## TEXAS EDUCATION FOR HOMELESS CHILDREN AND YOUTH PROGRAM

Students experiencing homelessness live in any of these situations:


Doubled-up with other people


Homeless Shelter


Hotel/Motel


Car, park, empty building, bus, or train station

## McKinney-Vento eligible students have the right to:

Receive a free, appropriate public education.

Enroll in school immediately, even if lacking documents normally required for enrollment.

Enroll in school and attend classes while the school gathers needed documents.

Enroll in the local school or continue attending their school of origin.

Receive transportation to and from the school of origin, if requested.

Receive educational services comparable to those provided to other students, according to the student's needs.


Each of the 20 Regional Education Service Centers has a designated Regional McKinney-Vento Liaison who provides technical assistance and training to Local Educational Agencies (LEAs).

Students Experiencing Homelessness in Texas Public Schools


TEA attributed lower identification in 2020-21 due to the COVID-19 pandemic. By 2022-23, Texas identification has increased by 23\%, which mirrors pre-pandemic counts.

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Students Identified as Homeless and Other Special Populations
2022-2023

Emergent Bilingual


Emergent Biingual Special Education

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Gifted/Talented


Migrant Youth


All Other Homeless Students

