

Education Plan for

Student: _____ Birthdate: _____

This education plan is submitted in accordance with the standards set forth in CARE AND PROTECTION OF CHARLES & others, 399 Mass. 324 (1987).

Name of Parent(s): _____

Address: _____

The academic credentials or other qualifications of parent(s) or guardian: _____

Attached:

- The subjects to be taught, materials and resources to be used, and number of hours of instruction to be provided.

Method of assessment, to be submitted to school annually upon request:

- Progress report
- Dated work samples
- Standardized test results
- Any other method agreed to by both school authority and home educator(s) (see attached).

I do not want the school district to disclose directory information from my child's education records to any outside organizations, including but not limited to military recruiters, without my prior written consent. This includes any of the following information that the school district may have designated as directory information: Student's name, address, telephone listing, electronic mail address, photograph, date and place of birth, major field of study, dates of attendance, grade level, participation in officially recognized activities and sports, weight and height of members of athletic teams, degrees, honors, and awards received, the most recent educational agency or institution attended.

Pursuant to 603 CMR 23.00, the information contained herein is private and must be kept in a secure location. This information may not be released to any person who does not work directly with the student in an administrative or diagnostic capacity. The Department of Elementary and Secondary Education may conduct reviews to insure compliance with 603 CMR 23.00. The school committee and the specific school(s) involved shall cooperate to the fullest extent with such review.

Signature of Parent(s) or Guardian

Date Submitted

Directions for completing Education Plan form:

For academic credentials or other qualifications of parent(s) or guardian, write

“We are of competent ability and good morals.”

OR

Summarize your educational credentials.

You do not need to be a certified teacher, nor are you required to have a college degree.

Attach a sheet of paper that includes student’s name and says, “We will cover the following subjects:”

Choose from the following subjects listed in Chapter 69 and Chapter 71 of the Massachusetts General Laws, or make up your own, keeping in mind your plan must equal in thoroughness and efficiency that of the school, but *does not have to replicate* their offerings.

- orthography,
- reading,
- writing,
- the English language and grammar,
- geography,
- arithmetic,
- drawing,
- music,
- the history and constitution of the United States,
- the duties of citizenship,
- health education,
- physical education and good behavior,
- mathematics, science and technology,
- history and social science,
- English,
- foreign languages and
- the arts.

List a couple materials/resources next to each of the subjects that you've chosen from the list above.

Include a statement about days and hours. Choose one of the following:

“We will meet or exceed”

OR

“We will provide the equivalent of”

the 180 days, 900 [for elementary] / 990 [for secondary] hours of instruction required yearly in the public schools.

Check off one method of assessment. If you choose “Any other method agreed to by both school authority and home educator(s),” attach a sheet of paper that includes student’s name and is titled “Method of Assessment” and describe the method.

Sign and date the form. Hand deliver it and get a receipt, or mail it return-receipt requested. You may also like to request a letter stating that an education plan was submitted.