

4020 Registered Home School Students

Policy 5900

STATUS: ADOPTED

REGISTERED HOME SCHOOL STUDENTS

Board Approved & Codified: February 14, 1990

Last Revised: June 19, 2013

Description:

The Board of Education recognizes its responsibility to provide registered home schooled students, of school age, with access to:

1. Resource materials that are authorized/recommended by the Ministry of Education.
2. An assessment of the student's learning.

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1. Parents should register their home school program with the school that is identified as the family's catchment school, based on the parents place of residence within School District #59 boundaries. [This protocol does not include students registered with the Northern Correspondence School.]
2. Students must be registered on or before September 30 in each year.
3. The information required from the home school learner must be sent to the Ministry, by the school, on Form 1701 (Section A).
4. Parents may make application to the Student Support Services Department for the loan of appropriate educational resource materials that are authorized and recommended by the Minister. There will be a deposit for these materials equal to the districts cost for the material.
5. Parents may make application to the Director of Instruction, Student Support Services Department, for an evaluation and/or assessment services sufficient to enable the parents of the child to determine the educational progress achieved by the child in relation to students of similar age and ability.
6. Registered home schooled students will not be included in the total student count by the school registering them for the purpose of school based budgeting.
7. Employees of the School District who have knowledge of a student not registered in an educational program shall report, in writing, the names of the students to the District Superintendent.