

Sample 1

PARENT CONSENT AND WAIVER

FOR CHILD AGE 16 OR 17 TO BE EXEMPT FROM COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

I, _____, understand that under Kansas law,
Name of Parent(s) or Person Acting as Parent

_____, is required to attend school until he/she
Name of Student (First, Middle, Last) / Student's Date of Birth

receives a high school diploma or general educational development (GED) credential or reaches the age of 18, whichever occurs first.

By not completing high school, _____ may have inadequate academic skills in the following areas:

Students' First Name

____ Reading	____ Thinking Skills	____ Self-esteem
____ Speaking	____ Problem-solving	____ Team Skills
____ Decision-making	____ Responsibility	____ Science
____ Computer	____ Self-management	____ Career Technical Skills
____ Sociability	____ Leadership	____ Other: _____
____ Diversity Skills	____ Arithmetic/Mathematics	____ Other: _____
____ Writing	____ Listening	____ Other: _____

Several studies indicate that over the course of his or her lifetime, a high school dropout earns, on average, about \$300,000 less than a high school graduate. Pursuant to K.S.A. 72-1111, as amended, USD _____ encourages _____
Student's First Name
to remain in school or pursue an education alternative.

This student is interested in one of the following alternative education programs:

____ Alternative High School	____ Counseling Services
____ Credit Recovery	____ GED
____ ESL Classes	____ Other: _____

This student is not involved in any truancy programs or under any court orders. Truancy officer verified: ☐ Yes ☐ No

I (we) the undersigned hereby give written consent to allow _____,
Students' First Name

who is ☐ 16 ☐ 17 years of age, to be exempt from the Kansas compulsory attendance requirement and state we have attended the final counseling session conducted by USD _____ in which the above information was presented to us.

Signature of Student

Date

Signature of Parent or Person Acting as Parent

Date

Signature of Parent or Person Acting as Parent

Date

Signature of School Official Conducting Final Counseling Session

Date

Signature of Administrator

Date

COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE EXEMPTION FORM

Pursuant to K.S.A. 72-1111, as amended, _____,
name of child

a child who is 16 or 17 years of age, is exempt from the compulsory attendance requirements of the State of Kansas for the reasons listed below (check appropriate reasons).

- ☐ 1. The child is regularly enrolled in an alternative education program approved by the Board of Education of USD No. _____.
- ☐ 2. The child is exempt pursuant to a court order which is attached to this form.
- ☐ 3. The child and _____, the parent or person acting as a parent, have attended a final counseling session conducted by USD No. _____ and have signed a disclaimer, which is attached to this form.

Signed _____
School Official

Typed or printed name

Title

Date

Sample 3

COMPULSORY SCHOOL ATTENDANCE DISCLAIMER

Pursuant to K.S.A. 72-1111, as amended, Unified School District No. _____
encourages _____ to remain in school **or**
name of child
pursue an educational alternative.

The academic skills listed below have not been achieved by the child:

- | | |
|----|-----|
| 1. | 6. |
| 2. | 7. |
| 3. | 8. |
| 4. | 9. |
| 5. | 10. |

The future earning power of a high school graduate is \$ _____
over his/her lifetime. The future earning power of a high school dropout is
\$ _____ over his/her lifetime. The difference is \$ _____
over a lifetime.

The child, _____, is encouraged to
attend one of the alternative education programs approved by the Board of
Education of Unified School District No. _____ and listed below:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

We, the undersigned, acknowledge that we attended the final counseling
session conducted by USD No. _____ in which the above information was
presented to us.

Signature of child

Signature of parent or person acting as parent

Date

Date