

SPRINGFIELD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Springfield, New Jersey 07081

AFFIDAVIT OF PARENT/GUARDIAN
NON-RESIDENT

STATE OF NEW JERSEY :

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COUNTY OF UNION

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Sworn Statement for Right of Non-tuition School Attendance

I _____ of full age and being duly sworn according to law and under oath say:

1. I am currently domiciled (maintain a permanent residence) in _____ (municipality/borough/township name) at _____ (address).

2. However, my child _____ is being supported gratuitously by _____ . I offer _____ no contributions or payments either in money or in food, clothing, recreation, medical expense, lodging, or any other thing or service of value in connection with the support, maintenance and education of my child. I expect that this gratuitous support shall continue throughout the entire calendar year and not merely through the school year.

3. This arrangement, whereby my child has come to reside in Springfield with _____ gratuitously is due to my experience of the following hardship that has prevented me from being able to support my child myself _____

_____.

4. This affidavit, together with my registration forms and proofs, have been provided specifically to induce the Springfield Board of Education to accept my child as a student who is legally qualified to attend Springfield Public Schools, without payment of tuition.

5. I represent that the answers, statements, declarations, and other representations made in this affidavit as well as my registration forms and proofs are absolutely true in all respects and know that the Springfield Board of Education will rely upon same.

6. I fully understand and agree that if any significant change occurs regarding my child's current living arrangement, I am obligated to report same to Springfield administration immediately. Significant changes as described herein, include but are not limited to the following: (a) My child is no longer being supported gratis by a Springfield resident (i.e., I have begun contributing to the costs of my child's support, education, and/or maintenance); (b) my child has returned to reside with me or resides with his/her other parent; or (c) my child has begun to sleep overnight at my home or the home of another (excluding the Springfield guardian) for one or more nights each week.

7. I fully understand and accept that this affidavit shall expire upon the last school day of the school year in which it was executed. I further understand and accept that it is my obligation to ensure that a new affidavit is completed and submitted to Springfield administration on or before the start of each new school year in which I will seek for my child to remain enrolled in Springfield.
8. I fully understand and accept that any false or fraudulent statements, answers or declarations contained in this affidavit, my registration forms, or proofs shall render me personally liable to the Springfield Board of Education for full payment of tuition for the school year in which the affidavit is executed. At present that tuition amount is an estimated \$ _____.
9. I fully understand and agree that, if I fraudulently caused or allowed my child to pretend to reside in the home of a Springfield resident, a home where I am not the primary financial supporter of, I may be guilty of having committed a disorderly persons offense. If I am convicted of such an offense, I may be fined up to \$1,000.00 and/or be imprisoned for up to six months.
10. I fully understand and agree that any false statements, answers, or declarations contained in this affidavit may subject me to criminal prosecution for the crime of false swearing in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:28-2. If I am convicted for such a crime, I may be punished by a fine of up to \$7,500.00 and/or be imprisoned for up to 18 months.

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Sworn and subscribed
before me on this ___ day
of _____, 20____

A Notary Public of the
State of New Jersey

My commission expires _____