



ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

STANDARDS FOR ACCREDITATION 1-YEAR WAIVER REQUEST FORM

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Waiver Topic: Library Media Licensure

Standard to be Waived

Standards for Accreditation

- 4-F.1, Library Media Specialist certification
- 4-F.2, Library Media Student Ratio

Rationale for Waiver

In June 2018, Highland Public School District requested, and was granted, a five-year waiver pertaining to Library Media Licensure requirements by the Arkansas State Board of Education. At the time, we were unaware that the waiver would be invalid if not renewed with the new Standards for Accreditation in July 2018. We have since been told that since the waiver has become invalid we are no longer in compliance with Standards for Accreditation. We, hereby request the Arkansas State Board of Education grant Highland Public School District a one-year waiver for the 2018-19 academic year.

When the form is complete, email it to the Standards and Systems Support Specialists assigned to your region.

Questions should be directed to your region's Standards and Systems Support Specialists.