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Dear Home Educator:

We would like to inform you of Kane County School District's responsibilities regarding our relationship with home educators. The District's Policy #FBB—Compulsory Education/Home School, in conformance with state law, provides, in part, as follows:

It is the intent of the Board of Education of Kane School District to fully comply with the compulsory education requirements of Utah state law. The Board recognizes the rights of parents/legal guardians to enroll their children in educational programs other than public schools, so long as those alternative educational programs meet the requirements of applicable state law.

Under Utah law, a parent/guardian of a minor student who attends a home school is solely responsible for the education of that school age minor, including materials, time, place and method of instruction. However, before that responsibility shifts to the parent/guardian, the parent/guardian must notify the District that the student will be withdrawn from enrollment (if previously enrolled) or will not be enrolled because the student will be home schooled. The notice does not have to be in any particular format and can be provided by an email to the District at daltonb@kane.k12.ut.us, or by mail, or by delivering a written notice to the District office. After the District receives the notice, the District will make a record that the student will be home schooled and will confirm to you that it has received the notice. Note that parents who have previously submitted a home school affidavit for a particular student do not need to provide this notice and that those students will automatically be listed as home school students. However, if a different child is to be home schooled who has not previously been excused as a home school student, the District will need the written notice for that child. After a child has been designated as home schooled, he or she will continue in that status unless and until you enroll the child in a District school.

The School District recognizes that parents/guardians are ultimately responsible for their children's educational program. To help parents with their home school efforts, the District offers the following services upon request:

1. Home school students may be assigned to the public school they could attend, and parents may be provided, upon request and availability, with textbooks and other materials similar to what other students receive. There may be fees required for some of these textbooks and materials.

2. Home school parents/guardians have the opportunity to consult with the principals and teachers, in a reasonable and appropriate manner, to help in the education of their children.
3. Home school students with disabilities may be eligible for Special Education services, such as psychological evaluations, speech and hearing services, and other related services available under applicable federal and state laws and regulations.
4. At the request of a parent/guardian to the school principal, home school students may be allowed to participate in normally administered school assessments (i.e., RISE, ACT, Special Education Assessment, etc.).
5. Upon the request of a parent, the District shall identify the knowledge, skills, and competencies a student is recommended to attain by grade level and subject area to assist the parent in achieving college and career readiness through home schooling (Utah Code Ann. §53G-6-204).

If you have questions, please contact your local school principal or Ben Dalton at the District Office at telephone number (435)644-2555. We wish you success in your education program and want you to know that your child(ren) will always be welcome back in the Kane County School District should you wish to enroll them.

Sincerely,

KANE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ben Dalton", written in a cursive style.

Ben Dalton, Superintendent



AFFIDAVIT AND EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE FOR HOME SCHOOL INSTRUCTION (For Students Age 6-17)

Student Name(s)	Grade	M / F	Birth Date(s)	New (N) / Renew	School student(s) should attend in your area	Please name any classes your student may participate in at the local school with the principal's permission.

Address:	City:	Zip:	Home Phone:	Cell/Work Phone:
Parent/Guardian Name:	Address (if different than student):		Email (optional):	
Reason for Home Schooling (optional):				
Were you awarded the Utah Fits All Scholarship? Yes No Kane County School District is a Utah Fits All provider.				

PARENT/GUARDIAN AFFIDAVIT

I, _____, parent/guardian of the above-named student(s), declare my intent to home school my student(s). I understand and agree that:

1. I am solely responsible for selecting instructional materials and textbooks.
2. I am solely responsible for setting the time, place, and method of instruction.
3. I am solely responsible for testing or otherwise evaluating the home school instruction my student receives.

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

☐ My child(ren) (names): _____ may have a disability which could qualify him/her for state or federal services consistent with the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. 1401, et. seq. (IDEA). Please contact me with further information.

☐ My child(ren) (names): _____ has/have an Individualized Education Program (IEP) under IDEA. My decision to home school does not imply that the public school has not offered a free and appropriate public education. I understand that my child(ren) will no longer receive services under the IEP unless he/she is dual enrolled under Utah Code Ann., Section 53G-6-702 and Utah Admin. Code, R277-438. (In Kane School District, an IEP team may offer some Special Education services by appointment to eligible students with current IEP's.)

I also understand that my student(s) may be assessed for academic progress upon enrollment in KCSD. I have read this agreement and understand my obligations as a home school parent.

PLEASE SIGN BELOW:

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

Date: _____

Note: The information on this form is for Kane County School District use only. If Kane County School District releases home school student information as “directory information,” Kane County School District must do so consistently with federal law.

**KANE COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT EXEMPTION CERTIFICATE FOR HOME SCHOOL INSTRUCTION
(For Office Use Only)**

The student(s) listed above are exempt from compulsory attendance for the school year indicated below based upon the parent's/guardian's Affidavit. The parent or guardian is responsible for the selection of instruction and textbooks, the time, place and method of instruction, and evaluation of the home school instruction. Kane School District has no obligation to review a home-schooled student's work or curriculum for credit, though it may do so upon parent request and consistent with District policies. A home-schooled student may or may not qualify for a high school diploma issued by KCSD or any of its schools, consistent with District policies.

School Year

Authorized Signature

Date

2025-2026

2026-2027

2027-2028

2028-2029

2029-2030

2030-2031

2031-2032

2032-2033

2033-2034