

INTERMEDIATE UNIT 1

TITLE: EXEMPTION FROM
INSTRUCTION

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105.2. EXEMPTION FROM INSTRUCTION	
1. Purpose	The purpose of this policy is to comply with the requirement of the State Board of Education that intermediate units provide parents/guardians the right to have their children excused from specific instruction that conflicts with their religious beliefs.
2. Authority Title 22 Sec. 4.4	The Board adopts this policy to ensure that parents/guardians have the right to have their children excused from specific instruction that conflicts with their religious beliefs.
3. Definition	As used in this policy, the phrase specific instruction means identifiable elements of instruction by the teacher. It does not include required reading or academic standards.
4. Guidelines	The rights granted by this policy are granted to parents/guardians of students enrolled in this Intermediate Unit when the students are under the age of eighteen (18) and to the students themselves when the student is eighteen (18) or over, unless the student is incapable of making the decision due to a disability.
Pol. 102	All students excused from specific instruction shall be required to achieve the academic standards established by the Intermediate Unit as necessary for completion of the program.
5. Delegation of Responsibility	The implementation procedure for this policy shall be established by the Executive Director or his/her designee.
PA Code Title 22 Sec. 4.4, 11.7	
Board Policy 102	