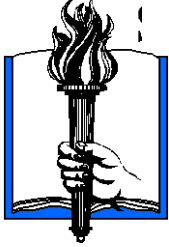


**MURFREESBORO CITY SCHOOLS
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1 Because research shows that preschool students acquire language skills best when immersed in
 2 regular classroom language experiences throughout the school day, supplemental ELL services
 3 are not included or required in the Tennessee preschool programs. School districts may service
 4 preschool children in their ELL program at their own discretion or in a consultative fashion.
 5 Preschool students who meet the definition for immigrant status must be included in the school
 6 district count and must receive services. Eligible “immigrant children and youth” as defined by
 7 the State Department of Education include those individuals who are:

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- 9 • Ages 3 through 21;
- 10 • Were not born in any State; and
- 11 • Have not been attending one or more schools in any one or more states for more than
- 12 three full academic years.
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