


NEWAYGO SCHOOLS OF CHOICE VS. 105C COMPARISON CHART

	NC-SOC PROGRAM Students live WITHIN the NC RESA service area.	105C PROGRAM Students live OUTSIDE of the NC RESA service area.
Application Window	Year-round (no window)	 District selects the application window and number of open seats.
Notice to the Public	Not Required	 Districts are required to publish vacancy numbers and application window on their website.
Need Approval From Resident District	 Required. Applications will be sent to resident districts first.	Not Required
Special Education Cooperative Agreement	Not Required	 Districts enter into a written cooperative agreement with the resident district regarding a special education students programs and/or services.
Annual Enrollment	No. Students remain enrolled until they graduate or exit.	No. Students remain enrolled until they graduate or exit.

105C PROGRAM CHECKLIST - PARTICIPATING IN 105C IS OPTIONAL

- District decided to participate as Limited or Unlimited

Unlimited – Districts will accept all who apply (unless expelled, convicted of a felony, or suspended within the preceding two (2) years from another school district).
 Limited – Districts specify the specific number of students they will accept for a building or a grade level.
- Provided Notice to the Public

Districts may provide notice to the public through their website, newspaper, or both. This must include the number of seats, and application window, which are designated by the district. Examples are attached.
- Random Draw

Districts with limited seats will hold a random drawing within 15 days of the application period closing if the applications exceed the specified number of openings advertised for a building or grade level.
- Special Education Cooperative Agreement

Districts with special education students enrolled through 105c shall enter into a written cooperative agreement with the resident district regarding special education students programs and/or services. Contact your pupil auditor if a template is requested. See pg 5-I-1 in the 2020-21 Pupil Accounting Manual for details.
- Optional 2nd Semester Window

Provide notice to the public no later than the last two weeks of the first semester, and include the number of openings per grade level or building if needed. Follow Pg 5-I-3 in the Pupil Accounting Manual.

Example Templates for 105c Public Notices

Districts With Limited Number of Seats

Posting - Minimum Application Period of 15 Calendar Days & Not More than 30 Calendar Days

_____ has the following openings for Section 105c Schools of Choice for the
(District)
_____ school year. Section 105c Schools of Choice are students from a district within
(School Year)
an ISD contiguous to Newaygo County RESA who are eligible to apply. Applications are accepted by the
Superintendent's office between _____ and _____ .
(Date) (Date)

Limits for enrollments are established for the following building(s), grade level(s), or program(s),

(Specify building(s), grade level(s), or program(s), if any & number of students accepted)

A random draw will be scheduled if applications exceed the number of students specified.

Application forms are available at www.skyward.ncresa.org/apply, or
can be mailed to you by calling the Administrative Offices at _____.
(Phone #)

Districts With Unlimited Number of Seats

Posting - Minimum Application Period of 15 Calendar Days

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(District)
_____ school year. Section 105c Schools of Choice are students from a district within
(School Year)
an ISD contiguous to Newaygo County RESA who are eligible to apply. Applications are accepted by the
Superintendent's office between _____ and _____ .
(Date) (Date)

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