

Notification to Parent(s)/Guardian(s)

[To be given at least five days before the unit of instruction begins.]

Date:

Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

A unit of instruction on recognizing and avoiding sexual abuse will be presented during your child's _____ [grade or class] class on _____, 20__.

The Illinois *School Code* provides that no student shall be required to take or participate in any unit of instruction on recognizing and avoiding sexual abuse if the student's parent or guardian submits written objection thereto. If such a written objection is submitted, the student's refusal to take or participate in the unit of instruction will not be reason for failing, suspending or expelling the student.

If you would like to request that your child not participate in the unit of instruction on recognizing and avoiding sexual abuse, you should submit a written waiver request to the Building Principal on or before _____, 20__. If a written waiver request is not submitted by that date, I will assume that your child will participate in class as usual.

Sincerely,