

# **Spokane International Academy** 777 E Magnesium RD Spokane, WA, 99208

## **McKinney-Vento Program Student Housing Questionnaire**

Answering the following questions help determine educational services your student may be eligible to receive under the McKinney-Vento Act 42 U.S.C. 11435. The McKinney-Vento Act provides services and supports for children and youth experiencing homelessness.

If you are experiencing housing instability and do not own or pay rent for your home or apartment, please check all that apply below for your current housing situation

<ul> <li>□ In a motel/hotel</li> <li>□ Temporarily displaced due to fire, natural disaster, etc.</li> <li>□ In a shelter</li> <li>□ In a residence with inadequate facilities (no water, heat, electricity, etc.)</li> <li>□ In a transitional housing program</li> <li>□ Unsheltered (car, park, campsite, or similar location)</li> <li>□ Moving from place to place</li> </ul>
☐ Temporarily living with another person/family due to economic hardship
List children living with you (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY):
Name: DOB: Age:
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<ul> <li>□ Student(s) is unaccompanied (not living with a parent or legal guardian)</li> <li>□ Student(s) is living with a parent or legal guardian</li> <li>□ I require an interpreter in:</li></ul>
Address:Phone Number:
E-mail Address:
Print Parent/Legal Guardian/Unaccompanied Youth Name:
Relationship:* *Signature of parent/legal guardian (Or Unaccompanied Youth):*
Date:
*I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Washington that the information provided here is true and
correct

Please return completed form to:

Russ Battiata Spokane International Academy 509-209-8730 battiata@spokaneintlacademy.org

#### For School Personnel Only:

Fordatacollection (N) Not Homeless (A) Shelters (B) Doubled-Up (C) Unsheltered (D) Hotels/Motels

#### McKinney-Vento Act 42 U.S.C. 11435

### SEC. 725. DEFINITIONS.

For purposes of this subtitle:

- (1) The terms enroll' and enrollment' include attending classes and participating fully in school activities. (2) The term homeless children and youths'
  - (A) means individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence (within the meaning of section 103(a)(1)); and
  - (B) includes
    - (i) children and youths who are sharing the housing of other persons due to loss of housing, economic hardship, or a similar reason; are living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds due to the lack of alternative adequate accommodations; are living in emergency or transitional shelters; are abandoned in hospitals;
    - (ii) children and youths who have a primary nighttime residence that is a public or private place not designed for or ordinarily used as a regular sleeping accommodation for human beings (within the meaning of section 103(a)(2)(C));
    - (iii) children and youths who are living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings; and
    - (iv) migratory children (as such term is defined in section 1309 of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965) who qualify as homeless for the purposes of this subtitle because the children are living in circumstances described in clauses (i) through (iii).
- (6) The term unaccompanied youth' includes a youth not in the physical custody of a parent or guardian.

#### **Additional Resources**

Parent information and resources can be found at the following:

http://center.serve.org/nche/ibt/parent\_res.php

http://naehcy.org/educational-resources/naehcy-publications

http://www.schoolhouseconnection.org/