



2025-2026 REGISTRATION / RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS

NEW STUDENTS

Pre-register online at www.fsd5.org

The following documents should be presented to the school for final approval:

- Birth Certificate
SC Certificate of Immunization
Social Security Card
Withdrawal Form - if student is transferring from another school
2 Proofs of Residence - Residency is defined by the Board of Trustees as residing with parent/guardian at least 5 nights per week in this school district (See list below).

*New Nonresident Student - (See below)

RETURNING STUDENTS (in district)

Register online through PowerSchool Parent Portal or follow the registration link at www.fsd5.org.

At least two documents for proof of residency must be presented for returning students.

Both must include the street address with parent or guardian name. A post office box address is not acceptable.

- Current electricity bill
Current gas bill
Current water bill
Driver's License or DMV Identification Card with current address
Copy of current official rental or lease agreement with the property owner's name and phone number or a notarized statement from property owner concerning a rental agreement

SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

2025-26 Shared Housing Notarized Affidavit with whom the student and parent/guardian are residing, along with two proofs of residency from that individual. (Form is available by visiting our website at www.fsd5.org This form is not to be used for the sole purpose of attending school in FSD5).

Affidavit (Board Policy JFAA-E) - Anyone wishing to present an affidavit to enroll a student must be contact the District Office to request the necessary form.

NONRESIDENT STUDENT

*New Nonresident Student - All new nonresident students requesting enrollment in-district must be approved by the District Office before enrollment can begin. Please contact the District Office at 843-386-2358 (option 4) to request a transfer request form. The following current reports from your transferring school are required before the transfer request can be approved.

- Attendance History
Incidents Summary
Grade Report
IEP or 504 Plan (if applicable)
Transcript (if applicable)
State and Benchmark Test Scores

Landowner - If the student is a landowner in this district, he/she may enroll without meeting the residency requirement upon payment of the approximate \$1500 tuition payment.

Non-Landowner - If the student is not a landowner, he/she may enroll without meeting the residency requirement upon payment of the approximate \$2,000 tuition payment and release from their residing school district.

Tuition payments can be made yearly, by semester, or quarterly.

FSD5 participates with Education Scholarship Trust Fund Program. (Students must be approved by the District Office)

Out-of-district students must provide a letter of release for their child from their residing school district.

It is necessary that these procedures be followed before any student is enrolled in FSD5. These procedures do not supersede or replace any existing Board policy concerning enrollment of students (e.g., students who are released from another district and approved by the Board of Trustees or superintendent for enrollment).