

P6-03-008 Overage Students ~~Pupils~~

Persons who reside in the school division but have reached **20** ~~twenty~~ years of age before August 1 of the school year may be admitted to school and charged tuition. Reference: Code of Virginia, 22.1-5(1) and 22.1-1.

HCPS adheres to federal and state regulations regarding services for students who have certain disability identifications and/or students who are English Language Learners.

Students with disabilities who have not received standard or advanced high school diplomas are eligible for public education programs until their twenty-first (21st) birthday, inclusive. Inclusive, means one whose birthday falls on or before September 30 and who has not become twenty-two (22) years of age. If the student with a disability turns twenty-two (22) after September 30, he or she is eligible to receive services for that school year.

School boards may accept and provide programs for students for whom English is a second language who entered school in Virginia for the first time after reaching their twelfth birthday, and who have not reached 22 years of age on or before August 1 of the school year.

Enrollment of overage students must be approved by the Superintendent or designee. ~~Pupils~~ Students who have graduated from a duly accredited high school may not normally be enrolled to take postgraduate courses in the public schools of Henrico County. Exceptions to this rule for unusual hardship reasons may be granted by the Director of High School Education. If enrolled, the following conditions pertain to such student:

1. Must not have disrupting influence in the school
2. May not participate in the school's extracurricular activities
3. Must maintain regular attendance
4. Must keep up grades
5. Must not be a postgraduate student except in Technical Center classes on a space available basis.

Overage students are subject to the same tuition charges as nonresident students. **Students with disabilities and English Language Learners who remain in educational programs through the age of 21, inclusive, are not subject to tuition charges.** The Board may waive tuition if compelling circumstances are present.

Refer to Regulation [6-03-008](#), "Procedures for the Enrollment of Overage Students."

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