



McKinney-Vento Programming Collaboration & Coordination

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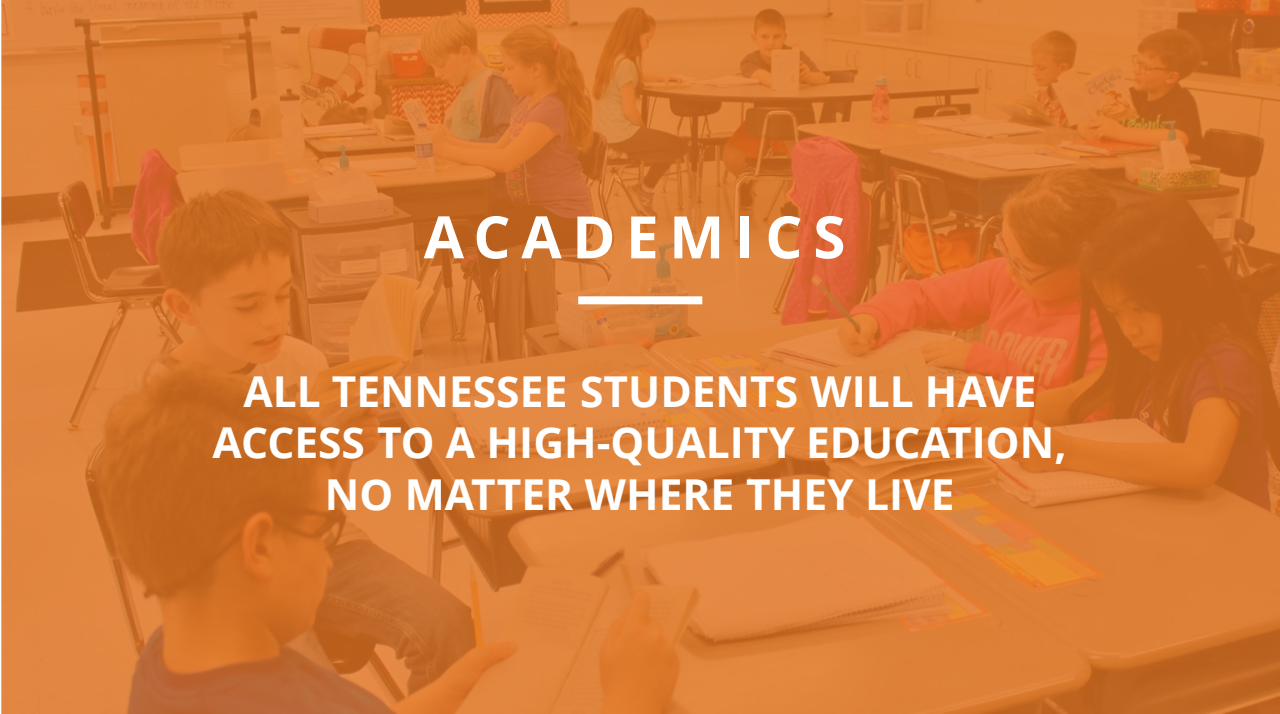
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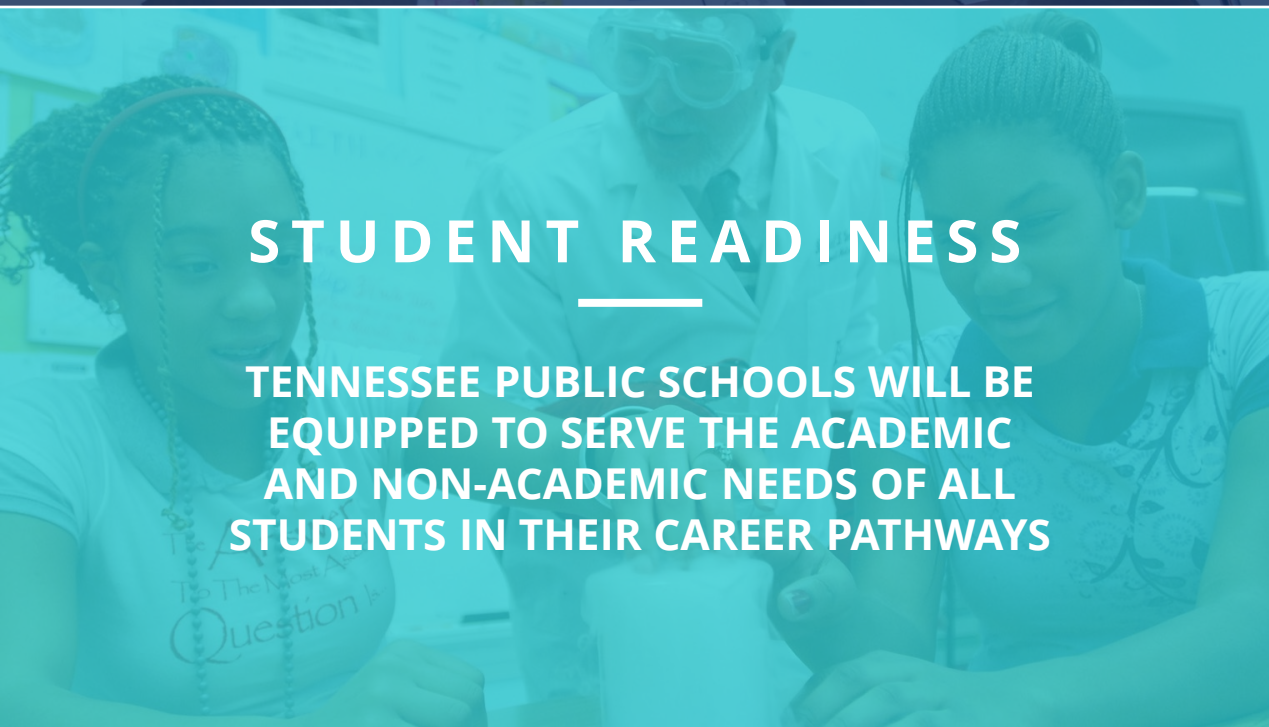
BEST FOR
ALL

