§2951. Approval for tuition purposes
A private school may be approved for the receipt of public funds for tuition purposes only if it: [PL 2005, c. 153, §2 (AMD).]

1. Basic approval. Meets the requirements for basic school approval under subchapter I; [PL 1981, c. 693, §§5, 8 (NEW).]

2. Nonsectarian. Is a nonsectarian school in accordance with the First Amendment of the United States Constitution; [PL 1981, c. 693, §§5, 8 (NEW).]

3. Incorporated. Is incorporated under the laws of the State of Maine or of the United States; [PL 1985, c. 797, §25 (AMD).]


5. Additional requirements. Complies with the reporting and auditing requirements in sections 2952 and 2953 and the requirements adopted pursuant to section 2954; [PL 1997, c. 266, §7 (AMD).]

6. Student assessment. Meets the following requirements:
   A. It participates in the statewide assessment program to measure and evaluate the academic achievements of students; and [PL 2017, c. 342, §2 (NEW).]
   B. It meets the applicable requirements of the system of learning results established in section 6209. [PL 2017, c. 342, §2 (NEW).]

The requirements of this subsection apply only to a school that enrolls 60% or more publicly funded students, as determined by the previous year's October and April average enrollment; and [PL 2017, c. 342, §2 (RPR).]

7. Release of student records. Upon the request of a school unit, releases copies of all student records for students transferring from the private school to the school unit. [PL 2017, c. 342, §3 (AMD).]

SECTION HISTORY