

Pulling Your Child Out of School Mid-Year? Here is what to do...

Send the following notification to the Government of Alberta, Ministry of Education. http://albertahomeschooling.ca/articles/Notificationunsupervisedform.pdf

The address to send the form to is on the notification form.

Pick the "achieve the outcomes contained in the Schedule included in the Home Education Regulation" option because it is easier to be accountable for the 22 wide-open home education outcomes instead of the 1400 school curriculum outcomes, even if you are going to follow the school curriculum.

If you don't know the ASN, don't worry. Leave it blank.

Don't worry about the blurb about the Director. No one has been investigated because every child learns if they breathe. Learning is a biological certainty. The child can learn whatever they want. They do not have to follow the school plan.

If you don't know the resident school board, don't worry. Leave it blank.

Don't wait for an answer or receipt from the Government. You can start home education NOW! It's your right! (It's a Notification form – not an application that asks for permission!)

There is no fee to home educate.

You do not have to tell the school what you are doing or where your child is going. Your only moral obligation is to let them know that your child won't be attending again.

It might be nice to send the below note to the school to stop the truancy notifications.

You do not have any facilitator visits.

You do not need a written home education plan.

Your child will not be subject to any testing.

You can keep all school resources in your possession until the end of June.

Your child will be able to achieve high school credits and a government diploma on home education. They will have to switch to a supervised by a homeschooling board plan in order to do this at high school age. The high school transcript will not indicate that the child was home educated.

Happy Home Educating! Welcome to Fun!

Date: School:
Dear Principal:
This correspondence serves to inform you that as of today's date, we have made other arrangements for the education of until the summer break. They will not be returning to the school for this year. We plan to keep the resources for the grade until the end of June since your school received resource funding for my child. We will make the decision of possible return or not by the end of summer.
Thank you and best wishes!
Signed