



Magnet Personnel Transfers Information

1. How do Magnet Personnel Transfers work?

Personnel Transfers give Huntsville City Schools' personnel the option to have their dependents transferred to a school in the same feeder pattern as their work location. For more information about Personnel Transfers generally, please review the document found at: <https://transfer.hsv-k12.org/bundles/iabstudenttransfer/pdfs/2015-Personnel-Student-Transfers-Communication.pdf>. This document will explain the policies related to Magnet Personnel Transfers. Most magnet schools and programs have a unique magnet pathway. These pathways are similar to feeder patterns in that they allow students to be given priority when moving from one magnet school or program to another. Magnet Personnel Transfers allow personnel whose work location is a magnet school or whose job duties include supporting a magnet program at a non-magnet school the opportunity to have their student also be a part of the same magnet school or program or a magnet school or program in the same magnet pathway.

2. Does my dependent automatically get in a magnet school or program if I support a magnet school or program?

No. In addition to the requirement that you either work at a magnet school or support a magnet program, there are two additional considerations: space availability and, if applicable, your student's score for the audition or interview applicable to the magnet school or program to which you are applying. At this time, HCS has already conducted its magnet process for the 2015-2016 school year, and, as such, some of the magnet schools and programs have already reached capacity for the 2015-2016 school year. Your student will not be eligible for a Magnet Personnel Transfer if the school or program to which you are applying is already at capacity. If there is enough space available for all Magnet Personnel Transfers to a school *and there is no audition or interview*, your student will be offered a space. If, however, there is not sufficient space for all students who apply to a school that does not have an audition or interview process, students will be selected using a lottery.

If there is space available at magnet schools or programs that use an audition or interview process to select students, your student will be required to complete the same audition or interview process that other students completed to attend the magnet school or program for the 2015-2016 school year. Entry into those magnet schools or programs will be granted based on your student's score on the audition and interview in compliance with HCS magnet policies.

3. How can I find out the schools to which my dependent may transfer using a Magnet Personnel Transfer?

Please begin by finding your work location on the "Magnet Personnel Transfer Information Table" below. Next to your work location, you will find the magnet schools or programs for which your student is eligible, the grade levels served by those schools or programs, and whether the school or program requires an audition or an interview.

4. If I work at a school that has a magnet program but is not solely a magnet school, am I required to apply only for magnet schools or can I apply for a Personnel Transfer to a school in my work location's feeder pattern?

If you work at a school that has a magnet program but is not solely a magnet school, such as Lee High School, and your job is to support the magnet program at that school, you may either apply for a regular Personnel Transfer to any school in the appropriate High School Feeder Pattern and for the magnet school pathway that serves your work location. For more information about regular Personnel Transfers, please review the document found at:

<https://transfer.hsv-k12.org/bundles/iabstudenttransfer/pdfs/2015-Personnel-Student-Transfers-Communication.pdf>.



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| Magnet Schools | | | |
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| If you work at | Your student may apply for a Magnet Personnel Transfer to the following magnet schools/ program: | Grades Served | Audition or Interview Required? |
| Academy for Academics and Arts ("AAA") | AAA, elementary grades | Pre-K – 5 th | No |
| | AAA, middle school grades | 6 th -8 th | Yes |
| | Lee High School | 9 th -12 th | Yes |
| Academy for Science and Foreign Language ("ASFL") | ASFL, elementary grades | Pre-K – 5 th | No |
| | ASFL, middle school grades | 6 th -8 th | Yes |
| | Columbia High School | 9 th -12 th | Yes |
| New Century Technology High School | Williams Middle School | 6 th -8 th | Yes |
| | New Century Technology High School | 9 th -12 th | Yes |

| Magnet Programs | | | |
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| If you support a magnet course at | Your student may apply for a Magnet Personnel Transfer to the following magnet schools/ program: | Grades Served | Audition or Interview Required? |
| Williams Middle School | Williams Middle School | 6 th -8 th | Yes |
| | New Century Technology High School | 9 th -12 th | Yes |
| Columbia High School | ASFL, elementary grades | Pre-K – 5 th | No |
| | ASFL, middle school grades | 6 th -8 th | Yes |
| | Columbia High School | 9 th -12 th | Yes |
| Lee High School | AAA, elementary grades | Pre-K – 5 th | No |
| | AAA, middle school grades | 6 th -8 th | Yes |
| | Lee High School | 9 th -12 th | Yes |