HOME EDUCATION

Home education is the education of a child between the ages of six and 18 years of age, who is receiving home education directed by the child's parent in the subject areas of English language arts, mathematics, science, history, government, and social studies, and who is not enrolled full time in a public or chartered nonpublic school.

Within five calendar days after commencing home education, moving into a new school district, or withdrawing from a public or nonpublic school, a parent or guardian of a child receiving home education must submit a notice to the Superintendent including the child's name, address, and an assurance that the child will receive education in the subject areas required. In subsequent years, a parent or guardian must provide notice to the District by August 30 that the child will be receiving home education.

Upon receipt of the parent's notice, the child is exempted from compulsory attendance to the schools in the District. The child is not required to be excused from compulsory attendance. The Superintendent provides a written acknowledgment of receipt of the notice within 14 days after receipt.

If there is evidence that a child exempt from compulsory attendance is not receiving an education in the subject areas required, the child and parent are subject to examination into cases of truancy.

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