McKinney Vento Homeless Assistance Act Title X, Part C No Child Left Behind Act-2001 Every Student Succeeds Act - 2016

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## What is the McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act ?

Definition of Homeless > Individuals who lack a fixed, regular, and adequate nighttime residence > Sharing of housing due to loss ofhousing > Motels, hotels > Public or private place not designed for sleeping Temporary Trailer parks > Cars, parks, and abandoned buildings

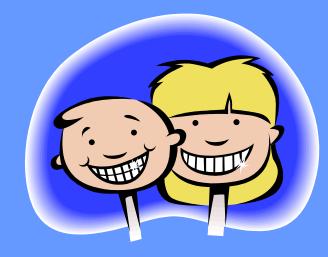
### Definition of Homeless

- Substandard housing
- > Shelters, transitional homes
- > Abandoned in hospitals
- > Campgrounds
- > Unaccompanied youths
- Children awaiting foster care placement
- Migratory children who qualify as homeless

#### How the McKinney–Vento Homeless Assistance Act affects your school site



All schools are required to remove all barriers to the school enrollment process and to provide a quality education to all children including those living in a homeless situation.



### Identification

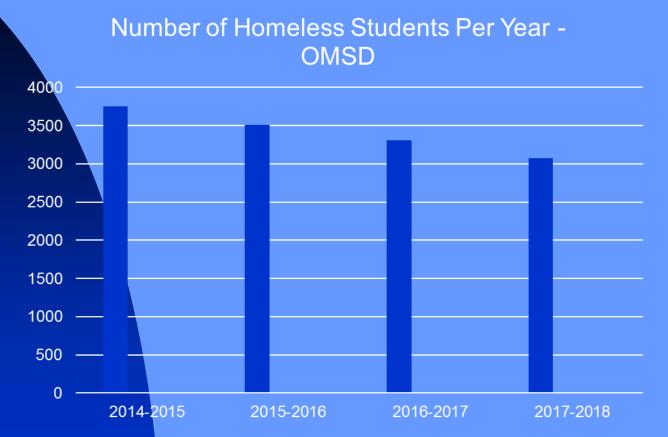
 School personnel shall assist in the identification process of homeless students.

 Together, we can identify the students and provide the students and their families with resources.

#### Number of Students Considered Homeless in OMSD 2017-2018

# 3,071

#### You are making a difference!



2014-2015	3756
2015-2016	3514
2016-2017	3306
2017-2018	3071

Equal Opportunities
Transitional students have the right to equal access to all school programs;
GATE, Special Ed., Etc.

 Automatically qualify for all Title I school programs including meals

 Unaccompanied youth have the right to enroll without a legal guardian

#### District Liaison Support

- The school district liaisons are available to answer any questions you may have concerning the laws or procedures that each school site must follow.
- We are committed to helping and providing support in any way we can to implement this federal mandate and to continue providing quality education to all students who attend any school in the Ontario Montclair District.

## Thank you for your time.