



HOMESCHOOL QUICK REFERENCE

Can I homeschool my child?

- Yes. A parent can teach without a teaching license by meeting the homeschool testing requirements. Attendance generally applies from 7 to under 17.

Can I choose what to teach?

- Choose your curriculum. Include reading, writing, literature, fine arts, math, science, history, geography, government, health, and PE. Keep materials, schedules, and evidence showing subject coverage.

Can I choose my schedule?

- You choose the calendar. Minnesota sets no fixed homeschool day or hour minimum.

How do I get started?

- Report required child, instructor, and testing information to your resident superintendent by October 1 initially; send yearly continuation information by October 1.
- Withdrawal or moving can require notice within 15 days; use the linked reporting law for your situation.

Is testing required?

- Each year, use a nationally norm-referenced test agreed with the superintendent. Keep results; routine score submission is not required.
- Scores at/below the 30th percentile or a one-grade-level lag require further evaluation for learning difficulties. State-recognized homeschool accreditation can exempt testing.

How Faith Schooling Makes It Easier

- [Faith Readers](#) supports K–5 reading and phonics; [Grammar Garden](#) supports language and writing; [Building Number Sense](#) provides K–5 mathematics.
- Add fine arts, science, history, geography, government, health, and PE. Practice pages help you monitor learning; arrange the separate nationally normed test required for your homeschool.

Official sources — click the underlined links

[Official homeschool guidance](#)

[Minnesota qualifications, subjects, and testing](#)



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