
Note: A District may accept a parent or guardian request for a student to enroll in prekindergarten or kindergarten that is submitted to the District on a form provided by the Texas Education Agency (TEA) or on the form provided by the District at FD(EXHIBIT) — I.

See FFC regarding support services for students in foster care. See FDC regarding students experiencing homelessness.

An [Affidavit of Student Admission Information \(For Participants in Address Confidentiality Program\)](#)¹ is available on TEA's website.

A Request for Food Allergy Information is available in the Texas Health and Human Services' (HHS) [Guidelines for the Care of Students With Food Allergies at Risk for Anaphylaxis](#).² HHS also provides a [Guide to Medication Administration in the School Setting](#)³ with sample requests, medical assessments, letters, and reports regarding a student's medical information. [See FFAC and FFAF]

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Exhibit A — Affidavit of Student Admission Information (for Student Living Separate and Apart from Parent or Guardian)

Notice to person enrolling the student: A person who knowingly falsifies information on a form required for a student's enrollment in a school district is liable to the district for tuition or other costs, as provided in Texas Education Code 25.001(h), if the student is not eligible for enrollment but is enrolled on the basis of the false information. In addition, presenting false information or false records is a criminal offense under Texas Penal Code 37.10.

Students meeting the definition of an unschooled asylee or refugee [see EKBA] are eligible for certain exemptions from state testing. If you are enrolling a student who meets the definition of an unschooled asylee or refugee, please provide information about that status to the administration.

My name is _____. I am over 18 years of age and am legally competent to testify. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein, and they are true and correct.

_____ (*name of student*) seeks admission as a student to
_____ School District.

The student is ____ (*number of*) years of age on September 1 of this scholastic year.

The student currently resides at:

The name and address of the parent or legal guardian of the student are:

My relationship to the student is: _____

The student's presence in _____ School District is not for the primary purpose of participation in extracurricular activities. The student has established a residence separate and apart from the student's parent, guardian, or other person having lawful control of the student under order of a court.

The student:

1. Has not engaged in conduct or misbehavior that has resulted in removal to a disciplinary alternative education program or expulsion within the preceding year;
2. Has not engaged in delinquent conduct or conduct in need of supervision and is not on probation or other conditional release for such conduct; and
3. Has not been convicted of a criminal offense and is not on probation or other conditional release.

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I have been authorized through the District's notarized Power of Attorney form, executed by the student's parent or guardian and notarized by a State of Texas Notary Public, to make decisions related to the well-being of the student, to enroll the student in a Texas public school and to assume and exercise parental rights and responsibilities, including but not limited to those set forth in Texas Education Code, Chapter 26. An original executed, properly notarized Power of Attorney has been submitted or is contemporaneously submitted to the SFDRCISD Department of Student Enrollment and Registration.

I understand that this Affidavit is necessary, but not sufficient to meet District enrollment eligibility criteria. This Affidavit must be accompanied by the above described Power of Attorney and at least one of the following supporting documents verifying my current place of residence within the geographical boundaries of the District:

- a) Rent payment receipt; or
- b) Valid lease agreement; or
- c) Recent utility bill (no more than one month prior)

I further understand that failure to provide one of these documents will render this Affidavit ineffective for purposes of establishing this student's enrollment eligibility.

Name of affiant (*print or type*): _____

Affiant's signature: _____

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF _____

BEFORE ME, _____ (*insert the name and character of the officer*), on this day personally appeared _____ (*name*), known to me (or proved to me on the oath of _____ or through _____ [*description of identity card or other document*]) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office on this the ____ (*date*) day of _____ (*month*), ____ (*year*).

Notary Public, State of Texas

Note: Separate copies of this form should be completed and signed by the student's parent and by the adult with whom the student is residing in the District.

