

Policy on Requesting an out-of-Hub/Boundary Placement for Residency Practicum and Student Teaching for Missouri placements only.

If a Northwest teacher candidate seeks approval from the Northwest Office of Field and Clinical Experiences to student teach more than 50 miles from a designated student teaching hub, this is the process they must follow:

1. Contact the Director of Clinical Field Experiences (Dr. Greg Rich; grich@nwmissouri.edu) and apply to student teach and/or complete residency practicum Out-of-Bounds of Northwest's student teaching hub.
 1. The Teacher Education Guidance Committee will evaluate evidence of student capability and readiness, including:
 1. GPA
 2. Dispositions
 3. Content knowledge
 4. Advisor support/nonsupport
 5. Other relevant information germane to fitness to begin student teaching/residency practicum out-of-bounds
 2. Teacher Education Guidance Committee will evaluate the application and determine if the application is accepted.
 1. If not accepted, the student may appeal the decision to the Director of Teacher Education/Dean of the School of Education
 2. For Elementary and Special Education Majors: If accepted, the \$1,050 charge to student teach out of bounds will apply for the Residency Practicum and Student Teaching terms and be charged to the student account for each academic term (both residency practicum and student teaching)
 3. For all other majors: If accepted, the \$1,050 charge to student teach out of bounds will apply for the Student Teaching term and be charged to the student account.