

289.1 Authorization.

The board of directors in any school district situated in whole or in part in any city having a population of twelve thousand or over, in which there shall reside or be employed, or both, fifteen or more children over fourteen years of age and under sixteen years of age, who are not in regular attendance in a full-time day school and who have not graduated from a four-year approved high school, shall establish and maintain part-time schools, departments, or classes for such children. In districts situated in whole or in part in cities having less than twelve thousand population, the board may establish and maintain such schools. When such part-time schools have been established, all persons having custody of such children shall cause them to attend the same.

[C24, 27, 31, 35, 39, § **4291**; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, 79, 81, § 289.1]