



JOY HOFMEISTER

STATE SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
OKLAHOMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable Members of the State Board of Education

FROM: Joy Hofmeister

DATE: May 28, 2015

SUBJECT: Statutory Waiver to Allow Two School Days in a 24-Hour Period

The following schools are requesting a statutory waiver of 70 O.S. § 1-111 for the 2015-2016 school year; whereby, they can count a full day of school and six (6) hours of parent-teacher conferences as two school days. Approval is recommended.

| District | County | Duration of Waiver (Years) |
|-----------------|---------------|-----------------------------------|
| Calera | Bryan* (2) | 5 |
| Choctaw Nation | Bryan* (2) | 3 |
| Colbert | Bryan* (2) | 7 |
| Durant | Bryan* (2) | 5 |
| Healdton | Carter* (4) | 8 |
| Navajo | Jackson* (3) | 4 |

* The number in the County category represents the Congressional District.
See the attached map.

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Attachments

Section 12. School Day - Six Hours - Exceptions.

A. Except as otherwise provided for by law, a school day shall consist of not less than six (6) hours devoted to school activities. A district board of education may elect to extend the length of one (1) or more school days to more than six (6) hours and reduce the number of school days as long as the total amount of classroom instruction time is not less than one thousand eighty (1,080) hours per year as required pursuant to Section 1-109 of this title.

B. A school day for nursery, early childhood education, kindergarten, and alternative education programs shall be as otherwise defined by law or as defined by the State Board of Education. Not more than one (1) school day shall be counted for attendance purposes in any twenty-four-hour period.

C. Students absent from school in which they are regularly enrolled may be considered as being in attendance if the reason for such absence is to participate in scheduled school activities under the direction and supervision of a regular member of the faculty or to participate in an online course approved by the district board of education. The State Board of Education shall adopt rules to provide for the implementation of online courses which shall include, but not be limited to, provisions addressing the following:

1. Criteria for student admissions eligibility;
2. A student admission process administered through the district of residence, which provides the ability for the student to enroll in individual courses;
3. An electronic student transfer system which does not require the student desiring to transfer to another district for enrollment in an online course to personally appear in the district to which the transfer is sought;
4. A process by which students are not denied the opportunity to enroll in educationally appropriate courses by school districts;
5. Creation of a system which provides ongoing enrollment access for students throughout the school year;
6. A grace period of fifteen (15) calendar days from the first day of an online course for student withdrawal from an online course without academic penalty;
7. Establishment of an Individualized Learning Plan (ILP) for each student;
8. Mastery of competencies for course completion rather than Carnegie units;
9. Student participation in extracurricular activities in the district of residence;
10. Parent authorization for release of state test results to online course providers, on a form developed by the State Department of Education;
11. Student participation in assessments administered pursuant to Section 1210.508 of this title at a school in the district of residence;
12. Provision for ongoing weekly telephonic communication between teacher and student, and monthly telephonic communication between teacher and parent; and
13. A review process to identify and certify online course providers and a uniform payment processing system.

D. Each district board of education shall adopt policies and procedures that conform to rules for online courses as adopted by the State Board. Such policies shall include criteria for approval of the course, the appropriateness of the course for a particular student, authorization for full-time students to enroll in online courses, and establishing fees or charges. No district shall be liable for payment of any fees or charges for any online course for a student who has not complied with the district's policies and procedures. School districts shall not deny students the opportunity to enroll in educationally appropriate courses and shall provide an admissions process which includes input from the student, the parent or guardian of the student, and school faculty.

E. Districts shall require students enrolled in online courses to participate in the Oklahoma School Testing Program Act. Students participating in online courses from a remote site will be responsible for providing their own equipment and Internet access, unless the district chooses to provide the equipment. Credit may not be granted for such courses except upon approval of the State Board of Education and the district board of education.

F. The school day for kindergarten may consist of six (6) hours devoted to school activities.
(70-1-111)

Note: Amended by SB 2319, Sec. 1 of the 2010 Reg. Sess.

