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EXEMPTIONS FROM REQUIRED INSTRUCTION

If the religious or closely held personal beliefs and teachings of a student or the student's parent/guardian are contrary to the content of a school subject or to any part of a school activity, the student may be exempt from participation. To receive such an exemption, the parent/guardian must present a written request for exemption to the principal or other appropriate administrator, stating the conflict involved.

If a student is unable to participate in a physical education class, the student must present to the building principal a statement from a physician or other licensed health care professional stating the reason for the inability to participate.

Exemptions from required instruction do not excuse a student from the Centennial BOCES's or applicable district's requirements for graduation from high school.

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