



McKinney-Vento Program

Homeless Education Technical Assistance Publication

Online Webinars

The National Center for Homeless Education (NCHE) provides webinars on various topics relevant to homeless education issues. [Click here](#) to view the upcoming sessions!

Homeless Student Count as of 11/30/15: **4,799**

Service Request Information

The MVP office can assist with educational field trips! [Click here](#) for service request forms and procedures. Please remember, these requests require a minimum of 2 weeks to allow for processing and approval time. Submit requests EARLY for consideration. Finally, please remember to turn in your receipts within 10 days of field trip completion for reimbursement.

★ Gold Star Corner

We are excited to share an article featuring Dr. Phillips HS and their efforts to assist homeless families. Congrats to Dr. Marsh and her crew for all they do for MVP students. Click [HERE](#) to read!

The MVP office will be offering several important trainings for any school based staff, social workers, registrars, and high school coordinators. To register for any of these sessions, [please click here!](#)



Understanding Doubled Up Families
Tuesday, January 26 from 12:30pm – 3:00pm
RBELC in Conference Room 8A

Participants explore the issue of families sharing housing. “Doubled-up” is the informal wording used to describe a concept included in the McKinney-Vento Act’s definition of *homeless*. It refers to shared living arrangements, some of which may be considered homeless, while others may not be, depending on various factors. Additionally, an interactive exercise will assist participants in understanding the frustration and stress that homeless families and youth encounter.



McKinney-Vento 101
Wednesday, January 27 from 8:30am – 12:00pm
RBELC in Conference Room 3A

Participants will receive an overview of educational rights, policies and procedures for students experiencing homelessness. An interactive exercise will assist participants in understanding the plight of family homelessness. School coordinators are recommended to attend one session per year. Other personnel that work with this population of students are encouraged to attend as well.



High School Unaccompanied Homeless Youth
Thursday, January 28 from 8:30am – 11:30am
RBELC in Conference Room 8A

Participants will be provided with information on the McKinney Vento Homeless Education Act and how it applies to unaccompanied homeless youth in high school. Various community, high school and college resources will be discussed to better serve these “hidden students”.

Did you know?

The MVP office has bus passes set aside for students who qualify for MVP services and are attending after school tutoring. Contact your liaison TODAY if you would like to receive these tutoring passes.

If you have any questions, please contact the MVP Office.
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