

HOME SCHOOL PROGRAMS

P1741

The Superintendent, or his/her designee, shall consider requests for home school programs in compliance with Section 3204 of the Education Law after the parent or guardian's application is reviewed by the Superintendent, or his/her designee. Applications for home schooling should be on forms provided by the District (see attachment). The Superintendent's or his /her designee's approval of the request for home schooling shall be made after determining and/or clarifying the following:

1. That suitable teaching materials are used and a suitable schedule is planned.
2. The instructors are deemed competent by the Superintendent or his/her designee.
3. The program is substantially equivalent to the requirements of the school district and the New York State Education Department.
4. A program shall be planned by the school and parents to monitor the progress of the students. Evidence of academic progress shall be determined by standardized testing and narrative reports shall be equivalent to the growth observed by similar students in the school district.
5. Students instructed at home by their parents are not eligible to participate in interscholastic, intramural, or other school sponsored clubs or activities.
6. Attendance records shall be kept and turned in to the school quarterly.

Failure to adhere to the terms of this policy will result in revocation of approval for home instruction.

*Attachment

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APPLICATION FOR HOME INSTRUCTION

Date: _____

Student's name _____ Date of birth _____

Grade _____ Age _____

Parent(s) / Guardian(s) _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Home phone () _____ Cell phone () _____

Name of Tutor (if applicable) _____

Address _____
Street City State Zip

Period for which home instruction is requested:

Start date _____ End date _____

Background, credentials and experience of parent(s) and/or tutor (include formal education and applicable occupational and life experiences).

Please attach the following:

- (a) Syllabi and curriculum materials or textbooks;
- (b) Sample daily or weekly schedule and calendar for the year;
- (c) Evaluation