## Page Unified School District #8

PO Box 1927, Page, AZ 86040

## **Student Support Services**

## Student Eligibility Form

This form is intended to address the requirements of the McKinney-Vento Act – U.S.C.A-42 Section 11302(a). The questions below are to assist in determining if the student meets the eligibility criteria for services provided under the McKinney-Vento Act.

1. The student lives with:					
Parent(s)/Legal Guardian(s)		An Adult who is <b>NOT</b> the parent/legal guardian			
Student is an adult living on his/her own		Student is an <i>Unaccompanied Youth</i>			
	SEC	CTION A			
In a Shelter Living in car, campground Moving from place to pla	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	·			
	SEC	CTION B			
Choices in Section A do n If you checked this box, it is i in Section A do not apply.	not apply: not necessary to complete this	s form. Please sign this fo	rm acknowledging t	hat the choices	
Name of Student:					
Date of Birth: Gender: M F Age: Grade in School:					
PUSD Enrolling School:					
List all other children that stay	in the same place:				
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	GRADE	SCH	SCHOOL	
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Signature of Person Providing Information – Parent/Legal Guar		ardian/Care Giver		Date	
			<u>.</u>		
Temporary/Current <b>PHYSICAL</b> Address		City	State	Zip	
Temporary/Current MAILING Address					

Registrar: If an option in Section A is checked, please scan & email completed form to: <a href="www.vwhitehorse@pageud.org">wwhitehorse@pageud.org</a>. The original form is kept at the registering campus for audit purposes.

## The McKinney Vento Act Parent/Student Rights

Arizona public schools shall provide an educational environment that treats all students with dignity and respect. Every student experiencing homelessness or transition shall have access to the same free and appropriate educational opportunities as students who are not homeless. This commitment to the educational rights of homeless children, youth, and unaccompanied youth, applied to all services, programs, and activities provided or made available.

A student may be considered eligible for services under the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act if he or she is presently living:

- In Temporary Shared housing, a shelter, or transitional living program
- In a hotel/motel, campground, or similar situation due to lack of alternatives
- At a bus station, park, car, or abandoned building
- In temporary or transitional foster care placement

According to the McKinney-Vento Act, eligible students have rights to:

Immediate enrollment: Documentation and immunization records cannot serve as a barrier to the enrollment in school.

**School Selection:** Eligible students have a right to select from the following schools:

- The school he/she attended when permanently housed (School of Origin)
- The school in which he/she was last enrolled (School of Origin)
- The school in attendance area in which the student currently resides (School of Residence)

**Remain enrolled** in his/her selected school for the duration of homelessness, or until the academic year upon which they are permanently housed.

**Participate in programs** for which they are eligible, including Title I Tutoring programs, Free lunch in schools with the, National School Lunch Program, Head Start & Even Start Preschool Programs.

**Transportation Services:** A McKinney-Vento eligible student attending his/her school of origin has a right to transportation to and from the School of Origin.

**Dispute Resolution:** If you disagree with school officials about enrollment, transportation, or fair treatment of a homeless child or youth, you may file a complaint with the school district. The school district must respond and attempt to resolve it quickly. During the dispute, the student must be immediately enrolled in the school and provided transportation until the matter is resolved. The McKinney Vento Liaison will assist you in making decision, providing notice of any appeal process, and filling out dispute forms.