

**HUMAN GROWTH & DEVELOPMENT
(HUMAN SEXUALITY)
EXEMPTION FORM**

The State of Iowa requires education in Human Growth and Development. While education of children in human growth, development, and sexuality is an essential aspect of God's creation as outlined in Vatican documents and through texts and programs approved by them, it is a parent's right to reserve such education to themselves and their children. _____ uses the Diocesan approved Harcourt Religion series entitled Growing in Love. Parents may view the age appropriate texts and suggested parent materials used by calling the guidance office. Parents objecting to the school teaching the above topics to their children will be required to fill out this form each year they wish the exemption to apply.

I wish my son/daughter _____ to be exempted from lessons during the time sexuality is being taught for the following specific reason(s):

Parent signature

Date

Guidance Counselor signature

Principal signature

**COMMUNICABLE DISEASES
EXEMPTION FORM**

The State of Iowa requires education in the area of communicable diseases. _____ uses the materials AIDS: A Catholic Approach to HIV published by the National Catholic Education Association. Parents may view the age appropriate materials used by the guidance counselor by calling the guidance office. Parents objecting to the school teaching the above topics to their children will be required to fill out this form each year they wish the exemption to apply.

I wish my son/daughter _____ to be exempted from lessons during the time communicable diseases is being taught for the following specific reason(s).

Parent signature

Date

Guidance Counselor signature

Principal signature

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