**Exhibit B — Affidavit of Student Admission Information
(for Student Residing with Parent, Guardian, or Other Person
Having Lawful Control of the Student Under Order of a Court)**

Notice to person enrolling the student: A person who knowingly falsifies information on a form required for a student's enrollment in a school district is liable to the district for tuition or other costs, as provided in Texas Education Code 25.001(h), if the student is not eligible for enrollment but is enrolled on the basis of the false information. In addition, presenting false information or false records is a criminal offense under Texas Penal Code 37.10.

Students meeting the definition of an unschooled asylee or refugee [see EKBA] are eligible for certain exemptions from state testing. If you are enrolling a student who meets the definition of an unschooled asylee or refugee, please provide information about that status to the administration.

To be completed by the parent or guardian or other person having lawful control of the student.

My name is _____. I am over 18 years of age and am legally competent to testify. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein, and they are true and correct.

_____ (*name of student*) seeks admission as a student to the San Felipe Del Rio Consolidated Independent School District.

The student is ____ (*number of*) years of age on September 1 of this scholastic year.

The student currently resides at:

The name and address in the District of the student's parent, legal guardian, or other person having lawful control of the student under order of a court:

The student (*is*) (*is not*) currently under an order for placement in an alternative education program or under an expulsion order. If the child is under any such order, please provide an explanation or a copy of the order.

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Name of affiant (*print or type*): _____

Affiant's signature: _____

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF _____

BEFORE ME, _____ (*insert the name and character of the officer*), on this day personally appeared _____ (*name*), known to me (or proved to me on the oath of _____ or through _____ [*description of identity card or other document*]) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office on this the _____ (*date*) day of _____ (*month*), _____ (*year*).

Notary Public, State of Texas

Exhibit C — Resolution of the Board Regarding Substantial Care by a Resident Grandparent

WHEREAS, Texas Education Code 25.001(b)(9) requires the District to admit a nonresident student into the District if the grandparent resides in the District and provides a substantial amount of after-school care for the student as determined by the Board,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that for the purposes of admitting a student under this provision, the Board of the San Felipe Del Rio Consolidated Independent School District defines a substantial amount of after-school care as at least _____ (*number of*) hours per school day for _____ (*number of*) days during the regular school week;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board authorizes the Superintendent to waive the Board-adopted substantial care definition on the basis of a student's extenuating circumstances. For a student who does not meet the Board-adopted substantial-care definition above, the Superintendent will consider the following criteria, including but not limited to:

1. The number of hours in a typical school day the grandparent provides after-school care;
2. The number of days in a typical school week the grandparent provides after-school care;
3. The scheduling and commuting needs of the student's parent;
4. Any unique medical and/or developmental needs of the student; and
5. Any other relevant issues.

Adopted this _____ (*date*) day of _____ (*month*), _____ (*year*), by the Board.

Board President's signature: _____

Board Secretary's signature: _____

Exhibit D — Affidavit of Student Admission Information (for Nonresident Student in a Grandparent's After-School Care)

Notice to person enrolling the student: A person who knowingly falsifies information on a form required for a student's enrollment in a school district is liable to the district for tuition or other costs, as provided in Texas Education Code 25.001(h), if the student is not eligible for enrollment but is enrolled on the basis of the false information. In addition, presenting false information or false records is a criminal offense under Texas Penal Code 37.10.

Students meeting the definition of an unschooled asylee or refugee [see EKBA] are eligible for certain exemptions from state testing. If you are enrolling a student who meets the definition of an unschooled asylee or refugee, please provide information about that status to the administration.

To be completed by the parent or guardian.

I am over 18 years of age and am legally competent to testify. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein, and they are true and correct.

My name is _____ (*name*). I am the parent or legal guardian of _____ (*name*), for whom I am requesting admission to the San Felipe Del Rio Consolidated Independent School District under Education Code 25.001(b)(9).

This student and I reside at _____ in _____ School District. My phone number is _____.

This student is _____ (*number of*) years of age on September 1 of this scholastic year and currently attends _____ (*name of campus*) in that district.

