

November 12, 2024

John Doe
1234 Main St
San Jose, CA 95100

Jose Jacinto
Principal
725 Hellyer Avenue
San Jose, CA 95111

Dear Principal Jose Jacinto,

I write in my capacity as the Father of James Doe, who is a student in the 5 grade at G.W. Hellyer Elementary School.

My child is to be excused and exempted for the current school year from the following school instruction, programs, and/or activities:

Attending or participating in any class, instruction or activity related to comprehensive sexual education and HIV/AIDS prevention. Cal. Education Code §§ 51937-51939

Participating in any anonymous, voluntary, and confidential test, questionnaire, or survey on pupil health behaviors and risks. Cal. Education Code §§ 51937-51939

You are hereby further notified that our family holds deeply held religious beliefs in marriage between one man and one woman, and gender assigned by God which cannot be altered or changed. We therefore request, pursuant to Cal. Educ. Code Sec. 51240, that our child be excused from any part of the school's instruction in health which is inconsistent with these beliefs.

The administration of any test, questionnaire, survey, examination or evaluation containing any questions or items relative to my child, or my personal beliefs or practices in sex, family life, morality, or religion. Cal. Education Code §51513

The administration of any test, examination, or assessment as part of a statewide pupil assessment program relative to my child, or my personal beliefs or practices in sex, family life, morality, or religion, or any question designed to evaluate personal behavioral characteristics, including, but not limited to, honesty, integrity, sociability, or self-esteem. Cal. Education Code §60614

This shall also serve to make clear that without my prior written consent, under no circumstances shall my child be required or allowed to be subject to physical, psychiatric, or psychological examination, testing, or treatment as defined at 34 CFR § 98.4(c).

Please take notice that, unless I provide separate written consent, my child shall not be administered any survey, analysis, or evaluation that reveals:

- (1) political affiliations or beliefs of my child or me,
- (2) mental or psychological problems of my child or his or her family,
- (3) sexual behavior or attitudes,
- (4) illegal, anti-social, self-incriminating, or demeaning behavior,
- (5) critical appraisals of other individuals with whom respondents have close family relationships,
- (6) legally recognized privileged or analogous relationships, such as lawyers, physicians, and ministers,
- (7) religious, practices, affiliations, or beliefs of my child or me, or
- (8) income (other than that required by law to determine eligibility or participation in a program or for receiving financial assistance under such program). 20 U.S.C. § 1232h

Without my prior written consent, under no circumstances shall my child be referred or provided access to any third-party “mental health” counselor, social worker, or abortion provider.

Please be advised that I am prepared to pursue all potential actions, remedies, statutory, regulatory, and in tort, in the event the G.W. Hellyer Elementary School fails to comply with this letter or otherwise does not respect my legal rights regarding my child.

I look forward to your prompt confirmation of receipt and your full compliance with the terms of this letter.

Sincerely,



John Doe