

Tuition

- The district of origin shall pay tuition costs to the district which educates the homeless child.
- Only the district of origin shall include the homeless child in its annual Application for State School Aid (ASSA) if the child is homeless on October 15 or the State designated date.
- Districts may request tuition reimbursement from the NJDOE for out of state homeless students.
- If a homeless child's district of origin is out of state or cannot be determined, the Department of Education assumes fiscal responsibility for the student's tuition.
- Tuition reimbursement is made to the school district on a per diem basis.
- School districts should submit this request by email using the state reimbursement form to Danielle.Anderson-Thomas@doe.state.nj.us
- The out of state reimbursement form may be found at the following website:
www.state.nj.us/education/students/homeless
- **The New Jersey Department of Education should receive reimbursement requests ONLY when the student leaves the district OR finds permanent housing OR at the end of the school year, WHICH EVER COMES FIRST.**