

**APPLICATION FOR BUILDING CHOICE – BAY CITY PUBLIC SCHOOL
RESIDENTS
2017-2018**

This application may be used by residents of the Bay City Public School district who wish to have their child attend a Bay City Public School other than the school in their attendance area. The application period is open beginning March 1. Notification of acceptance will begin the week of June 20th. Return this form to: Student Services Office, Bay City Public Schools, 910 N. Walnut St., Bay City, MI 48706

BUILDING REQUESTED _____

Grade level of student (2017/18 School Year) _____

Student's Name _____ Birthdate _____
(Last) (First) (M.I.)

Student's Address _____ City _____ ZIP _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s) _____

Telephone: Home _____ Work _____ Cell _____

Present School Attendance Area _____

Which school is the student currently attending? _____

Does the student have a brother or sister currently enrolled in the school you are requesting? Yes ___ No ___

Name(s) _____ Current Grade _____

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If Day Care is a reason for the Building Choice request, please provide the name and address of the day care provider:

Does the student currently receive Special Education Services? Yes _____ No _____

I understand that transportation for a Building of Choice will be my responsibility. I understand that once my child is accepted into a Building of Choice, it is for this school year and subsequent years in the grade levels of that building.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

Status of Transfer: GRANTED DENIED On waiting list pending space available

If denied, reason for denial: _____

Signature _____ Director of Student Services _____ Date _____

Signature _____ Director of Special Education _____ Date _____

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This application may be used by **residents** of the Bay City Public School district who wish to send their student to a school outside of their attendance boundary but within the Bay City district.

****Students who reside outside of the Bay City Public School district but wish to enroll in a Bay City Public School must complete a **Schools of Choice** form, not a Building Choice form. Approval is subject to state regulations 105 and 105c. Schools of Choice forms may be obtained through the Student Services Office, 910 N. Walnut St., Bay City 48706.****

1. All efforts will be made to honor building choice requests based on **space available** at the requested building.
2. Priority will be given to siblings of students already attending a building of choice.
3. Transportation to a building of choice will be the responsibility of the parent.
4. Specific classroom assignments are determined at the building level.
5. Building choice requests **MUST** be received no later than May 15 to determine proper staffing for the upcoming school year. Requests received after that date will not be granted until after the first week of school and will be granted as space permits.

MHSAA ATHLETIC TRANSFER REGULATIONS

1. A “true freshman” (9th grader for the first time) is immediately eligible for athletic competition at the high school of choice. However, after the first day of school or after representing the school in an interscholastic scrimmage or contest, whichever comes first, rule 2 would apply.
2. Any **high school** student who transfers from one Bay City Public School to another without changing home residency will be ineligible to participate in interscholastic competition for **one full semester**.
3. Middle School students are not subject to MHSAA school transfer regulations.