Instruction

Home Schooling

The South Windsor Public Schools recognizes the right of parents or guardians to educate their children at home. Pursuant to State law, school-age children who are South Windsor residents can be excused from the statutory requirement to attend school if the child's parent or guardian notifies the school district that the child is receiving home instruction. Parents or guardians must file a Notice of Intent form annually with the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction acknowledging that the parent or guardian is taking full responsibility for the education of their child in accordance with the requirements of state law. Upon receipt of such notification, the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction will send the parent or guardian an acknowledgement in writing of receipt of the form. The South Windsor Public Schools shall not provide any educational services, including special education or related services, to a child who is not enrolled in the South Windsor Public Schools except for those services required by law.

Participation in South Windsor Public School activities and programs including but not limited to, athletic teams, extra-curricular clubs and programs, is restricted to students enrolled in the South Windsor Public Schools. These programs and activities are not open to non-students.

Legal Reference: Connecticut General Statutes

10-184 Duties of parents

10-184a Special education programs not required for children in home or private schools

10-220 Duties of boards of education

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