



Dear Parent/Guardian:

Please be advised that Utah law requires parents of homeschooled children to file an affidavit indicating that the minor will attend home school. Upon receipt and review of the completed Affidavit, an Exemption Certificate will be completed and returned to you. Those who have previously filed an affidavit are no longer required to file annually. An exemption certificate will be provided on an annual basis.

Following is a list of programs or services that may be helpful:

- Many high school classes (grades 9-12) may be taken using sources such as Weber Online. There is no charge for most courses.
- Information on core curriculum standards can be found at [www.schools.utah.gov](http://www.schools.utah.gov)
- Some sample lesson plans can be found at the Utah Education Network [www.uen.org](http://www.uen.org) (Under “PreK-12 Education” click on “Lesson Plan Library”).

Please note that if a parent chooses to enroll the student in an online charter school for the full day and do the work from home, the student is not a home school student. This student does not need an Affidavit for Home School Instruction.

### **Curriculum/Textbooks/Testing**

Choice of curriculum is the responsibility of the parent. Parents may choose to purchase adopted textbooks from available suppliers. Parents may take advantage of the district testing programs such as RISE, Acadience, and Utah Aspire Plus by making arrangements with the principal of the school.

### **Dual Enrollment**

A homeschool student may also enroll in a public school to take classes at the same time they are in homeschool. They may participate in any academic activity in the public school available to students in their own grade or age group, but they must comply with the same rules and requirements that apply to a full-time student.

If the student wants to choose educational programs from several sources, the sum of the state funded programs cannot be more than a full program.

Example:

<b>School</b>	<b>% of a Full Day State Sponsored Program</b>
Weber School District	50%
Charter Online School	50%

### **Participation in Extracurricular Activities**

Students enrolled for part of the school day or enrolled full time in home school are eligible to participate in extracurricular activities in the district schools provided they meet all state and district eligibility standards. Any private or home schooled student may only participate in extracurricular activities at the school within whose boundaries the student’s parents or legal guardian resides.

## **Re-entry to District Schools**

The Board of Education reserves the right to designate re-entrance levels by examination. At the principal's discretion, the principal may use placement tests, parent consultation, and other evidence of student progress to assist in proper grade level placement and placement in specialized programs.

## **Credit/Graduation Eligibility**

Students released for homeschool do not earn Weber School District credits. If students re-enter the Weber District schools, requests for credit for homeschool studies will be evaluated by a Credit Evaluation Committee. It is a role of the committee to evaluate credit earned at institutions not falling under the direct supervision of Weber School District. The Credit Evaluation Committee findings will be based on the following forms of evidence:

1. Course title and description;
2. List of instructional materials used;
3. Student achievement (progress);
  - i. formative evaluations (sample)
  - ii. summative evaluation (sample)
4. Correlation of course objectives with the core standards for Utah public schools;
5. Course length and student attendance;
  - i. number of days the class met,
  - ii. normal class length, and
  - iii. number of classes attended by the student.
6. Grading criteria used;
7. Teacher name, qualifications, certifications, endorsements, etc.;
8. Course requirements for credit (representative sample of student work); and
9. Copy of student records.

In addition to the forms of evidence listed above, students seeking credit may be required to demonstrate competency through end-of-level testing. The submission deadline for graduation credits must be submitted prior to the first day of the third quarter of the student's anticipated graduation date. (WSD Policy 4370 Graduation Requirements) The student must attend the public school at least the final semester prior to their graduation.

If you have any further questions, please call (801-476-7817).

Sincerely,  
Student Services

The District complies with the Individuals with Disabilities in Education Act and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act. Under those statutes, the District provides eligible disabled children within the District a free appropriate public education. If you believe your child has a disability, contact the District for an evaluation. The District does not discriminate in admission or access to its programs and activities on the basis of disability. The Section 504 coordinator for the District can be reached at 476-7811 and can provide you with information about services, activities, and facilities within the District that are accessible to and usable by disabled persons.

# Affidavit for Home School Instruction



5320 Adams Ave. Parkway, Ogden UT 84405



Student Name(s)	M/F	Birth Date	Boundary School	Dual Enrollment
				<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
				If yes, list classes or activities

Email Address:	Address:	City:	Zip
Parent/Guardian (please print):	Address (if different than student):		
Reason for Home Schooling (optional):			

I \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Guardian) of the above named student(s), declare my intent to homes school my student(s). I understand and agree:

1. I am solely responsible for the education of my student(s).
2. I am solely responsible for the selection of instructional materials and textbooks.
3. I am solely responsible for the setting the time, place and method of instruction
4. I am solely responsible for the evaluation of the home school instruction

I accept full responsibility for my student and that he/she may not qualify for a high school diploma issued by Weber School District or any of its schools.

(For students with IEPs or identified through child find): My decision to home school does not in any way imply that the school district did not provide a free and appropriate public education and I understand and agree that my student has no individual right to receive some or all of the special education and related services he/she would receive if enrolled in a public school in Weber School District. Consistent with state law, Section 53G-6-702 and Utah State Board of Education Rule R277-438

For Dual Enrollment: I understand I must meet with the building administrator to determine participation in a course, co-curricular activity, or program consistent with state law, Section 53G-6-702, and Utah State Board of Education Rule R277-438 prior to determining dual enrollment.

I understand and agree I may not assume responsibility for the education of my child if I have ever been or if I become convicted of child abuse or have a substantiated finding of child abuse against me as defined in Utah Code 53G-6-204

I have read this agreement and understand my obligations as a home school parent/guardian

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Note: this information on this form is for Weber School District use only. If Weber School Districts release home school information as "directory information," Weber School District must do so consistent with federal law.

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District Use Only: Dual Enrollment Verified with Principal and/or SPED Facilitator/Coordinator \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_