The McKinney-Vento Act
As Amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015

Pop Quiz 1

1. Students are eligible for McKinney-Vento protections if they are sharing the housing of others due to loss of housing, ________________________, or a ________________________.

2. ____% of identified McKinney-Vento students lived in shelters in the 2013-14 school year.

3. Name 3 people, in school or in the community, who can help the liaison identify McKinney-Vento students, both by school personnel and through outreach and coordination with other entities and agencies.

4. What are 2 ways liaisons can ensure school personnel providing McKinney-Vento services receive professional development and other support?

5. Based on their best interest, McKinney-Vento students can remain in the school of origin and receive transportation for the ________________________ of homelessness and until the ________________________.

6. Who do you need to tell in your district that the definition of school of origin now includes preschools?

7. LEAs must have procedures to remove barriers to identification, enrollment and retention of McKinney-Vento students, including barriers related to fees, __________, and __________.

8. When a parent or youth appeals a school’s decision, the student must be ________________________ enrolled in the school ________________________ while the dispute is pending.
Answer Key

1. economic hardship or a similar reason.

2. 75%

3. Answers might include: teachers, registrars, social workers, counselors, bus drivers, cafeteria workers, school nurses, security guards, attendance officers, Head Start programs, food programs, youth programs, law enforcement, etc.

4. Answers might include: designating a school building-level McKinney-Vento contact; incorporating McKinney-Vento training into regularly-scheduled professional development; offering short trainings at school sites; meeting informally with principals, registrars and others; etc.

5. duration; end of the academic year in which the student becomes permanently housed.

6. Answers might include: preschool registrars, preschool administrators, preschool teachers and other staff, elementary school principals, transportation administrators.

7. fines and absences.

8. immediately; in which enrollment is sought