
A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 302A, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2 amended by adding a new section to be appropriately designated
3 and to read as follows:

4 "§302A- Participation in extracurricular activities by
5 home schooled children. (a) A child who is home schooled in
6 accordance with section 302A-1132 shall be eligible to
7 participate in extracurricular activities at the public school
8 that the child would otherwise be required to attend. A home
9 schooled child who wishes to participate in an extracurricular
10 activity shall:

11 (1) Meet the health requirements set forth in sections
12 302A-1154 through 302A-1157, prior to the child's
13 participation in the extracurricular activity;

14 (2) Meet the participation requirements and restrictions
15 for the extracurricular activity, including
16 maintaining appropriate grade point averages and
17 paying appropriate fees; provided that the



1 requirements or restrictions shall not be inconsistent
2 with this section;

3 (3) Submit the child's birth certificate and proof of
4 residency in a manner determined by the department;
5 and

6 (4) Be registered with the school as a home-schooled
7 student at the beginning of the school year and at
8 least twelve months prior to participating in the
9 extracurricular activity.

10 (b) The department may adopt rules:

11 (1) To implement this section and to provide procedures by
12 which a home schooled child may apply to participate
13 in extracurricular activities; and

14 (2) Setting forth which programs qualify as
15 extracurricular activities under this section.

16 (c) As used in this section, "extracurricular activity"
17 means a school-authorized or education-related activity
18 occurring during or outside the regular instructional school
19 day, including sports, cheerleading, clubs, and other programs."

20 SECTION 2. New statutory material is underscored.

21 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2017.



Report Title:

Home Schooling; Extracurricular Activities

Description:

Allows home schooled students to participate in extracurricular activities offered at the public school that they would otherwise be required to attend. (SD1)

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