside the school boundaries.

The school of origin is defined as:

- The school the student last attended when permanently housed, or
- The school in which the student was last enrolled.

Transportation support will be provided to and from the school of origin.

Student Information (Must match IC campus information. Update IC when needed)

- Name: _____ IC #: _____
- Date of Birth: _____
- Grade: _____
- Current Living Situation (shelter, hotel, doubled-up, etc.): _____
- Last Permanent Address listed in IC _____
- Current Address (Please update IC records) _____

Information of the Parent/ Guardian requesting school of origin waiver (Must match IC campus information)

- Full Name of the Parent: _____
- Phone Number: _____
- Email (if available): _____

Was Transportation support offered from your current address to your current school? (Y/N) _____

Waiver of Right to School of Origin

I, the parent/legal guardian/unaccompanied youth listed above, **understand my rights** under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act. I am choosing to **waive the right to remain in the school of origin**. Your student will be placed based on the current JCPS Assignment Plan.

I understand that by waiving this right, my child will be enrolled in the school serving our current residence.

Parent/Guardian/Unaccompanied Youth Signature: _____

Date: _____

Full Name of the staff member facilitating the request _____

Signature of the Parent requesting the waiver _____

If a parent is not physically present, the School homeless liaison or school principal may sign the School of Origin waiver alone after completing the session below and notifying the parent about their School of Origin rights and available transportation resources.

Signature of the staff member facilitating the request _____

Date: _____

How was the McKinney-Vento educational rights notification provided? *(Check all that apply and maintain records)*

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| ☐ In person (Parent/Caregiver Signature is <u>required</u>) | Date: _____ |
| ☐ By phone (verbal explanation) | Date: _____ |
| ☐ Email (written notification) | Date: _____ |
| ☐ Text message (written summary or link to rights information) | Date: _____ |

Link to upload completed form :

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