

Declaration of Intent to Provide Home-based Instruction

Tukwila School District
ESD 121/ King County

A parent who intends to cause his/her child or children to receive home-based instruction in lieu of attendance or enrollment in a public school, approved private school, or an extension program of an approved private school must file an annual declaration of intent to do so in the format prescribed below.:

I do hereby declare that I am the parent, guardian, or legal custodian of the child(ren) listed below; that said child(ren) is (are) between the ages of 8 and 18 and as such are subject to the requirements found in chapter 28A.225 RCW Compulsory Attendance; I intend to cause said child(ren) to receive home-based instruction as specified in RCW 28.a.225.010(4); and if a certificated person will be supervising the instruction, I have indicated this by checking the appropriate space.

Child(rens)'s Name(s)	Age
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

() The home-based instruction will be supervised by a person certificated in Washington State pursuant to chapter 28A.410 RCW. (check this **only** if you have hired a WA certificated teacher to provide oversight as your method of qualifying to homeschool)

Parent/Guardian Name	Signature	Date
_____	_____	_____

Street Address	City, State Zip
_____	_____

This statement must be filed annually by September 15th or within two weeks of the beginning of any public school quarter, trimester, or semester. This form must be submitted to the Superintendent of the public school district within which you reside.

Please return this form to the Administrative Building or send to enrollment@tukwila.wednet.edu

Parent Information on Home-Based Instruction

Washington state law recognizes the desire of some parents and families to seek a home-based instruction (HBI) for their children. OSPI offers technical assistance to school districts that are working with parents seeking to exercise this educational right.

This provides some greater explanation and frequently asked questions around home-based instruction:

<https://ospi.k12.wa.us/sites/default/files/2023-08/pinkbook.pdf>

These tests qualify for the annual assessment required of students in home-based instruction:

<https://sbe.wa.gov/faqs/211>

Private Homeschooling Organizations

These network organizations are able to provide more information about practice and resources that meet Home-Based Learning requirements as well as successfully educate your students.

- **Christian Heritage Home Educators of Washington** (Christianheritagewa.org)
- **Family Learning Organization** (familylearning.org)
- **Washington Home School Organization** (washhomeschool.org)

Laws and Regulations

- [RCW 28A.200](#)
- [RCW 28A.225.010 \(4\) and \(5\)](#)
- [Washington State Laws Regulating Home-Based Instruction "Pink Book" \(PDF\)](#)