Even if you have:

- Uncertain housing
- A temporary address
- No permanent physical address

You are guaranteed enrollment in school by the federal McKinney-Vento Act and California state law if you live:

- In a house or apartment with more than one family due to loss of housing or economic hardship
- With friends or family because you are a runaway or an unaccompanied youth
- In substandard housing (without electricity, water, or heat)
- In a shelter (family, domestic violence, or youth shelter or transitional living program)
- In a motel, hotel, or weekly rate housing
- In an abandoned building, in a car, at a campground, or on the streets

You can enroll in school immediately even without the documents normally required for enrollment, such as:

- Proof of residency
- Immunization records or other required health records
- School records
- Legal guardianship papers

Your child may:

- Participate fully in all school activities and programs for which he/she is eligible.
- Receive transportation to and from the school of origin if you request it.
- Continue to attend the school in which he/she was last enrolled even if you have moved away from that school's attendance area.
- Qualify automatically for school nutrition programs.

Your responsibilities are to:

- Make sure your child gets to school on time and ready to learn.
- Stay informed of school rules, regulations, and activities.
- Contact the homeless liaison for assistance in removing barriers to your child's education.
- Attend parent/teacher conferences, Back-to-School Nights, and other school-related activities.

For questions about enrolling in school or for assistance with school enrollment, contact:

- Big Valley—Paula Silva 530-294-5231
- Janesville—Jacob George 530-253-3560
- Johnstonville—Scott Smith 530-257-2471
- Lassen High—Nancy Singh 530-257-2141
- Ravendale—Michelle Brown 530-257-8200
- Richmond—Amy Shepard 530-257-2338
- Shafter—Josh Blackburn 530-254-6577
- Susanville—Michelle Brown 530-257-8200
- Thompson Peak—Sherri Morgan 530-616-0896
- Westwood—Michael Altenburg 530-216-2311
- Fort Sage—Heather Von Ins 530-827-3902
- Long Valley—Sherri Morgan 530-616-0896

- Your county homeless liaison:
  Nancy Singh 530-257-2142
  Patty Gunderson 530-257-2196

- Your homeless state coordinator:
  Leanne Wheeler
  State Coordinator
  California Department of Education
  1430 N Street, Suite 6208
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