



Government of  
Antigua & Barbuda

Ministry of Education, Sports and Creative Industries

Policy Pertaining to Transfer of Students to Public Schools in  
Antigua and Barbuda

5<sup>th</sup> July, 2023

G6NA Transfers:

Barring any errors of placement or any serious health/safety issues that were not previously considered, no adjustments to the school assignments following the Grade 6 National Assessment will be made. Any application for consideration based on the above **MUST** be forwarded in writing to the Ministry of Education, Sports and Creative Industries through original schools no later than ONE Week following the publishing of the results. All applications must be addressed to the Director of Education.

All students who write the Grade Six National Assessment in June 2023 are assigned to public secondary schools within Antigua and Barbuda through one of four formulas:

1. Place of Residence Placement (PRP): Students will be assigned placement in a public secondary school nearest to their place of residence and with available space.
2. Special Educational Needs Placement (SENP): Students with special educational needs will be assigned to the public school best suited to meet their special educational requirements.
3. Health and Safety Placement (HSP): A restricted number of students will be assigned at the discretion of the Director of Education based solely on the strength of the written requests (with supporting documents) to consider special health and safety circumstances which compel alternative placements.
4. Top-100 Placement (TOP): Students will be assigned to the school of their choice.

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