



Student Name _____

**RIVERVIEW Alternative Programs
(PARADE, CLIP, CLEAR, or CHOICE)
Statement of Understanding**

State law (WAC 392-121-182(3)(e)) now requires that before we can enroll your child in an Alternative Learning Experience (such as PARADE, CLIP, CLEAR or CHOICE) you must review the differences between home-based instruction and alternative programs and sign that you understand these differences.

Please read these descriptions and sign below that you understand the difference between these learning environments.

Home- Based Instruction (Home Schooling)

- Is provided by the parent or guardian as authorized under RCW 28A.200 and 28A.225.010.
- Students are not enrolled in public education.
- Students are not subject to the rules and regulations governing public schools, including course, graduation, and assessment requirements.
- The public school is under no obligation to provide instruction or instructional materials, or otherwise supervise the student's education.
- Parents must file a "Declaration of intent to provide home-based instruction" to the school district in which they reside.
- Parents (or their designee) design, provide and implement the curriculum.
- Home-based students may apply for ancillary services and may enroll in public schools on a part-time basis where space is available.

Alternative Learning Experience (PARADE, CLIP, CLEAR, CHOICE)

- Is authorized under WAC 392-121-182
- Students are enrolled in public education either part-time or full-time.
- Is a partnership between parents and the school district
- Learning Experiences are:
 - Developed cooperatively with parents and staff.
 - Provided by the parent(s) and PARADE staff via a written student learning plan.
 - Supervised, monitored, assessed and evaluated by certificated staff in consultation with parents.
 - Provided in part outside of the regular classroom.
- Students are subject to the rules and regulations governing public school students including course, graduation and assessment requirements for all portions of the ALE.

I have read the description of Home-based Instruction and of the Alternative Learning Experience (PARADE) and I understand the difference between home-based instruction and the PARADE Alternative Program in which my child is enrolling.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____