

**Student Exemption from Class**

**Code #333.01**

Students may be exempt on a limited basis from a particular preplanned classroom activity or from selected portions of the established curriculum where required by law. Except as required by law, the Tri-County Area School District does not have an obligation to allow a student to be exempt from a required course of instruction unless the student or his/her parent/guardian can show that the course's content would violate the family's religious beliefs.

The building principals shall be responsible for reviewing and acting upon requests for student exemption from classroom and/or curriculum activities. All requests must be made in writing and signed by the student's parent/guardian. Should an exemption be granted, alternate classwork, if feasible, will be assigned.

Although students may be exempt from specific classroom activities or portions of the established curriculum as provided herein, students are strongly encouraged to participate fully in all classroom and curriculum activities. The curriculum in the Tri-County Area School District is designed to provide students with a balanced and well-rounded education consistent with the policy directives and mandates of the State of Wisconsin.

Legal Reference: Sections 115.28(3), 118.01(2)(d)2.c., and 118.019(4), Wisconsin Statutes  
PI 41, Wisconsin Administrative Code

Cross Reference: 333.01AR, Procedure for Waiver for Participation in Approved Curricular Programs  
323.00, School Ceremonies & Observances  
333.00, Parent Rights & District Programs/Activities  
341.31, Human Growth & Development Instruction

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