OKLAHOMA STATE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Deregulation/Statutory Waiver Application Worksheet

** SCHOOL YEAR 2015-2016****

Superintendent: Gerald Parks
District Name: Calera
School Name: Elem. and High
RAO: Kelly Bowen
O.A.C. Number:
Statute Number: 70 OS 1-111

County: Bryan
Date Received: 3/18/15
Date of Application:

| | Yes | No | NA | Need |
|---|-----|----|----|------|
| Correct Form: | X | | | |
| Correct Standard Stated: | X | | | |
| Principal's Signature: | X | | | |
| Superintendent's Signature: | X | | | |
| Board President's Signature: | X | | | |
| Notary with Seal: | X | | | |
| Equivalency/Letter of Explanation: | X | | | |
| Bell Schedule: | | | | |
| School Calendar: | | | | |
| Contract(Library/Counseling): | | | | |

Focus, Priority, Targeted Intervention school-

Enrollment

| | |
|---------------------------|------------|
| High School | 189 |
| Middle/Junior High School | 0 |
| Elementary School | 485 |
| Total Enrollment | 674 |

Description: Requesting waiver to allow two instructional days in one 24 hour period

Board Month:

May 2015
~~April 2015~~

Approval:

Lynn Jones
 Lynn Jones

Abbreviated Day/COOP
 Approved via e-mail(attached)

Project Year: 5 of 5
School Year: 2015-2016
Timeline:
CC:

Superintendent
Principal

Notification

will attend
 will attend

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SCHOOL SITE STATUTORY WAIVER/EXEMPTION APPLICATION
FOR 20¹⁵ - 20¹⁶ SCHOOL YEAR

Name of Site(s): Calera High School
Calera Elementary School

Name of School District: Calera

Signature of Principal(s):* [Signature] Date 3-10-15

[Signature] Date 3-10-15

Date _____

Signature of Superintendent:* [Signature]

County Name: Bryan

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ENROLLMENT

High School 189

Jr./Middle High 0

Elementary 485

District Total 674

Date Received Mar 18, 15

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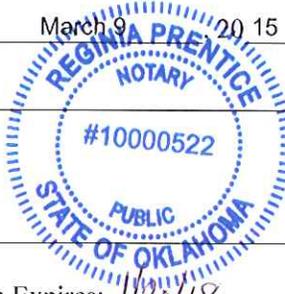
Parent Teacher

I hereby certify that this deregulation application was approved by our
local board of education at the meeting on March 9, 2015.

Signature of Board President* [Signature]

Notary: [Signature]

Date: 3/10/15 My Commission Expires: 1/20/18



1. Statement of the Statute to be Waived: (specify statutory citation)

Except for schools operating under an extended day schedule as provided for in section 1-109 of this title, not more than one (1) school day shall be counted for attendance purposes in any twenty-four-hour period. (70-1-111)

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*Original signatures are required.

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SCHOOL SITE STATUTORY WAIVER/EXEMPTION APPLICATION
FOR 20 15 - 20 16 SCHOOL YEAR

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Oct 13 3-9 pm
Mar 10

Name of Site(s): CHOCTAW NATION INTER-LOCAL CO-OP

Name of School District: CHOCTAW NATION INTER-LOCAL CO-OP

Signature of Principal(s): * Justin Fite Date 03/10/15

Date _____

Date _____

Signature of Superintendent: * Van Keeling Date 03/10/15

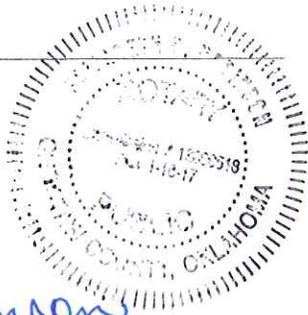
County Name: Bryan

I hereby certify that this deregulation application was approved by our local board of education at the meeting on MARCH 10, 20 15

Signature of Board President* [Signature]

Notary: Elizabeth R Robinson

Date: 3-10-15 My Commission Expires: 1-16-17



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ENROLLMENT

High School _____

Jr./Middle High N/A

Elementary _____

District Total _____

Date Received 3/30/15

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Parent Teacher

1. **Statement of the Statute to be Waived:** (specify statutory citation)
STATEMENT OF THE STATUTE TO BE WAIVED: Except for schools operating under an extended day schedule as provided for in section 1-1-9 of this title, not more than one (1) school day shall be counted for attendance purposes in any twenty-four hour period. (70-1-111).

*Original signatures are required.

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Deregulation/Statutory Waiver Application Worksheet

** SCHOOL YEAR 2015-2016****

Superintendent: Jarvis Dobbs
District Name: Colbert
School Name: Colbert
RAO: Kelly Bowen
O.A.C. Number:
Statute Number: 70 OS 1-111

County: Bryan
Date Received: 3/18/15

Date of Application:

| | Yes | No | NA | Need |
|---|-----|----|----|------|
| Correct Form: | X | | | |
| Correct Standard Stated: | X | | | |
| Principal's Signature: | X | | | |
| Superintendent's Signature: | X | | | |
| Board President's Signature: | X | | | |
| Notary with Seal: | X | | | |
| Equivalency/Letter of Explanation: | X | | | |
| Bell Schedule: | | | | |
| School Calendar: | | | | |
| Contract(Library/Counseling): | | | | |

