



# TWO WAYS TO REGISTER AS A HOMESCHOOLER

**Registered Non Public  
(Not Seeking  
State Approval)**

**OR**

**Home Study**

## REGISTRATION

REGISTER ONLINE  
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## EDUCATIONAL CURRICULUM

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## RENEWAL

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YOU WILL HAVE TO SUBMIT ONLY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING BELOW TO THE STATE WHEN YOU ARE 'RENEWING.'

\* CURRICULUM - COPIES OF A SMALL SAMPLING OF THE STUDENT'S WORK FROM THE PREVIOUS YEAR. PLEASE SEND ONLY 1-2 PAGES PER CORE SUBJECT AREA TAUGHT (I.E. MATH, ENGLISH, SOCIAL STUDIES, SCIENCE).

\* STANDARDIZED TEST SCORES - FAMILIES MAY SUBMIT VERIFICATION THAT THE CHILD HAS TAKEN A STANDARDIZED EXAMINATION SUCH AS THE IOWA TEST OF BASIC SKILLS (ITBS ), CALIFORNIA ACHIEVEMENT TEST (CAT), LEAP TEST, ETC. AND SCORED AT OR ABOVE THE GRADE LEVEL OR THE CHILD HAS PROGRESSED AT A RATE EQUAL TO ONE GRADE LEVEL FOR EACH YEAR IN HOME STUDY PROGRAM.

\* TEACHER STATEMENT - A STATEMENT FROM A TEACHER CERTIFIED TO TEACH AT THE CHILD'S GRADE LEVEL THAT THE TEACHER HAS EXAMINED THE PROGRAM BEING OFFERED AND THAT, IN THEIR PROFESSIONAL OPINION, THE CHILD IS BEING TAUGHT IN ACCORDANCE WITH A SUSTAINED CURRICULUM OF QUALITY AT LEAST EQUAL TO THAT OFFERED BY PUBLIC SCHOOLS AT THE SAME GRADE LEVEL, IN THE CASE OF CHILDREN WITH MENTAL OR PHYSICAL DISABILITIES, AT LEAST EQUAL TO THAT OFFERED BY PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO CHILDREN WITH SIMILAR DISABILITIES.

## DIPLOMA

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