
I. PURPOSE

This policy establishes Athlos Academy of Utah as a potential option for student transfers from schools designated as persistently dangerous, consistent with state and school enrollment policies.

II. DEFINITIONS

- A. **Persistently Dangerous School:** A school that has at least three percent of the student body, as determined by the October 1 count, that has been expelled in three consecutive school years for violent criminal offenses that occurred on school property or at school sponsored events.

III. POLICY

- A. Students that transfer from schools designated as persistently dangerous shall:
1. Refer to Athlos Academy of Utah's contract with the authorizer, in which enrollment capacity for the school shall be delineated; and
 2. Be eligible to enroll in the school, in compliance with the Athlos Academy of Utah Governing Board adopted *Enrollment and Lottery Policy 5102*.
- B. A student shall have a right to continued attendance at Athlos Academy of Utah.
1. Excepting instances in which a student commits a serious infraction of state law or school rules consistent with Utah R277-483.
- C. Parent/guardian appeal process to their student's denied continued attendance:
1. A parent/guardian shall attempt to resolve a complaint involving the school's decision to deny the student's right to continued attendance, where the parent/guardian shall receive, upon request, a copy of this policy as well as Athlos Academy of Utah's *Grievance* form.
 2. If a parent/guardian is not satisfied, handling parent/guardian complaints shall be elevated to the level of the Athlos Academy of Utah Governing Board.

Legal References:

[Utah Admin R277-483](#)

Related Documents:

[Enrollment and Lottery Policy 5102](#)

[Grievance Form](#)