Focus, Priority, Targeted Intervention school- Middle School is Targeted/ Ward East Focus

Enrollment

| | |
|---------------------------|------------|
| High School | 217 |
| Middle/Junior High School | 122 |
| Elementary School | 560 |
| Total Enrollment | 899 |

April 2015
Description: Requesting waiver to allow two instructional days in one twenty four hour period

Board Month:

MAY 2015
~~April 2015~~

Approval:

Lynn Jones
 Lynn Jones

Abbreviated Day/COOP
 Approved via e-mail(attached)

Project Year: 7 of 7
School Year: 2015-2016
Timeline:
CC:

Superintendent
Principal

Notification

will attend
 will attend

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*A day +
time
3-9 pm
Oct 13
March 10 3-9
1 pm*

SCHOOL SITE STATUTORY WAIVER/EXEMPTION APPLICATION
FOR 20 15 - 20 16 SCHOOL YEAR

Name of Site(s): COLBERT MIDDLE/HIGH SCHOOL
COLBERT WEST WARD
COLBERT EAST WARD

Name of School District: COLBERT PUBLIC SCHOOL

Signature of Principal(s):* Nory Z Walton Date 2/16/2015
Jessamine M. Lewis Date 2/16/2015
Raven Johnson Date 2/16/2015

Signature of Superintendent:* John Dolles

County Name: BRYAN

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| PROJECT YEARS | <u>7</u> of <u>7</u> |
| ENROLLMENT | |
| High School | <u>217</u> |
| Jr./Middle High | <u>122</u> |
| Elementary | <u>560.</u> |
| District Total | <u>899</u> |
| Date Received | <u>Mar 18, 2015</u> |
| 70 O.S. | <u>1-111</u> |

I hereby certify that this deregulation application was approved by our local board of education at the meeting on FEBRUARY 16, 20 15.
Martin Shoopman
Signature of Board President*
Notary: Wanda J. Williams
Date: 2-16-2015 My Commission Expires: 10-15-2015

1. **Statement of the Statute to be Waived:** (specify statutory citation)
EXCEPT FOR SCHOOLS OPERATING UNDER AN EXTENDED DAY SCHEDULE AS PROVIDED DAY SCHEDULE AS PROVIDED FOR IN SECTION 1-109 OF THIS TITLE, NOT MORE THAN ONE (1) SCHOOL DAY SHALL BE COUNTED FOR ATTENDANCE PURPOSES IN ANY TWENTY-FOUR HOUR PERIOD. (70-1-111)

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Ward ES East Focus*

*Original signatures are required.

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** SCHOOL YEAR 2015-2016**

Superintendent: Duane Merideth
 District Name: Durant
 School Name: Durant
 RAO: Kelly Bowen
 O.A.C. Number:
 Statute Number: 70 OS 1-111

County: Bryan
 Date Received: 3/15/15
 Date of Application:

| | Yes | No | NA | Need |
|------------------------------------|-----|----|----|------|
| Correct Form: | x | | | |
| Correct Standard Stated: | x | | | |
| Principal's Signature: | x | | | |
| Superintendent's Signature: | x | | | |
| Board President's Signature: | x | | | |
| Notary with Seal: | x | | | |
| Equivalency/Letter of Explanation: | x | | | |
| Bell Schedule: | | | | |
| School Calendar: | | | | |
| Contract(Library/Counseling): | | | | |

Focus, Priority, Targeted Intervention school-

Enrollment

| | |
|---------------------------|-------------|
| High School | 899 |
| Middle/Junior High School | 472 |
| Elementary School | 2188 |
| Total Enrollment | 3559 |

Description: Requesting waiver to allow two instructional days in one 24 hour period

Board Month:

MAY 2015
~~April 2015~~

Approval:

Lynn Jones
Lynn Jones

Abbreviated Day/COOP
 Approved via e-mail(attached)

Project Year: 5 of 5
 School Year: 2015-2016
 Timeline: _____
 CC: _____

Superintendent
 Principal

Notification

will attend
 will attend

SCHOOL SITE STATUTORY WAIVER/DEREGULATION APPLICATION

for 20 15 – 20 16 school year

Bryan 07

COUNTY

Durant ISD #72

SCHOOL DISTRICT

1323 Waco Street, Durant, Oklahoma 74701

SCHOOL DISTRICT MAILING ADDRESS

See attached

NAME OF SITE

PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE*

DATE

PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE*

DATE

PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE*

DATE

SUPERINTENDENT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)

SUPERINTENDENT E-MAIL ADDRESS

SUPERINTENDENT SIGNATURE*

DATE

I hereby certify that this waiver/deregulation application was approved by our local board of education at the meeting on 2/9, 20 15