This student's grandparent, _____ (*name*), will provide my child after-school care as follows:

1. Actual hours per day: _____ a.m./p.m. to _____ a.m./p.m.
2. Number of school days per week: _____
3. Months that the student's grandparent will provide this care: _____

I agree to notify the Superintendent within three school days of any changes to the after-school care described above.

I (*do*) (*do not*) authorize the employees of _____ School District to contact the student's grandparent identified below for nonemergency purposes. Contact for emergency purposes will be as I have indicated on the District's Emergency Contact Information Card.

Name of affiant (*parent/guardian*) (*print or type*): _____

Affiant's signature: _____

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BEFORE ME, _____ (*insert the name and character of the officer*), on this day personally appeared _____ (*name*), known to me (or proved to me on the oath of _____ or through _____ [*description of identity card or other document*]) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office on this the ____ (*date*) day of _____ (*month*), ____ (*year*).

Notary Public, State of Texas

To be completed by the grandparent who will provide after-school care.

I am over 18 years of age and am legally competent to testify. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein, and they are true and correct.

1. My name is _____. I am the grandparent of this child.
2. I reside at _____ (*physical address*) in _____ School District. My telephone number is _____.
3. I will assume responsibility for the supervision of this child for the purpose of providing after-school care as described above. I agree to notify the Superintendent within three school days of any changes to the after-school care described above.

Name of affiant (*grandparent*) (*print or type*): _____

Affiant's signature: _____

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BEFORE ME, _____ (*insert the name and character of the officer*), on this day personally appeared _____ (*name*), known to me (or proved to me on the oath of _____ or through _____ [*description of identity card or other document*]) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed. GIVEN under my hand and seal of office on this the _____ (*date*) day of _____ (*month*), _____ (*year*).

Notary Public, State of Texas

Exhibit E — Letter Requesting Power of Attorney or Authorization Agreement

Date: _____

Dear parent or guardian:

I understand that you wish to have your child reside with an adult other than their parent, legal guardian, or managing conservator and attend school in the San Felipe Del Rio Consolidated Independent School District. The District requires that a Power of Attorney or an Authorization Agreement for a nonparent caregiver be provided, clarifying which adult will be responsible for your child.

For this purpose, two forms are referenced below:

- A sample Power of Attorney. [See FD(EXHIBIT) — F] Please note that you are not required to use this particular sample, although it does contain those items the District requires to be included in a Power of Attorney. This Power of Attorney is revocable at any time, and the District should be notified within five days of such revocation. Also note that the duration of this Power of Attorney is for the current school year only.
- An [authorization agreement](#)¹ is available on the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services website. An authorization agreement is revocable at any time. The District should be notified within five days of revocation, expiration, or any changes made to the authorization agreement.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call the Department of Student Enrollment and Registration Services at (830) 778-4170.

Sincerely,

District Representative

¹ Texas Department of Family and Protective Services, Authorization Agreement for Voluntary Adult Caregiver form and instructions (under State of Texas forms):
https://www.dfps.texas.gov/site_map/forms.asp

Exhibit F — Power of Attorney

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KNOW ALL BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I, _____ (*parent*) with an address of _____ (*street address, city, state, zip*), do hereby appoint _____ (*name of attorney-in-fact*) as my true and lawful attorney-in-fact for me and in my name, place, and stead to take any and all actions and exercise any and all powers that I could take or exercise for the purpose of my child, _____ (*name*), in attendance in the San Felipe Del Rio Consolidated Independent School District as set forth below.

The following acts and powers are granted by this Power of Attorney:

1. To receive and discuss the student's class work with appropriate District employees.
2. To examine and receive copies of the student's San Felipe Del Rio CISD records and report cards.
3. To give permission for the student's participation in various activities such as, but not limited to, field trips and other student travel.
4. To be notified concerning medical problems and to give consent for the care and treatment of the student.
5. To be notified and consulted concerning the student's attendance and tardiness.
6. To give permission for any disciplinary actions involving the student by District employees.
7. To perform any other duties, responsibilities, and privileges normally afforded to the parents of students in the District.

