

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

Physical Education Requirement Parental Notification and Waiver

Per Florida Statute 1003.455, Each district school board shall provide 150 minutes of physical education each week for students in kindergarten through grade 5 and for students in grade 6 who are enrolled in a school that contains one or more elementary grades so that on any day during which physical education instruction is conducted there are at least 30 consecutive minutes per day. Beginning with the 2009-2010 school year, the equivalent of one class period per day of physical education for one semester of each year is required for students enrolled in grades 6 through 8. This requirement shall be waived for a student who meets one of the following criteria:

The student is enrolled or required to enroll in a remedial course, or the student's parent indicates in writing to the school that:

The parent requests that the student enroll in another course from among those courses offered as options by the school district; or

The student is participating in physical activities outside the school day which are equal to or in excess of the mandated requirement.

By completing and submitting this form, you are requesting that your child be waived from the Physical Education requirement. One form is required for each student. School districts are not required to add additional course offerings for students eligible for P.E. waivers. To waive the physical education requirement for your child must meet one of the criteria below (check one only):

I request that my child enroll in another course from among those offered as options by the school district.

My child is participating in physical activities outside the school day which are equal to or in excess of the mandated requirement.

Provide the following information:

Student Name		Date of Birth _	
Parent Name		Phone #	
Sign and return this completed waiver form to th	e school:		
	Signature of Parent/Legal Guardia	n	Date
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Contact your school administration at the number below if you have questions or concerns regarding the physical education requirements or waiver criteria at the number provided below:			
School Name			
School Contact		Phone #	