

# Wilson County Board of Education

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Special Programs

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1 **HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION**

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3 The homebound instruction program is for students who, because of their health impairments, are unable to  
4 attend the regular instructional program.

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6 To qualify for the homebound program, a student must have a health impairment of sufficient seriousness to  
7 anticipate that the student will be absent for a minimum of ten (10) consecutive school days. The student must  
8 be unable to attend the regular instructional program due to a medical diagnosis from a physician. The service  
9 provided the homebound student should reflect capabilities and be determined by the homebound instructor after  
10 consultation with appropriate professional staff of the student's assigned school.

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12 **HOMEBOUND PROGRAM FOR PREGNANT STUDENTS<sup>1</sup>**

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14 The homebound instructional program for pregnant students shall consist of three (3) hours of instruction per  
15 week for a period of six (6) weeks.<sup>2</sup>

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17 The student's physician shall recommend, in writing, the six-week period for which the student shall be eligible  
18 for homebound instruction.

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20 A homebound instruction program for longer than the six (6) week period shall only be provided to a student who  
21 is certified in writing by her physician as having health complications arising from the pregnancy that prevent her  
22 from returning to regular classes.

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<sup>1</sup> TCA 49-10-1102

<sup>2</sup> TRR/MS 0520-1-2-.10