I hereby ratify and confirm whatever such attorney-in-fact will and may do on behalf of the student by virtue of this Power of Attorney. This Power of Attorney may be voluntarily revoked in writing. A copy of any written revocation will be delivered to San Felipe Del Rio Consolidated Independent School District within five calendar days of revocation. I declare that all powers given to my attorney-in-fact will be exercisable by my attorney-in-fact only for the _____ (*specify year*) school year, unless sooner revoked in writing.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this ____ (*date*) day of _____ (*month*), _____ (*year*).

Parent's signature: _____

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BEFORE ME, _____ (*insert the name and character of the officer*), on this day personally appeared _____ (*name*), known to me (or proved to me on the oath of _____ or through _____ [*description of identity card or other document*]) to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein expressed.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office on this the _____ (*date*) day of _____ (*month*), _____ (*year*).

Notary Public, State of Texas

Exhibit G — Notice of Revocation of Power of Attorney or Authorization Agreement

Note: A copy of your original Power of Attorney or Authorization Agreement must be submitted with this notice.

Date: _____

This notice is to inform the San Felipe Del Rio CISD that the Power of Attorney or Authorization Agreement, attached, for _____ (*student's name*) has been revoked, effective _____ (*date*).

Parent's name (*print*): _____

Parent's signature: _____

Exhibit H — Request for Information on Military-Connected Students

Education Code 25.006 requires the District to collect data related to students with connections to the military to submit to the Texas Education Agency. Please complete the following form, sign at the bottom, and return to your child's school.

Student's name (*print*): _____

Student ID number: _____

(*Check all that apply*)

For students in kindergarten-grade 12:

- ☐ Student is a dependent of an active duty member of the U.S. military.
- ☐ Student is a dependent of a current member of the Texas National Guard.
- ☐ Student is a dependent of a current member of a reserve force in the U.S. military.
- ☐ Student is a dependent of a former member of one of the following:
 - ☐ U.S. military
 - ☐ Texas National Guard (Army, Air Guard, or State Guard)
 - ☐ A reserve force in the U.S. military
- ☐ Student was a dependent of a member of the military or reserve force in the U.S. military who was killed in the line of duty.
- ☐ Student is not a military-connected student as defined above.

Education Code 29.153 requires the District to collect data related to pre-kindergarten students with connections to the military to submit to the Texas Education Agency. Please complete the following form, sign at the bottom, and return to your child's school.

For prekindergarten students:

- ☐ Student is a dependent of an active duty member of the armed forces of the United States, including the state military forces or a reserve component of the armed forces who is ordered to active duty by proper authority.
- ☐ Student is the child of a member of the armed forces of the United States, including the state military forces or a reserve component of the armed forces who is injured or killed while serving on active duty.

Note: A student remains eligible for enrollment if the child's parent or guardian leaves the armed forces or is no longer on active duty after the child begins a prekindergarten class.

Parent's or guardian's signature: _____ Date: _____

Exhibit I — Parent Election Form for Student to Enroll in Prekindergarten or Kindergarten

Note to administrator: Subject to certain legal requirements, the parent or guardian of a child may make an election in writing to the District to request for the child to be enrolled in prekindergarten or kindergarten under certain circumstances. [See FD and EIE] The parent or guardian may submit a request form provided by TEA or this form provided by the District. If the District disagrees with the parent's or guardian's election, the District must take certain action required by law.

Note: As authorized by law, a parent or guardian may choose to enroll a child in prekindergarten or kindergarten if the child was eligible for enrollment the previous school year but did not enroll and has not yet enrolled, respectively, in kindergarten or first grade for the upcoming school year. The parent or guardian must make the election in writing. If the District does not agree with a parent's or guardian's election, then the District will convene a retention committee to meet with the parent or guardian either in person or through an alternative means agreeable to the parent or guardian.

