SOMERSET HILLS BOARD OF EDUCATION

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT
SOMERSET HILLS REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, BERNARDSVILLE, NJ

AFFIDAVIT OF APPLICANT/GUARDIAN – RESIDENT
(Part One)

This affidavit is to be completed by persons within the district with whom the student will be living. If the applicant is married, this affidavit must be signed by both husband and wife.

Sworn Statement for Right of Non-tuition School Attendance

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

My/our domicile (permanent home) is in _____ at _____ (address).

1. I/we am/are supporting gratuitously, as if s/he were my/our child, the child named _____. I/we receive no contributions or payment 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 the child named above. The gratuitous support of the child named above shall continue throughout the entire calendar year and not merely through the school year.

2. I/we will assume all personal obligations for the child named above with respect to school requirements.

3. The answers, statements, and declarations made in the application for admission of said child are absolutely true in all respects.

4. This affidavit, together with the application for admission, is made specifically to induce the Somerset Hills School District Board of Education to accept the child named above as a legally qualified student in the Bernardsville public schools and without payment of tuition, knowing that the Somerset Hills Board of Education will rely upon the truth of the statements herein contained.

5. I/we fully understand and agree that any false or fraudulent statements, answers or declarations contained in this affidavit or in the application for admission may render me/us personally liable to the Somerset Hills Board of Education for the payment of tuition for the school year, which is _____ for the 20___-20__ school year.

6. I/we fully understand and agree that, if I/we fraudulently allow the child named above to use our residence and I/we am/are not the primary financial supporter of this child, I/we will have 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.

7. I/we fully understand and agree that any false statements, answers, or declarations contained in this affidavit or in the application for admission may subject me/us to criminal prosecution for the crime of false swearing in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:28-2. If I/we am/are convicted for such a crime, I/we may be punished by a fine of up to $7,500.00 and/or be imprisoned for up to 18 months.

_____ _____

APPLICANT/GUARDIAN APPLICANT/GUARDIAN

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

_____

A Notary Public of the
State of New Jersey.
My commission expires _____.

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APPLICATION BY A RESIDENT FOR THE ADMISSION
OF A CHILD WHOSE PARENTS ARE NON-RESIDENTS
(Part Two)

This affidavit is to be completed by persons within the district with whom the student will be living. All questions must be answered. If no information can be provided for an item, enter none in the space. If the applicant is married, this affidavit must be signed by both husband and wife.

Sworn Statement for Right of Non-tuition School Attendance

To: Principal of _____ School and Somerset Hills Board of Education.

I hereby declare that all answers, statements and declarations set forth in this application are true.

Signature: _____ (applicant/guardian)

Signature: _____ (applicant/guardian)

Dated: _____

Questions concerning the child to be admitted to the district:

1. Full Name:

2. Sex:

3. Date of Birth:

4. Date child moved into the (district) address:

5. a. Has the child continuously resided at the (district) address since that date: _____
   b. If not, state the address, length of time, and with whom the child has been residing.

6. State residence and with whom the child resided for the past five years immediately preceding the date of this application:

7. a. Will the child be claimed as a dependent child on the applicant's Federal Income Tax Return during the time s/he resides with the applicant?

b. If not, set forth the name and address of the person who will claim the exemption for the child.

Questions concerning the parents and family of the child:

1. Name and address of the father:

2. Occupation of father and name and address of his employer:

3. Name and address of the mother:

4. Occupation of mother and name and address of her employer:

5. a. Marital status of parents (married, divorced, separated, widowed):

   b. If parents are divorced or separated, who has legal custody of the child?

6. Name, address and age of any brother/s and sister/s of the child.

7. Names and address of the schools each of the brother/s or sister/s will attend this year:

8. Set forth in detail all reasons why neither parent is capable of caring for the child who seeks admission to the Somerset Hills School District.

Questions concerning the applicant:

Name and address of the applicant:

1. Date applicant became a resident of the district:

2. a. If less than five years, set forth all residences of applicant during the past five years:

   b. Name, age, and address of applicant's children:

3. Name and address of school that applicant's children are attending this year:

4. Number of rooms in applicant's residence:

5. Number of bedrooms in applicant's residence:

6. Set forth in detail the reason why the child is residing with the applicant and not with the parent or legal guardian:

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SWORN STATEMENT OF NONRESIDENT PARENTS WHO
HAVE GIVEN CUSTODY OF THEIR CHILD TO A RESIDENT
(Part Three)

STATE OF NEW JERSEY)
:SS: AFFIDAVIT
COUNTY OF)

_____ and _____ of full age, being duly sworn according to law, upon their oath, depose and say:

1. Complete one of the following:

   a. We are the parents of the child named _____.

   b. I am the only living parent of the child named _____. The child's other parent _____ died on or about _____ (date).

   c. I am the parent of the child named _____. I am separated/divorced (circle one) and I have the legal custody of said child.

2. I/we reside at: _____.

3. I/we have carefully read the foregoing affidavit (part one) and the application (part two) made by _____ (name/s), and the answers, statements, and declarations set forth in said affidavit and application are absolutely true in all respects.

4. On the _____ day of _____, 20___, I/we gave custody of my/our child to _____ (name/s), hereinafter referred to as the guardian/s.

5. I/we am/are not capable of supporting the said child because _____. I/we will make no contribution or payment, either in money or in kind for food, clothing, recreation, medical expense, lodging, or anything or service of value, or other costs and expenses in connection with the support, maintenance or education of the said child.

6. The said guardian/s, _____ (name/s), will keep and support the said child gratuitously as if the said child were their own with no contribution or payment, either in money or in kind for food, clothing, recreation, medical expense, lodging, or anything or service of

value, or other costs and expenses in connection with the support, maintenance or education of the said child.

7. The said child will not be claimed as a dependent child on my/our Federal or State Income Tax Return during the time the child resides with the guardian/s.

8. I/we fully understand and agree that:

   a. If I/we fraudulently claim to have given up custody of my/our said child to the said guardian/s, I/we will have committed a disorderly person offense and upon conviction thereof, I/we may be punished by a fine of up to $1,000 and/or be imprisoned for up to six months.

   b. I/we have read and understand the affidavit of the applicant/guardian (part one) and the application for admission by the application (part two), and any false statements, answers or declarations contained in this affidavit (part three), or in the affidavit of the applicant/guardian (part one), or in the application for admission by the applicant (part two) may subject me/us to criminal prosecution for the crime of false swearing in violation of N.J.S.A. 2C:28-2, and upon conviction thereof, I/we may be punished by a fine of up to $7,500 and/or be imprisoned for up to 18 months.

_____ _____

PARENT (print name) PARENT (print name)

_____ _____

PARENT (signature) PARENT (signature)

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

_____

A Notary Public of the
State of _____
My commission expires _____.