

LEA School Choice Implementation Report

LEA: East Baton Rouge Parish School System
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1. Please list all schools in your district that are required to offer School Choice during the 2006-07 school year. The numbers indicated should be consistent across the columns. Please provide the accompanying information.

Sending School	SI Status	# Students Eligible for Choice	# Students Requesting Choice	# Students Receiving Choice Transfer (Approved)	Name of Receiving Schools	# Rec'd (Actual Transfers)
<i>Elementary</i>						
Banks ES	3	324	22	22	Bernard Terrace ES	6
					Ryan ES	0
Claiborne ES	3	374	23	23	Glen Oaks Park ES	7
					Sharon Hills ES	0
Dalton ES	3	365	14	14	Bernard Terrace ES	5
					Ryan ES	0
Eden Park ES	3	283	25	25	Jefferson Terrace ES	9
					Melrose ES	6
Greenville ES	3	464	22	22	Jefferson Terrace ES	0
					Parkview Oaks ES	0
Highland ES	*	383	28	28	Magnolia Woods ES	2
					Wildwood ES	0
Howell Park ES	3	540	30	30	Broadmoor ES	0
					Tanglewood ES	0
Lanier ES	3	407	83	83	Glen Oaks Park ES	52
					Sharon Hills ES	0
Merrydale ES	3	480	37	37	Dufrocq ES	3
					Tanglewood ES	0

Park ES	3	440	19	19	Buchanan ES	1
					University Terrace ES	0
Winbourne ES	2	320	10	10	Dufrocq ES	4
					Parkview Oaks ES	4
ES Sub-Total						
		4,380	313	313		99

*No longer in SI as of 10/23/06 SPS Release

Middle

Capitol MS	3	784	50	50	Southeast MS	0
					Westdale MS	0
					Broadmoor MS	1
Crestworth MS	3	809	61	61	Broadmoor MS	15
					Northeast ES (6)	
					Northeast HS (7 & 8)	10
Glen Oaks MS	5	889	102	102	Central MS	57
					Northeast ES (6)	
					Northeast HS (7 & 8)	8
Kenilworth MS	3	752	124	124	Glasgow MS	27
					Southeast MS	0
					Woodlawn MS	11
Park Forest MS	3	919	96	96	Broadmoor MS	26
					Central MS	34
Prescott MS	5	768	134	134	Glasgow MS	19
					Westdale MS	
					Woodlawn MS	42
MS Sub-Total						
		4,921	567	567		208

High

Capitol HS - Boys	3	268	11	11	McKinley HS	3
					Woodlawn HS	0
Capitol HS - Girls	3	281	14	14	McKinley HS	2
					Woodlawn HS	0
Istrouma HS	3	756	28	28	Central HS	3
					Tara HS	0
HS Sub-Total						
		1,305	53	53		8

Grand Total						
		10,606	933	933		315

**Please provide justification if the number of students requesting Choice is more than the number of students receiving Choice.*

All eligible students who requested a choice transfer were offered a choice transfer. Reasons for discrepancies between number of requests and number received: some parents opted not to follow through and complete the transfer, and changes in attendance status (moved out of state, moved out of district, moved out of attendance zone and opted the new attendance zone school, student expulsions).

2. For LEAs with Limited Capacity, did the LEA provide parents with at least two schools from which to choose to transfer their students within the district, or, provide parents with information about additional services that will be provided in lieu of choice options?

- Yes
 No

What services were provided for the eligible students?

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3. # of students offered these services?

4. # of students received these services?

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Desegregation

If an LEA is subject to a desegregation plan, whether that plan is voluntary, court-ordered, or required by a Federal or State administrative agency, the LEA is not exempt from offering students the option to transfer [34 C.F. R. Section 200.44 ©(1)].

5. Is the LEA operating under a court-ordered plan?

- Yes
 No

6. Does the desegregation plan limit the opportunity for students to transfer?

- Yes If yes, what actions has the LEA taken to meet school choice requirements? Provide documentation.
 No

7. Is choice offered within the parameters of the LEA's plan?

Yes

No If no, then the LEA needs to seek court approval for amendments to the plan that permit a transfer option for students enrolled in schools identified for school improvement, corrective action or restructuring. In accordance with NCLB:

- "If the LEA is unable to secure changes to the plan that permit a transfer option, the LEA will be out of compliance with Title I. If that occurs, it should notify the SEA and this Department of its request to the court and of the court's decision [*34 C.F.R. Section 200.44 (c) (3)*].
- "If the plan has been agreed to with the Department's Office of Civil Rights (OCR), OCR will work with the LEA to identify permissible amendments to the plan that will enable the LEA to comply with Title I public school choice requirements."

Special Education and Choice

LEAs must ensure that students with disabilities are provided a free appropriate public education (FAPE) consistent with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504), and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA Title II) in their school of choice.

8. Does the LEA offer students with disabilities a comparable range of choice options?

- Yes
 No

9. If the LEA has limited choice capacity, and is providing additional services in lieu of choice, does the LEA offer a comparable range of alternative services to children with disabilities?

- Yes
 No

LEA Superintendent's Signature Date Federal Program Director's Signature Date

Email or fax this form to Evelyn D. Johnson at 225-342-5297 by July 31, 2007. Mail **a hardcopy with SIGNATURES by Wednesday, August 1, 2007** to: Evelyn D. Johnson, Office of School and Student Performance, Division of Educational Improvement and Assistance, P.O. Box 94064, Baton Rouge, LA 70804-9064. If you have any questions, please call Evelyn D. Johnson at (225) 342-3730.