Children's Rights under McKinney-Vento include:

- Continue to attend the school in which they were last enrolled even if they have moved away from that school's attendance area.
- Enroll immediately even without documents normally required for enrollment.
- Participate fully in all school activities.
- Receive transportation to and from school of origin.
- Qualify automatically for school nutrition programs.
- Receive waivers for fees associated with school programs.
- Qualify for free tutoring.