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STATEMENT ON TUITION EQUALITY**

The State Board of Education is committed to providing an equitable education for all students. Michigan has invested significant resources to provide each student with a K-12 education that prepares them to graduate from high school career and college ready.

Believing that it is essential to retain talent fostering stronger economic growth, children who have grown up in Michigan should have access to affordable postsecondary educational opportunities.

Tuition rates for all students should be based on the student's place and length of residence, in accordance with the policy of the institution of higher education.

The State Board of Education encourages Michigan's institutions of higher education to adopt policies that allow access to in-state tuition rates for all students on the basis of residency as defined by the institution of higher education.

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