Missouri Parent and Student Opt-Out Notice

Please take notice that my child is to be excused and exempted for the current school year from the activities, programs, and instruction as indicated below.

* **Human Sexuality Instruction** - Please take notice that I am exercising my right under 170 RSMO § 015 to remove my child from portions of the District’s human sexuality instruction as follows:
* **Surveys** - Please take notice that my child shall not be administered any survey, analysis or evaluation that reveals: (1) political affiliations or beliefs of my child or me, (2) mental or psychological problems of my child or his or her family, (3) sexual behavior or attitudes, (4) illegal, anti-social, self-incrimination, or demeaning behavior, (5) critical appraisals of others with whom respondents have close family relationships, (6) legal recognized privileged or analogous relationships, such as lawyers, physicians, and ministers (7) religious practices, affiliations, or beliefs of my child or me, financial assistance under such program) (20 U.S.C. § 1232(h)).
* **Violence Prevention** - Please take notice that I am conscientiously opting my child out of participation in adolescent violence prevention course because of religious reasons. (589 RSMO § 020);
* **Immunizations** **for Medical Reasons** - This document shall serve as a written objection to immunizations of my child because of medical contraindications as per the attached statement from my physician. (167 RSMO §181) *(Attach statement from physician*).
* **Immunizations for Religious Reasons** - This document shall serve as a written objection to immunizations of my child because of religious reasons. (167 RSMO §181). The immunizations objected to are as follows:
* **Eye Examinations** - This document shall serve as written notice that my child is to be exempt from eye examinations. (167 RSMO §195)
* **Learning Material Which Questions Moral or Religious Beliefs -**  As the parent or legal guardian, the instruction identified below substantially interferes with the religious development of my child and conflicts with our family’s religious training​ and beliefs and/or moral convictions. (See *Mahmoud v. Taylor*, 606 U. S. 17, 25 (2025). Therefore, I request that my child be excused from receiving instruction​ as follows:

1. instruction or other learning materials that positively promotes sexual lifestyles other than is found between the marriage of one man and one woman;
2. instruction or other learning materials that positively promotes gender identity​differing from biological sex.

* **Other requests for opt-out based on sincerely held religious beliefs -**

Keep this signed notice on file in my child’s cumulative folder.

Child’s Name:

Grade Level: School Year:

Parent/Guardian(s) Physical Address:

Parent/Guardian(s) Email Address:

Daytime/Evening Phone Number(s): Parent/Guardian(s) Names: Parent/Guardian(s) Signature(s): Date: School Name: School District: