

Families in Transition (FIT) Program

McKinney-Vento (MV) Homeless Education Assistance Grant - APS Consortium

McKinney-Vento Act (MV):

Federal act which guarantees rights and services for children and youth lacking stable nighttime residence.

Families in Transition (FIT):

Program which supports those eligible under the McKinney-Vento Act.

Do You Currently Experience Any Of The Following?

- Frequent moves due to lack of permanent housing?
- Living with extended family, friends, or in temporary places?
- Utilizing hotels, motels, or transitional shelters?
- Needing assistance with voucher programs (NEMCSA/DHHS)?
- Facing eviction or sleeping in unconventional settings?
- ***Then You May Be Eligible For FIT Program Support!***

Services Offered By The FIT Program

- Immediate school enrollment
- Coordination of educational and social services
- Provision of essential school supplies and clothing
- Assistance with educational and transportation challenges
- Referral assistance for younger siblings for potential Early Childhood Programs
- Free books to children from birth to age five (*register today at www.imaginationlibrary.com*)

Sign Up Today

- **ACES Academy:** Guidance Counselor or School Success Worker
- **Alpena High School:** Guidance Counselor or School Success Worker
- **Thunder Bay Junior High:** Guidance Counselor or School Success Worker
- **Alpena Elementary Schools:** School Success Worker
- **Alcona, Atlanta or Hillman Public Schools:** MV Liaison, Admission Staff, School

Questions, Comments, Or Want To Learn More?



For more information on McKinney-Vento Homelessness Assistance, and to contact a local liaison, please visit

www.nem-mv.com



This handout is meant to provide you with information about the McKinney Vento Homelessness Assistance Act and the educational rights of children and youth in homeless situations. Children and youth within the Alpena, Alcona, AMA-ESD, Atlanta and Hillman Public Schools will be registered under the McKinney Vento (MV)/Families in Transition (FIT) Grant.