

Frequently Asked Questions About Boerne ISD Attendance Zones

When will the proposed boundaries go into effect?

New boundaries go into effect at the start of the 2020-21 school year.

Will current students living in a realigned zone be exempt or "grandfathered" so they can continue to attend their current school?

Students entering the fifth grade in the year of realignment will have the option of remaining at their current school. In that year only, younger siblings also will have the option of remaining at their current campus. However, the following year – once the fifth-grader has promoted to sixth grade – all younger siblings, regardless of grade, must enroll at the school for which their family residence is zoned.

Will the district provide transportation if my fifth-grade student chooses to remain at their current campus?

Parents will be responsible for providing transportation for students who choose to remain at their current campus for the 2020-21 school year.

What impact will realignment have on the Dual Language program?

Decisions regarding specialized programs such as Dual Language have not yet been finalized. Attendance zones do not impact the location of District programs such as Dual Language.

Kendall Elementary's Pre-K program utilizes a large classroom and other resources. Are there options to move Pre-K from KES to another elementary?

We offer the full continuum of services at all elementary classrooms. Currently, there is only one PK classroom at KES, which will remain there in order to remain consistent in program offerings across the district.

How does this affect middle school? Will the new rezoning change this as well?

Middle school zones are unchanged by these proposed elementary zone changes. Middle school zones are set for the foreseeable future.

Will high school attendance zones be realigned?

High school zones are unchanged by these proposed elementary zone changes. High school choice, a provision that has been in place in some form since the opening of the district's second high school in 2008, has been extended for incoming 9th-grade students and all new-to-the-district students. Students have the option of attending either Boerne High School or Boerne-Samuel V. Champion High School.

How do I get more information and answers to my questions about attendance zone realignment?

Visit our <u>Elementary Zone Realignment page</u> or call Central Office at (830) 357-2011.