School Choice Announcement

The Rivercrest School District is now accepting School Choice applications for the 2019-2020 school year. The following timeline applies to the Arkansas Public School Choice Act of 2015.

May 1 - Deadline for parents to submit school choice applications to the nonresident district. If you live outside the Rivercrest School District, this is the deadline you must follow to apply to Rivercrest. The application must be postmarked no later than May 1. The nonresident district shall notify the resident district of the filing of the application within ten calendar days of receipt of the application.

Note: When Rivercrest receives an application, a date and time stamp will be placed on the application that reflects the date/time the application was received.

July 1 – The superintendent of the nonresident district shall notify the parent and resident district in writing as to whether the student's application has been accepted or rejected.

Note: Before approving or rejecting an application, a nonresident district shall determine whether any of the limitations under Ark. Code Ann. §6-18-1906 apply to the application.

The Arkansas Department of Education rules as well as the application can be found at this link for <u>School Choice</u>.

Questions regarding School Choice into the Rivercrest School District can be directed to Deanna Coffman at 870-655-8633.