Don England

BOARD PRESIDENT SIGNATURE*

NOTARY SEAL →

Heather Fahrendore

NOTARY



7-11-15

COMMISSION EXPIRATION DATE

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ENROLLMENT

899 High School

472 Jr./Middle High

2188 Elementary

3559 District Total

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O.A. *Parent Teacher*

Statute/Oklahoma Administrative Code to be Waived:

(specify statute or OAC (deregulation) number: (see instructions))

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SCHOOL SITE STATUTORY WAIVER/EXEMPTION APPLICATION
FOR 20¹⁵ - 20¹⁶ SCHOOL YEAR

Name of Site(s): Healdton High School
Healdton Middle School
Healdton Elementary School

Name of School District: Healdton

Signature of Principal(s):* Justin Kane Date 4-13-15

Byrne Date 4-13-15

Daniel Campbell Date 4-13-15

Signature of Superintendent:* [Signature]

County Name: Carter

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ENROLLMENT

| | |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| High School | <u>167</u> |
| Jr./Middle High | <u>114</u> |
| Elementary | <u>263</u> |
| District Total | <u>544.</u> |

Date Received Apr 15, 2015

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Parent Teacher

I hereby certify that this deregulation application was approved by our local board of education at the meeting on April 13, 20¹⁵.

Signature of Board President* [Signature]

Notary: Michelle Blakemore

Date: 4-13-15 My Commission Expires 8/6/18



1. Statement of the Statute to be Waived (Specify statutory citation)
Section 12. School Day - Six Hours - Exceptions.

Statutory Citation: 70-1-111

*Healdton ES - Priority
Healdton MS - Fair*

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Deregulation/Statutory Waiver Application Worksheet

** SCHOOL YEAR 2015-2016****

Superintendent: Vicki Nance
District Name: Navajo
School Name: Navajo
RAO: Ryan Pieper
O.A.C. Number:
Statute Number: 70 OS 1-111

County: Jackson
Date Received: 4/3/15
Date of Application:

| | Yes | No | NA | Need |
|---|-----|----|----|------|
| Correct Form: | X | | | |
| Correct Standard Stated: | X | | | |
| Principal's Signature: | X | | | |
| Superintendent's Signature: | X | | | |
| Board President's Signature: | X | | | |
| Notary with Seal: | X | | | |
| Equivalency/Letter of Explanation: | X | | | |
| Bell Schedule: | | | | |
| School Calendar: | | | | |
| Contract(Library/Counseling): | | | | |

Focus, Priority, Targeted Intervention school-

Enrollment

| | |
|---------------------------|------------|
| High School | 96 |
| Middle/Junior High School | 113 |
| Elementary School | 242 |
| Total Enrollment | 451 |

Description: Requesting waiver to allow two instructional days in one 24 hour period

Board Month:

May 2015
~~April, 2015~~

Approval:

Lynn Jones
 Lynn Jones

Abbreviated Day/COOP
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Project Year: 4 of 4
School Year: 2015-2016
Timeline:
CC:

Superintendent
Principal

Notification

will attend
 will attend

SCHOOL SITE STATUTORY WAIVER/DEREGULATION APPLICATION

for 20 15 – 20 16 school year

Jackson County

COUNTY

Navajo Public Schools

SCHOOL DISTRICT

15695 South County Road 210

SCHOOL DISTRICT MAILING ADDRESS

Navajo Public Schools (District wide PK-12: Elem, JH, HS)

NAME OF SITE

Floyd Roach

PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE*

2/9/2015

DATE

Floyd Roach

PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE*

2/9/2015

DATE

Glenn Darty

PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE*

2/9/2015

DATE

Vicki Nance

SUPERINTENDENT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)

vnance@navajo.k12.ok.us

SUPERINTENDENT E-MAIL ADDRESS

Vicki Nance

SUPERINTENDENT SIGNATURE*

2-9-2015

DATE

I hereby certify that this waiver/deregulation application was approved by our local board of education at the meeting on February 9, , 20 15

John Lee Luther

BOARD PRESIDENT SIGNATURE*

NOTARY SEAL →

Sharon Williams

NOTARY

2/9/2015

DATE

7-1-2015

COMMISSION EXPIRATION DATE

Statute/Oklahoma Administrative Code to be Waived: 70 O.S. § 1-111
(specify statute or OAC (deregulation) number: (see instructions))

Parent-Teacher Conference

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ENROLLMENT

96 High School

113 Jr./Middle High

242 Elementary

451 District Total

April 3, 2015

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Parent Teacher