

Proof of Attendance in Low-Performing School Zone

The Georgia Private School Tax Credit Law (O.C.G.A. § 20-2A-1 through § 20-2A-7) allows student scholarship organizations (SSOs) to provide scholarships for eligible students to attend accredited private schools. House Bill 283 (2013) waived the enrollment and six-week public school attendance eligibility requirements if students would be assigned to a “low-performing school” if they attended a public school. The bill also requires the Governor’s Office of Student Achievement (GOSA) to determine a list of “low-performing schools” for this specific purpose.

For the purposes of House Bill 283, GOSA defines a “low-performing school” as a school that has a College and Career Ready Performance Index (CCRPI) score that falls at or below the 25th percentile in its grade cluster (Elementary, Middle, and High School clusters).

Based on 2018-2019 CCRPI scores, schools with the following scores are “low-performing schools” for the purposes of this law (Updated December 2, 2019):

- Elementary Schools: 2018-2019 CCRPI score of 66.1 or less
- Middle Schools: 2018-2019 CCRPI score of 66.3 or less
- High Schools: 2018-2019 CCRPI score of 66.2 or less

To find a school's CCRPI score, go to the Georgia Department of Education’s (GaDOE) [2019 College and Career Ready Performance Index \(CCRPI\) Reports](#) and search for the school. Compare the school’s score to the numbers above to determine if that school is considered a "low-performing school" for the purposes of SSO eligibility.

Name of Student: _____

Name of Parent / Guardian: _____

Address (City, State, Zip): _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Name of public school to which student is assigned based on *residence:

CCRPI Score of public school: _____

***Please include proof of residence with this form. Examples include: driver's license, utility bill, tax return, bank statement, car registration, etc. The documentation must show your name and current address.**

CERTIFICATION:

By signing this form, I attest to the fact that the above Student would be assigned to a “low-performing school” if they attended a public school.

Signature of Parent / Guardian

Date