

MAINE NOTICE OF INTENT TO HOMESCHOOL

This notice is for those who did **not** homeschool in Maine during the previous academic year. If you homeschooled in Maine during the previous academic year, please submit the **Subsequent Year Letter**.

Instructions: Within 10 days of beginning home instruction, send this notice of intent simultaneously to your local MSAD (at the appropriate address) and the Maine Department of Education (address on the bottom of this form). Maintain copies of the required notice, subsequent year letters and assessment results until the student's home instruction concludes.

This document and all its content are offered to you on the express condition that you keep it strictly confidential, and not permit it to be made available to any member of the public for any reason.

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Address: _____

I intend to homeschool my children:

Name: _____ Age: _____

(Use an additional page if necessary.)

The home instruction program shall commence on _____ and shall remain in effect until a minimum of 175 days have been completed. It shall provide for an annual assessment of the student's progress in accordance with the existing statute Title 20-A M.R.S.A 5001-Subsection 3, A (4).

The program will provide instruction in the following subject areas as required: English and language arts, math, science, social studies, physical education, health education, library skills, fine arts, and in at least one grade from grade 6 to 12, Maine Studies. At one grade level from grade 7 to 12, the student will demonstrate proficiency in the use of computers.

Sincerely,

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Return to:
Pamela Ford-Taylor
Maine Department of Education
23 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0023

Send one copy to your local Superintendent of Schools. Retain a copy for your files.
Use certified mail, signed receipt requested. Retain copies of your receipts with your copy of the letter of intent.