

PARENT CONSENT AND WAIVER FOR CHILD 16 OR OLDER TO BE EXEMPT FROM COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS

I, _____, understand that
(Name of Parent(s) or Person Acting as Parent)
pursuant to Kansas law, _____ is required to attend school until he/she
(Name of Student)
receives a high school diploma or general educational development (GED) credential or reaches the age of 18, whichever occurs first.

Pursuant to KSA 72-3120, as amended, Unified School District 382 encourages
_____ to remain in school or to pursue an education alternative.
(Name of Student)

The academic skills listed below have not been achieved by _____:
(Name of Student)

Based on _____ the difference in future earning power
(Source of Information)
between a high school graduate and a high school drop out is _____.

_____ is encouraged to attend one of
(Name of Student)
the following alternative education programs in order to aid _____ in obtaining a
(Name of Student)
high school diploma, a general education development credential, or other certification of completion, such as a career technical education industry certification:

The Pratt Learning Center.

For other accredited private schools, virtual schools, and virtual programs, contact information can be found at <http://www.ksde.org/Agency/Division-of-Learning-Services/Career-Standards-and-Assessment-Services/CSAS-Home/Graduation-and-Schools-of-Choice/Adult-Diploma-Completion/Information-For-Alternative-and-Adult-Learners>.

I (we) the undersigned hereby give written consent to allow _____,
(Name of Student)
who is (16) (17) years of age, to be exempt from the Kansas compulsory attendance requirement and state we have attended the final counseling session conducted by USD 382 in which the above information was presented to us.

Signature of Student

Signature of Parent(s) or Person Acting as Parent

Date

Date