No student enrolled in the Transylvania County Schools shall be denied the right and privilege of a public school education and participation in extra curricular or co-curricular activities by reason of marital or parental status.

Pregnant students shall be permitted to continue in school so long as they desire and are able. In the event a pregnant student is medically unable to attend school, educational alternatives will be provided to avoid undue disruption to the educational goals and process, until such time as the student is able to return to the regular/alternative school program.

- Pregnant and parenting students shall be given excused absences from school for pregnancy and related conditions for the length of time the student's physician finds them medically necessary. This includes absences caused by a child's illness or medical appointments if the student is the child's custodial parent.
- Homework and make-up work shall be made available to pregnant and parenting students so that they can keep current with assignments and avoid losing course credit. In addition, to the extent necessary, a homebound teacher shall be assigned to the student.

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