

ALTERNATIVE TO PUBLIC SCHOOLING

According to Oklahoma Statutes, parents or guardians are held responsible for the education of their children until they have graduated from high school or until their eighteenth birthday. Parents may elect to enroll their students in a private school or they may elect to teach them at home. Both options are provided by law.

Parents choosing either of these two methods of education release the school district of its obligation under the Compulsory Attendance Law to report non-attendance to the proper court officials. To properly document such a withdrawal, school administrators will have the parents or guardians complete and sign the homeschooling or the private schooling withdrawal forms.