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CHILDREN OF SALEM PUBLIC SCHOOLS FULL-TIME STAFF ATTENDING SALEM PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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Notwithstanding the Salem Public Schools' non-participation in School Choice in any given year, children of the full-time (school year and calendar year) staff of the Salem Public Schools may attend the Salem Public Schools free of charge on a space available basis after approval of the annual School Committee budget. Transportation both to and from the school district must be provided by the parent /guardian, at no cost to the school district.

The superintendent each year will make a determination as to the space available at each grade level. If the superintendent determines that the spaces available at each grade level are not sufficient to make an immediate decision to accept the child of the full-time staff member, the superintendent will delay that decision until at least August 1st. At that time, the superintendent will make his or her final determination regarding space availability and request that the School Committee approve his or her recommendations.

Once children of full-time staff are accepted into the Salem Public Schools they will have a right to complete their education there through graduation, as long as the parent continues in the employment of the Salem Public Schools, and assuming that the student meets the same academic and behavioral expectations of any other student in the Salem Public Schools.

Children of full-time staff who are enrolled as students in the Salem Public Schools may finish the school year regardless of the employment of their parents, provided that the period of time since the discontinuance of employment and the end of the school year does not exceed three (3) calendar months.

A child of full-time staff who has continuously attended Salem High School for the three (3) years prior to his or her senior year, may complete the final year at Salem High School, regardless of the employment of his or her parents.

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