

Lake and Peninsula School District
Standardized Assessment Opt Out Report

Opt Out Decision Team

Parents, student, Site Principal, Head teacher, homeroom teacher, sped teacher (if applicable,) District Testing Coordinator

Reason, if available:

Meeting Dates:

Additional documentation included with this report:

Statewide, standardized assessments are used to collect student achievement data, designate school performance, and compare school performance throughout the district, state, and nation. The Lake and Peninsula School District **requests** that each eligible student participate in statewide assessments. Students who do not participate in assessments are counted against performance indexes, and impact achievement data and comparisons.

The Lake and Peninsula School District recognizes the parent's right to direct the education of the parent's child as outlined in Alaska HB 156 Sec 14.03.016. If a parent chooses to exercise this right they should inform site administration in writing. When possible the site instructional team (site administrator, teachers, others as appropriate) will meet with the parent to determine whether or not steps can be taken to include the student in assessments. If the parent chooses to continue with the opt out process, the **document** will be completed. This document, the original letter, and any other appropriate documentation (IEP, phone log, emails,) will be collected and kept on file with the District Testing Coordinator.

The opt out process