

EVERY STUDENT FUTURE READY

**P5505: Non-Resident Enrollment & Admission
2024-25 Implementation Process
Board of Education ~ April 8, 2024**

Kansas Law (K.S.A. 72-3123)

- Requires school boards to allow non-resident (out of district) students to enroll in district schools.
- Only applicable if the district determines there are open seats for such students.
- Defines basic process districts should follow.
- Identifies a deadline of May 1st for BOEs to approve number of seats to be made available to non-resident students.

P5506: Non-Resident Enrollment

- After a first and second read, as well as a public hearing, update to policy was approved by the BOE on November 12 to meet the requirements of K.S.A. 72-3123.
- Policy defines the criteria, timeline, and process district administration will follow.
- Available seats must be published by grade level for each school for grades K-8 and by school for 9-12.

P5506 Implementation Considerations

- Approval is needed tonight because this is the last BOE meeting before May 1
- Determining available seats for non-resident students has been challenging due to early timeline, school closures, and parent/staff choice
 - No seats will be available at identified welcoming schools.
 - Limited seats will be made available at non-magnet and direct non-welcoming schools.
- Non-resident students interested in magnet schools will follow the magnet application process

Non-Resident Seats Available

Elementary School

Grade Level →	KG	1 st	2 nd	3 rd	4 th	5 th	TOTAL
Non-Resident Open Seats	45	41	40	51	51	47	275

Middle School

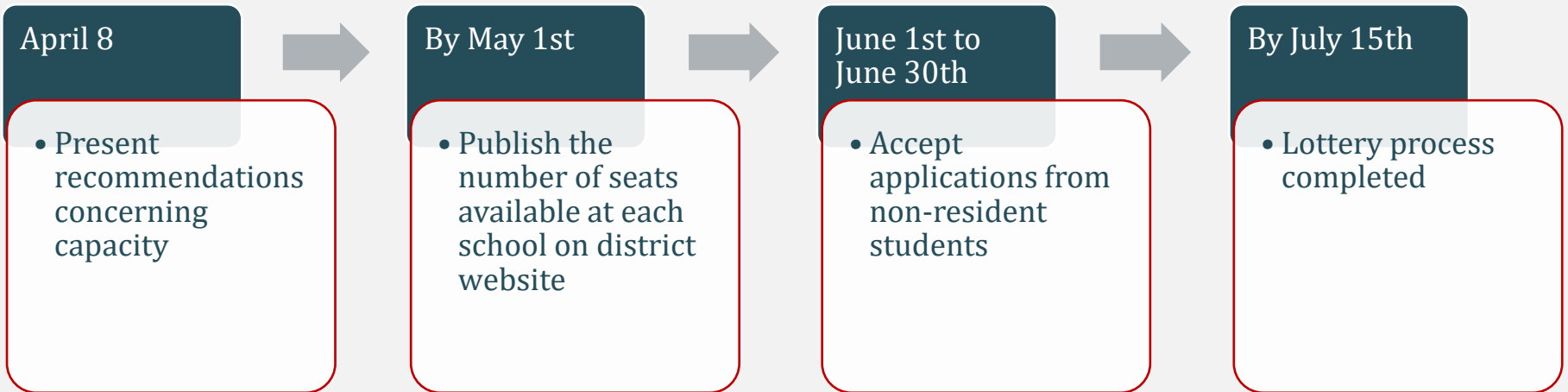
Grade Level →	6 th	7 th	8 th	TOTAL
Non-Resident Open Seats	40	40	40	120

High School

Grade Level →	9 th -12 th	TOTAL
Non-Resident Open Seats	60	60

5506 Implementation Timeline & Process

2024-25 School Year



Other Considerations

- Out of district students already enrolled DO NOT need to reapply.
- Magnet application process and timelines will remain the same.
- Out of district enrollment can be revoked at the end of the school year if student is not in good standing.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended the Board of Education approve the seat capacity presented this evening in accordance with Kansas Law **K.S.A. 72-3123.**