We will set all students on a path to success.



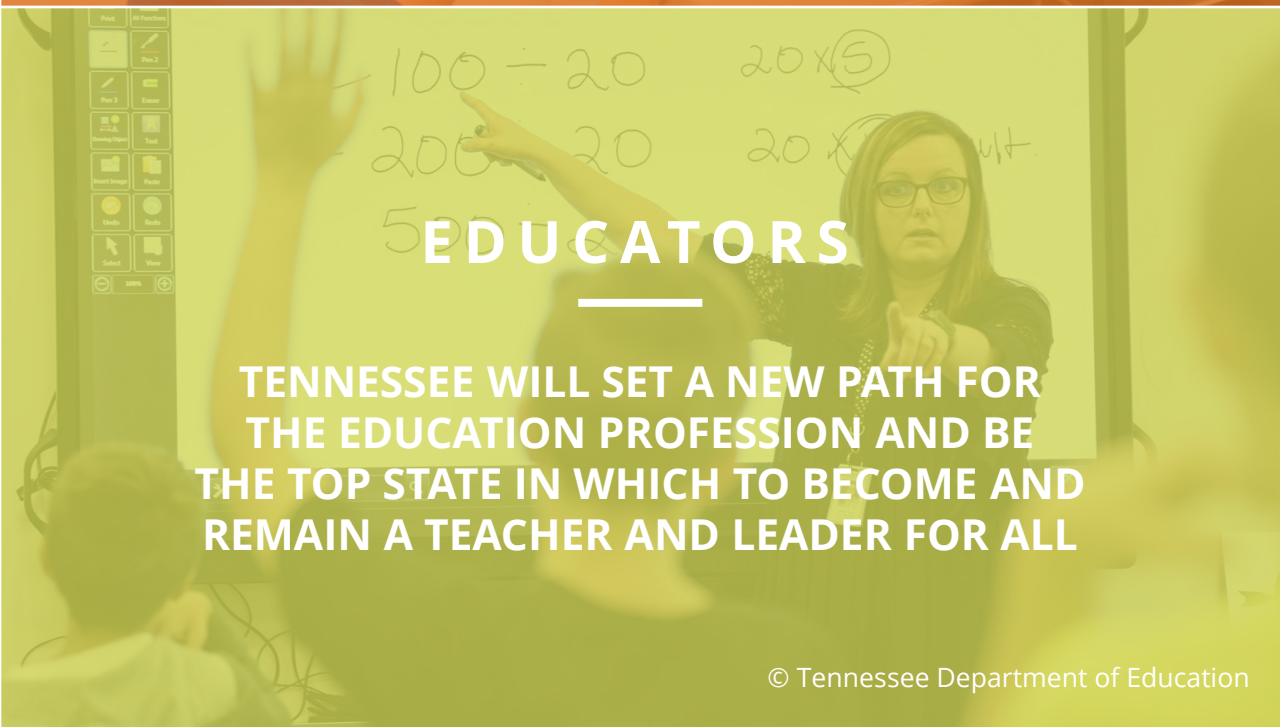
ACADEMICS

**ALL TENNESSEE STUDENTS WILL HAVE
ACCESS TO A HIGH-QUALITY EDUCATION,
NO MATTER WHERE THEY LIVE**



STUDENT READINESS

**TENNESSEE PUBLIC SCHOOLS WILL BE
EQUIPPED TO SERVE THE ACADEMIC
AND NON-ACADEMIC NEEDS OF ALL
STUDENTS IN THEIR CAREER PATHWAYS**



EDUCATORS

**TENNESSEE WILL SET A NEW PATH FOR
THE EDUCATION PROFESSION AND BE
THE TOP STATE IN WHICH TO BECOME AND
REMAIN A TEACHER AND LEADER FOR ALL**



Agenda

- Program Purpose & Definitions
- Collaboration & Coordination
- National Organizations
- National Health Care for the Homeless Council
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Program Purpose & Definitions





Purpose of the Education for Homeless Children and Youth Program

- The purpose of the McKinney-Vento Education for Homeless Children and Youths (EH CY) Program is to ensure that each homeless child or youth **has equal access to the same free, appropriate public education**, including a public preschool education, as provided to other children and youths.

Defining Homelessness

- Children or youth who **lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence**:
