



# Parkview School District

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Dear Community Members,

Do you know a student or family that may be in need of assistance? Many families in Wisconsin have found themselves to be families in transition without a place to call home. The Parkview School District is committed to assisting all homeless students receive the best education possible.

**As part of our support to the families in this community we are asking that you hang these posters in your community location.** We appreciate your support and help in better serving students in our district. We also ask that you share the enclosed brochure if you have a family in need. You may also assist the family by completing the Parkview School District McKinney-Vento Homeless Form and return it to Karen Strandt-Conroy at the Parkview School District.

Included on these posters is information regarding the McKinney-Vento Act that defines homeless children and youth (twenty-one years of age and younger) as:

- Children and youth who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence, and includes children and youth who are:
  - sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason (sometimes referred to as doubled-up);
  - living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to lack of alternative, adequate accommodations;
  - living in emergency or transitional shelters;
  - abandoned in hospitals
- Children and youth who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designated for, or ordinarily used as, a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings.
- Children and youth who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings.
- Migratory children who qualify as homeless because they are living in circumstances described above.

If you have any questions regarding this request please contact Karen Strandt-Conroy, Director of Student Services for the Parkview School District at (608) 879-2956 or [kstrandt@email.parkview.k12.wi.us](mailto:kstrandt@email.parkview.k12.wi.us).

Thank you for your support,

Karen Strandt-Conroy

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