

Students

Married/Pregnant Students

Married students shall have the same educational opportunities in this school system as unmarried students.

Further, the responsibility of the Board of Education for the education of all school-age children includes the pregnant student, married or unmarried. These students shall be allowed to remain in school and support services shall be made a part of the school program. Any variation from their continuing in regular school classes shall be based upon their assessed needs. A pregnant girl may remain in her regular school program as long as her physical and emotional condition permits. Homebound and hospitalized instruction shall be provided only when the Planning and Placement Team finds that it is in the best interest of the student.

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes

10-184 Duties of parents.

10-186 Duties of local and regional boards of education re school attendance.

State Board of Education Regulations

10-76a-35 Educationally exceptional children.

10-76d-15 Homebound and hospitalized instruction (subsection b4).

10-76d (e)(2) Duties and powers of boards of education to provide special education programs and services.

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