



Public Notice
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Chancellor

AMENDMENTS TO CHANCELLOR'S REGULATION A-101— ADMISSIONS, READMISSIONS, TRANSFERS, AND LIST NOTICES FOR ALL STUDENTS

I. Description of the subject and purpose of the proposed item under consideration.

Chancellor's Regulation A-101 sets forth the policies concerning admission, discharge, and transfer of pupils in the New York City public school system. The prior version of the regulation, which was issued on December 21, 2012, will be amended in the following respects: (1) children whose sixth birthday falls within the calendar year of admission will be placed in first grade, unless the principal and Superintendent determine that another grade placement would be more instructionally appropriate; (2) children whose verified siblings are enrolled in a zoned school impacted by a re-zoning plan adopted by the Community Education Council will maintain zoned sibling priority to that impacted school if such priority is provided for in the approved zoning plan; (3) students articulating from 8th grade to high school will be either given a priority for or guaranteed admission to their zoned high school if they apply to that school in the high school admissions process; (4) the policy for transferring to a student's zoned high school has been clarified; (5) placement exception requests for elementary and middle school must be supported by appropriate documentation; and (6) students who provide documentation from out of New York City indicating the need for special education services must be referred to either the appropriate CSE or Borough Enrollment Office.

II. Information regarding where the full text of the proposed item may be obtained.

The full text of the amendments to the regulation and the regulation in its entirety can be found on the main page of the website of the Panel for Educational Policy:

<http://schools.nyc.gov/AboutUs/leadership/PEP/publicnotice/2013-2014/Oct30Regs>

III. Name, office, address, email and telephone number of the city district representative, knowledgeable about the item under consideration, from whom information may be obtained concerning the item.

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Written comments may be submitted via the e-mail address listed above. Oral comments may be submitted via the phone number listed above.

IV. Date, time and place of the Panel for Educational Policy meeting at which the Panel will vote on the proposed item.

October 30, 2013 at 6:00 p.m.
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883 Classon Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11225