

Conditions for Approval of Early Completion or Withdrawal - 3112

Children at least eight (8) years of age and less than eighteen (18) year of age are required by law to attend public or private school. Under special circumstances children who are at least sixteen (16) years of age may be excused from further attendance at school. The superintendent shall exercise authority to grant exceptions when it is determined that the student:

- A. Is lawfully and regularly employed, and either has the permission of a parent or legal guardian or is emancipated pursuant to RCW Chapter 13.64, or
- B. Has satisfied graduation requirements in accordance with the State Board of Education; or
- C. Is subject to one of the other exceptions to compulsory attendance (see policy 3121 and RCW 28A.225.010).

A resident student who has been granted an exception retains the right to enroll as a part-time student and shall be entitled to take any course, receive any ancillary services, and take or receive any combination of courses and ancillary services which is offered by a public school to full-time students.

Legal References:

RCW	28A.225.010	Attendance mandatory--age--when excused
WAC	392-134-010	Attendance rights of part-time public school students