



Thank you for using this method for notifying the Gallatin County Superintendent of Schools' Office of your intention to homeschool this year.

Two forms are required. Please complete the Notification form on page 2 and the Federal Participation form on page 4.

When finished, you may use the Print button on the bottom of page 4 to print a copy which may be mailed or faxed to the office. You may click on the Save button to save a copy to your computer. You can then email us the saved file as an attachment.

If you have questions, please call us at 582-3090.

# HOME SCHOOL NOTIFICATION

GALLATIN COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Mary Ellen Fitzgerald  
311 West Main, Room 107  
Bozeman, MT 59715

Dear Parent:

To assist in annual notification of your intent to home school your child/children, please complete the following form. It will ensure compliance with MCA §20-5-109 (5), and that you are notified of opportunities to participate in federal programs. You can mail this form or fax it to **582-3093**. You can also email the following information to [mfitzgerald@metnet.mt.gov](mailto:mfitzgerald@metnet.mt.gov) Please contact this office at **582-3090** if you have any questions.

I have \_\_\_\_\_ student (s) attending a home school for the school year \_\_\_\_\_ .

I reside in \_\_\_\_\_ school district, (if they were to attend public school)  
and / or

I reside in \_\_\_\_\_ high school district.

**Student's Name**

**Date of Birth**

**Grade**

Student's Name	Date of Birth	Grade
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**Subject to the provisions of §20-5-102, to qualify your student(s) from compulsory enrollment you must comply with the provisions of §20-5-109. The home school**

- (1) shall maintain records on pupil attendance and disease immunization and make the records available to the County Superintendent on request;
- (2) shall provide the minimum aggregate hours of pupil instruction in accordance with §20-1-301;
- (3) must be housed in a building that complies with applicable local health and safety regulations;
- (4) shall provide an organized course of study that includes instruction in the subjects required of public schools;
- (5) shall notify in each school fiscal year the local County Superintendent of Schools of your intention to home school.

Parent or Guardian (print or type)		Parent or Guardian (signature)	
Address		Date	
City	State	Zip	Phone

**For Office Purposes** HS Name \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_

HS/Notification 11-12 Fed. \_\_\_\_\_ Atnd. \_\_\_\_\_ Imu. \_\_\_\_\_  
06/23/2011 New \_\_\_\_\_ Discount Card \_\_\_\_\_

## *Description of Federal Programs*

- *ESEA Title I Part A Improving the Academic Achievement of the Disadvantaged (T IA)*
  - Provides financial assistance to district to expand and improve their educational programs that help meet the needs of students who are at risk of failing to meet the state's academic standards.
  
- *ESEA Title I Part B Subpart 3 Even Start Family Literacy (T IB3)*
  - Provides funds to help break the cycle of poverty and illiteracy by improving educational opportunities for the nation's low-income families through early childhood education, adult basic literacy and parenting education.
  
- *ESEA Title I Part C Migrant Education Program (T IC)*
  - Provides supplemental education and supportive services to eligible migrant children.
  
- *ESEA Title II Part Improving Teacher Quality (T II)*
  - Provides funds to increase student achievement by improving the effectiveness of teaching. (Private/nonpublic schools may only receive professional development services for core teacher under Title II, Part A.)
  
- *ESEA Title II Part D Enhancing Education Through Technology (T IID)*
  - Provides funds to improve student academic achievement through the use of technology and to encourage the integration of technology resources with professional development.
  
- *ESEA Title III Part A Language Instruction for Limited English Proficient and Immigrant Students (T IIIA)*
  - Supports projects designed to help LEP students become proficient in English and attain state standards.
  
- *ESEA Title IV Part B 21<sup>st</sup> Century Community Learning Centers*
  - Supports academic enrichment before-school, after-school, and summer programs that offer students additional services and activities such as drug & violence prevention, art, music, etc. Services must reinforce and complement regular academic programs.
  
- *Learn and Serve America*
  - The K-12 Learn and Serve program funds activities to engage students in community service. (linked to education goals) Service-learning addresses community needs while developing students' academic skills and the habit of responsible citizenship.
  
- *School Nutrition Programs (SF)*
  - Supports nutrition and nutrition education that helps empower children to make healthy food choices and take part in regular physical activity.
  
- *Special Education IDEA, Part B (SE B)*
  - The purpose of this program is to assure that all children with disabilities have available to them a free, appropriate public education which emphasizes special education and related services designed to meet their unique needs.
  
- *Special Education (IDEA) Preschool (ages 3-5) (SE P)*
  
  
- *Carl Perkins Vocational Education (VoEd)*
  - Provides funds to local education agencies to improve vocational education programs.

Note: If you would like a more detailed explanation of any of the above programs, feel free to contact our office @ 582-3090. For information regarding your participation in any of the above federal grants, please contact your local public school district.

***Home School  
Notification of Opportunity to Participate  
In Federally Funded Programs  
2011-2012***

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**Please check and sign either 1 or 2**

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1.  *I wish to receive a participation form in the spring.*

I have been provided with descriptions of federal program services that may be available to my child or children through the local public school district. In the spring, I wish to receive notice from the public school district of the opportunity to participate in federally funded programs so that I may make a decision at that time.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Home School Parent/Guardian – please print

\_\_\_\_\_  
School District

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
ZIP

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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2.  *I DO NOT wish to receive a participation form in the spring.*

I have been provided with descriptions of federal program services that may be available to my child or children through the local public school district. I do not wish to participate in these programs and do not want to receive notice from the public school district of the opportunity to participate in federally funded programs at any time in the future. If circumstances change and I wish to receive information, I will notify the school district to contact me about the opportunity to participate in federal programs.

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Name of Home School Parent/Guardian – please print

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School District

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Signature

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Date