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Mrs. Patricia Royal, Ed. S. Superintendent of Schools

AGREEMENT FOR HOME INSTRUCTION

Please be informed that I will agree to satisfy the following requirements for a Home Instruction Program:

- 1. The family shall submit a notification of their intent to conduct an educational program that complies with Title 16 Chapter 19 of the General Laws, no later than <u>August</u> of each preceding school year. A <u>letter of Intent to HomeSchool</u> must be received each year that your child will be taught at home.
- 2. The Family shall provide a minimum of five (5) hours of instruction daily. Total educational time in the home school program should add up to at least twenty-five (25) hours per week.
- **3.** The Family shall submit to the Superintendent's Office attendance logs which documents the attendance of the student on a yearly basis.
- **4.** If desired, the Family shall have the child tested with the standardized testing program used throughout the city.
- **5.** If desired, the Family shall have the child participate in school related activities.
- **6.** The Family shall comply with the minimum legal requirements for home instruction as set forth in the RI General Laws, including but not limited to the following mandate set forth in RI General Law 16-19-2 that:

Reading, writing, geography, arithmetic, the history of the United States, the history of Rhode Island and the principles of American government shall be taught in the English language substantially to the same extent as these subjects are required to be taught in the public schools, and that the teaching of the English language and of other subjects indicated herein shall be thorough and efficient......

7. The family shall submit to the Superintendent of Schools an end of year report card/progress report which indicates the student's performance based on either objective tests or other measuring criteria.

Signature:	Date:
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