 - sharing the housing of other persons;
 - living in motels, hotels, trailer parks, or camping grounds;
 - living in emergency or transitional shelters, or are abandoned in hospitals;
 - living in a public or private place not designed for regular sleeping accommodation;
 - living in cars, parks, public spaces, abandoned buildings, substandard housing, bus or train stations, or similar settings; and
 - who are migratory children living in the above circumstances.

Key Definitions

- **Fixed**: stationary, permanent, not subject to change
- **Regular**: used on a nightly basis
- **Adequate**: sufficient for meeting the physical, psychological, and safety needs typically met in a home environment

Collaboration & Coordination

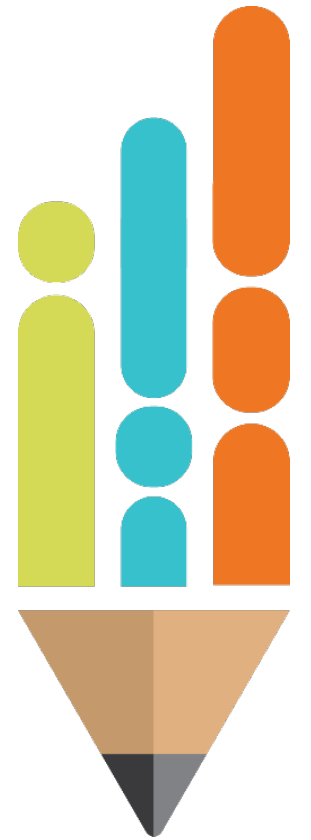
McKinney-Vento Program Collaboration

- Collaboration is a means to expand the capacity of programs and agencies to provide services in a coordinated way.
- Per the U.S. Department of Education's (ED's) non-regulatory guidance, coordination and collaboration are required under the McKinney-Vento Act (2016, pp. 34-35).
- LEAs must coordinate specifically with Federal programs that are required to identify and serve homeless children and youth and to coordinate with LEAs.



Collaboration

- These programs include:
 - Head Start
 - Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA):
 - which includes child find requirements for children with disabilities from birth through 21 (Part B), and
 - child find requirements for infants and toddlers with disabilities from birth through age two (Part C);
 - Housing programs and services funded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD)
 - Programs and services funded under the Runaway and Homeless Youth Act (U.S. Dep't. of Educ., 2016, pp. 17-18)



Collaboration Cont.

- Federal programs administered by:
 - U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)
 - U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

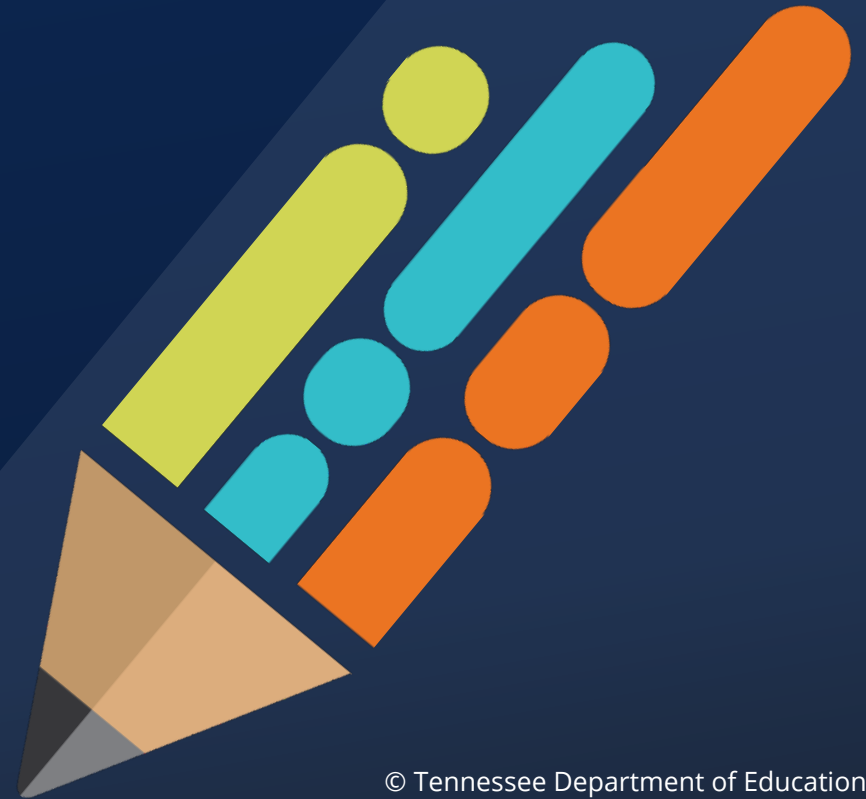


Coordination and McKinney-Vento

- School Supplies
- Dental Care
- Space for After-School Activities
- Funding
- Clothing and Shoes
- Translation of Awareness Materials
- Field Trips
- Mental Health Care
- Eyeglasses
- Tutoring and Mentoring
- Food
- Housing for Homeless Families and Youth
- School Uniforms
- Books
- School Fees
- Employment For Parents



National Organizations





National Organizations

- [National Alliance to End Homelessness](#)

- Is a nonpartisan organization committed to preventing and ending homelessness in the United States.

- [National Coalition for the Homeless](#)

- Is a national network of people who are currently experiencing or who have experienced homelessness, activists and advocates, community-based and faith-based service providers, and others committed to a single mission: To end and prevent homelessness while ensuring the immediate needs of those experiencing homelessness are met and their civil rights are respected and protected.



National Organizations Cont.

- [National Network for Youth](#)

- Is dedicated to preventing and eradicating youth homelessness in America. We work in communities with youth who have experienced homelessness, service providers, and systems to help accelerate the community's progress in ending homelessness and human trafficking among young people.

