

Please read

Recently it has come to my attention that the intent to homeschool form on the St Lucie County public school website is asking for more information than what is required by law. There are only four pieces of information required by law.

These are the following required by law:

Name of each child (age 6-16).

Birthdate of each child named.

Address.

A parent's signature.

When information is asked above what is required by law and homeschool families offer that information, we are opening the door to what may be required by law in the future.

When sharing information with friends and family about filling out an intent to homeschool form (if they are planning to homeschool using that route), please direct them to do one of the following:

- use the PETC website for our intent to homeschool form for a few of the counties in our area

https://www.homeschool-life.com/116/file_retrieve/86203

Or

- use the form from FPEA that is applicable for all counties in FL (the family would need to find the appropriate address to hand in or mail in the form).

<https://fpea.com/homeschooling/requirements>

Feel free to let me know if you have any questions. I plan to reach out to the St Lucie County Superintendent about the information being asked. I haven't looked into other county's forms on their public school websites so I don't know at this time if more is being asked in other counties. If you opt to use their form, you are only legally bound to offer the four parts mentioned above.

Charlene Wells

PETC Director

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ESTABLISH A HOME EDUCATION

PROGRAM

(St. Lucie County)

Date: _____

**St. Lucie Public Schools
Student Assignment Office
Attn: Home Education Dept.
9461 Brandywine Lane
Port St Lucie, FL 34986**

This letter is to inform you that I intend to establish a home education program for the following child(ren) beginning on_____.

CHILD'S NAME	DATE OF BIRTH

Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Parent Signature_____Date_____

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ESTABLISH A HOME EDUCATION

PROGRAM

(Martin County)

Date: _____

**Martin County School District
Student Services Department
500 East Ocean Blvd
Stuart FL 34994**

This letter is to inform you that I intend to establish a home education program for the following child(ren) beginning on_____.

CHILD'S NAME	DATE OF BIRTH

Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ESTABLISH A HOME EDUCATION

PROGRAM

(Okeechobee County)

Date: _____

**School District of Okeechobee County
700 SW 2nd Ave, Room #306
Okeechobee, FL 34974**

This letter is to inform you that I intend to establish a home education program for the following child(ren) beginning on_____.

CHILD'S NAME	DATE OF BIRTH

Parent/Guardian's Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Parent Signature _____ Date _____