

KNOW YOUR RIGHTS

- **ARE YOU STAYING IN TEMPORARY HOUSING?**
- **DO YOU WANT TO STAY AT YOUR CURRENT SCHOOL?**
- **ARE YOU HAVING TROUBLE ENROLLING IN SCHOOL, OR GOING TO SCHOOL?**

Help may be available.



1. If you are staying temporarily with someone else because you had to leave your home, or staying in a motel, campground, shelter, or in an outside or inadequate place, you have special rights at school.



2. Those rights include:

- Staying in the same school even if you move, and receiving transportation to that school, as long as it is in your best interest
- Enrolling in school immediately without the documents schools usually require, and without a parent or guardian
- Receiving free school meals
- Getting help with school supplies and other needs



3. Contact your school district's McKinney-Vento Liaison to find out if you qualify for help. Everett Public Schools contact the KIT (Kids in Transition) office at 425-385-4032 or email aperusse@everettsd.org.

4. Visit www.everettsd.org/KIT for more information.



5. Contact your McKinney-Vento [State Coordinator](#) if you can't reach the Liaison or have other questions. In Washington State, contact 425-725-6505 or email homelessed@k12.wa.us.