

## Home School Students' Participation in Curricular and Extra-Curricular Activities

A student residing in the Town of Barrington who is enrolled in an approved home school instruction program may, upon application to the School Department, be permitted to participate in school sponsored curricular or extra-curricular activities provided that the student meets the same rules, regulations and policy requirements as those required of regularly enrolled students in the Barrington Public Schools.

Students requesting curricular courses must provide a reason and must meet all of the prerequisite course requirements for entrance into the course. No more than two credits can be attempted in a school year for home instructed students. Entry into any curricular course will be permitted in accordance with the following:

- The addition of students in other than laboratory classes does not exceed a class size of 25.
- The addition of students in laboratory classes does not exceed the number of stations available.
- Any transportation requirements which do not coincide with the regular schedule of bus runs provided by the school department, shall be the responsibility of the student's parents or guardians.

Students who are enrolled in the public schools and elect to be instructed in a home school program may participate immediately in school-sponsored or extra-curricular activities provided that they comply with this and any other applicable policy, that they have fulfilled any academic or disciplinary conditions required for their participation in said programs which pre-dated their election to be home schooled, and that they continue to fulfill the terms of this any other applicable policy.

This policy is limited to Barrington students who are home schooled with the approval of the Barrington School Committee. Students attending private or parochial schools shall not be eligible for inclusion under the provisions of this policy.

Legal Reference

[RIDE FAQs](#)

[RI Gen Law 16-19-2](#)

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