

ST. JAMES-ASSINIBOIA SCHOOL DIVISION

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Petition to Conduct Religious Instruction

Sections 80 and 81 of the Public Schools Act

Authorization for instruction in religion

80(1) Instruction in religion may be conducted in any school in Manitoba if authorized by a by-law passed by the school board.

Petition for instruction in religion

- 80(2) If a petition requesting that religious instruction be given in a school is presented to the school board and is signed by
 - a) the parents or guardians of at least 10 children attending the school having one or two classrooms; or
 - the parents or guardians of at least 25 children attending the school having three or more classrooms;

the school board shall pass a by-law authorizing instruction in religion in compliance with the petition.

Hours of instruction in religion

Instruction in religion, when authorized under or permitted by this Act, may take place during school hours at such time and on such days as approved by a by-law of the school board but in any case shall not exceed 2 ½ hours per week and shall be conducted by a clergyman, priest, rabbi or other spiritual leader or by a representative of parents recognized by the school board as constituting a religious group or by any person including a teacher, duly authorized by such clergyman, priest, rabbi or other spiritual leader.

Names and Address of the Parents Initiating This Petition:

Name:	Phone #:
Address:	
Name:	Phone #:
Address:	



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BEFORE SIGNING, please read the above regulations and guidelines on religious instruction.

We the undersigned wish to have religious exercises conducted at				
School for our children for the	20 20 Sc	hool year, in accordance with		
Sections 80 and 81 of the Public	Schools Act and the condition	s listed on the previous page.		
PARENTS OR GUARDIANS (OR STUDENTS OVER THE AGE OF 18)		REPRESENTING THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS		
Name (please print)	Signature	Child's name	Grade	
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Student registration confirmed by	/ principal:			
Principal's Signature	Da	ate		

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