The District retention committee will discuss the merits of and/or concerns with the parent's or guardian's enrollment election, and review and consider any available academic information.

If the parent or guardian does not meet with the committee, the student will be enrolled in accordance with the student's eligibility under law and local policy for regular admissions. After participating in the committee meeting, the parent or guardian may decide whether to keep or change the original selection of enrollment for the student. The District will abide by the parent's or guardian's final decision. Please contact the campus principal with any questions.

As authorized by state law, I, _____, (*print parent or guardian name*) hereby request that my child _____ (*print name of child*):

(*Check only one*)

- ☐ Be enrolled in prekindergarten because my child was eligible to enroll in prekindergarten last school year under Education Code 29.153(b) and has not yet been enrolled in kindergarten.
- ☐ Be enrolled in kindergarten because my child was eligible to enroll in kindergarten last school year and has not yet been enrolled in first grade.

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Current campus, if applicable: _____

Parent's or guardian's printed name: _____

Parent's or guardian's relation-
ship to the child: _____

Parent or guardian signature: _____

Date: _____

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District granted request without disagreement:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes (If District grants the request, no further action is necessary.) <input type="checkbox"/> No (If District disagrees with the request, refer to campus retention committee.)
Date and method of parent/guardian notification about retention committee meeting:	
Date of the meeting:	
Parent/guardian attended meeting:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Grade level placement recommended by retention committee:	
Parent/guardian agreement with retention committee recommendation:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Final enrollment action by the District after retention committee meeting:	

Exhibit J — District Response Form to Parent Request to Enroll Student in Prekindergarten and Kindergarten

Note to Administrator: This sample form is not required by law but may be modified for use by a campus administrator whenever a retention committee has been convened as required by law because the District is concerned about a parent's or guardian's election [see FD(EXHIBIT) — I] to enroll a child in prekindergarten or kindergarten instead of, respectively, kindergarten or first grade.

After participating in the committee meeting and discussion, the parent or guardian is authorized by law to decide whether to enroll the student in the grade level originally elected on the selection form and the District must abide by the parent's or guardian's final decision. If the parent or guardian does not meet with the retention committee as requested, the District will enroll the child in accordance with the student's eligibility under law and local policy for regular admissions. If the District has no objections to the parent's or guardian's election for enrollment, a retention committee is not required, and this form will not be necessary.

Date: _____

Dear parent or guardian of _____ (*insert child's name*):

We received your request to enroll your child in: (*check one*)

- ☐ Prekindergarten
- ☐ Kindergarten

Instead of: (*check one*)

- ☐ Kindergarten
- ☐ First grade

We have concerns about your request. Therefore, as required by law, we are convening a retention committee to review your request. We would like to meet with you on _____ (*date*) at _____ (*location*) beginning at _____ (*time*).

If this does not work for you, please contact us to reschedule this meeting or make alternative meeting arrangements.

The retention committee will be composed of the following individuals as required by law:

- You, the student's parent or guardian, or other parent or guardian;
- The principal or the principal's designee: _____; and
- The teacher who taught the grade in which the parent wants the student enrolled: (*check one*)
 - ☐ Prekindergarten
 - ☐ Kindergarten

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The retention committee will address the following topics as required by law:

- Discuss the merits of and concerns with retention in: *(check one)*
 - ☐ Prekindergarten
 - ☐ Kindergarten
- Review and consider any available academic information to determine the student's academic readiness for the next grade of: *(check one)*
 - ☐ Kindergarten
 - ☐ First grade

You will have the opportunity after you have participated in this meeting to decide whether you wish to enroll your child in the grade you have selected for your child. The District must abide by your decision at that time. If you do not meet with the District as requested, the District will enroll the child in accordance with the student's eligibility under law and local policy for regular admissions.

Please do not hesitate to contact the campus principal with any questions.

Sincerely,

Principal