

**[NAME OF SCHOOL DISTRICT]  
Veterans Preference Form**

As a way of honoring those citizens who have served their country on active duty with the United States armed forces, the [name of school district] provides veterans or eligible spouses a more favorable competitive position for government employment.

Idaho Code Title 65, Chapter 5 provides preference for eligible veterans who have been honorably discharged or eligible spouses who:

- Have served on active duty for a minimum of one hundred eighty (180) consecutive days<sup>1</sup>; or
- Are disabled veterans who served on active duty in the armed forces; or
- Are Purple Heart Recipients; or
- Are the widow or widower of such individuals who have not remarried; or
- Are the qualifying spouses of eligible disabled veterans who cannot qualify for any public employment because of a service connected disability.

<b>Veteran Information</b>
Name _____ Branch of Service _____
Date Entered Military Service _____ Separation Date _____
Rank at Separation _____ Type of Discharge _____
<b>Disabled Veteran</b>
Please state your percentage of Disability _____
Do you receive pension or compensation for non-service connected disabilities? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Qualifying Husband/Wife, Widow/Widower</b>
Your name _____
Is the Veteran stated above: <input type="checkbox"/> Disabled <input type="checkbox"/> Deceased
If Veteran is deceased, have you remarried? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>Initial Appointment</b>
Preference shall be given only for the purpose of initial appointment to a position and not for the purposes of any promotion, transfer or reassignment.
Have you ever received an initial appointment by this school district? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

<sup>1</sup> Active duty includes full-time duty in the active military service of the United States, full-time training duty, annual training duty, and attendance, while in the military service, at a school designated as a service school by law or by the secretary of the military department concerned. Idaho Code §65-502(17).

To claim veterans preference with the *[name of school district]*, please complete the Veterans Preference Form and return it with your DD-214 and, if applicable, your letter from Veterans Affairs stating your disability determination to *[identify department or person responsible for collecting forms, e.g. human resources department, business manager, superintendent, etc.]*.

By email: [identify email address]

By mail: [insert mailing address]

**By my signature below, I certify that all answers and statements on this application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that, should an investigation disclose inaccurate or misleading answers, my application may be rejected, my name may be removed from consideration, or my employment with the school district terminated.**

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Name (Please Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date