

UTAH STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Subject:

ACTION: Parental Exclusion From State Assessments Form: 2026-2027

Agenda item type:

Action Item

Recommended Action:

That the Committee approve the Parental Exclusion from State Assessments forms, Draft 1, and forward to the Board for final approval.

Purpose of Memo:

Result of legislative action

Background:

[53G-6-803\(9\)\(a\)](#) establishes the requirement that the Utah State Board of Education establish a statewide procedure for excusing a student from state assessments, which includes creating, maintaining and publishing a list of eligible state assessments. To maintain the Parental Exclusion From State Assessments form, staff regularly review and make recommended changes to the form as necessary. Staff are recommending some updates to the forms including the removal of the Utah Aspire Plus assessments as a result of the passage of [S.B. 39](#) in 2025.

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Attachments:

1. 2026-2027 Parental Exclusion Form Secondary DRAFT
2. 2026-2027 Parental Exclusion Form Elementary DRAFT