# THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA

SECTION: 100 Programs TITLE: Home Education Programs ADOPTED: November 16, 2017 REVISED:

## **137 HOME EDUCATION PROGRAMS**

### **Authority**

Home education programs shall provide an appropriate education for students of compulsory school age residing in the school district and shall be conducted in accordance with state law and regulations.[1][2][3]

### **Definitions**

**Appropriate education -** a program consisting of instruction in the required subjects for the time required by law and in which the student demonstrates sustained progress in the overall program.[2]

**Home education program** - a program conducted in compliance with law by the parent/guardian or person having legal custody of a child. A home education program shall not be considered a nonpublic school under the provisions of law.[2]

### **Delegation of Responsibility**

The Superintendent or designee shall develop and distribute administrative procedures for registering and monitoring home education programs.

### Legal References:

<u>1. 24 P.S. 1327</u> <u>2. 24 P.S. 1327.1</u> <u>3. 22 PA Code 11.31a</u>

**<u>Related Information:</u>** 24 P.S. 111 22 PA Code 11.33