- [The National Association for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth](#)

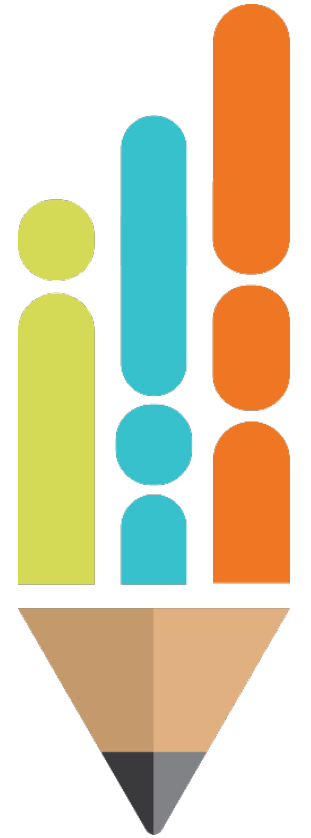
- Is a national membership association dedicated to ensuring educational equity and excellence for children and youth experiencing homelessness.



National Health Care for the Homeless Council (NHCHC)

- [National Health Care for Homeless Council](#)

- Is a network of more than 10,000 doctors, nurses, social workers, patients, and advocates who share the mission to eliminate homelessness. The Council provides support to more than 200 health centers and Health Care for the Homeless programs in all 50 states.
- Grounded in human rights and social justice, the NHCHC mission is to build an equitable, high-quality health care system through training, research, and advocacy in the movement to end homelessness.

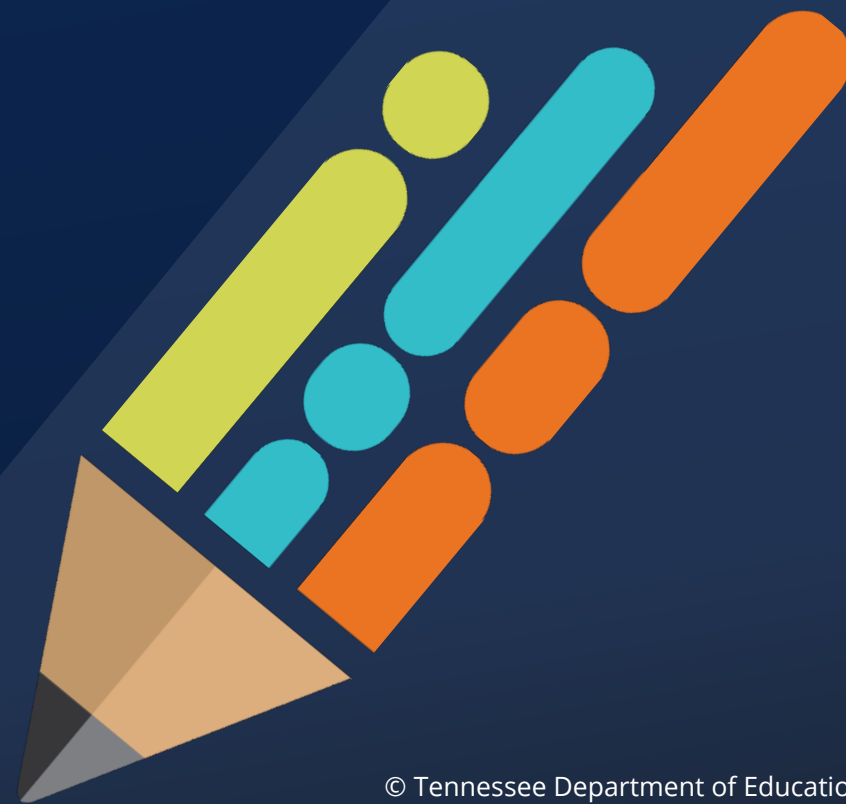


National Health Care for the Homeless Council

External slides



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Questions?

Resources



- [ePlan > TDOE Resources](#) > ESSA Information, Guidance, PPTs, & Webinars > Title IX, Part A Education for Homeless Children & Youth > McKinney-Vento Toolkit and Resources 2021
- [National Association for the Education of Homeless Children and Youth \(NAEHCY\)](#)
- [National Center for Homeless Education \(NCHE\):](#)
 - [NCHE Homeless Liaison Toolkit](#)
 - Homeless Education Helpline: 800-308-2145 or homeless@serve.org
- U.S. Dep't. of Educ., Education for Homeless Children and Youths Program Non-Regulatory Guidance (July 27, 2016), <https://www2.ed.gov/policy/elsec/leg/essa/160240ehcyguidance072716.pdf>
- [U.S. Dep't. of Educ., McKinney-Vento Law and Guidance](#)

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Thank You!

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