



Sequim School District No. 323

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Highly Capable Program Appeals Form

In compliance with Washington State rules for Highly Capable Programs, Sequim School District has an appeals process. (WAC 392-170-047) Please include reasons for your appeal and any supporting documentation.

This form must be turned in to the Highly Capable Program Coordinator at Sequim Middle School or the District Office by 4:00 pm on May 21.

The appeals form will be reviewed by the Multidisciplinary Selection Committee in a timely manner. The decision will be communicated in writing to parents/guardians. The decision of the District Selection Committee is final.

Student name _____

Grade _____ School _____

Please be aware that appeals **must** be based upon one of the following conditions:

1. A condition or circumstance believed to have caused a misinterpretation of the testing results, (for example, an incorrect birthdate or grade level used in calculation of the student's score)
2. An extraordinary circumstance occurred during the testing period that may negatively affect the validity of the test results (such as a death in the family or extreme physical ailment) this must be communicated to this office in writing within two weeks of the final test date.
3. The suspicion of an error in the administration of the assessment.
4. A misapplication or miscalculation of the scores by the selection committee.

The deadline for submission of appeals for testing that took place in March is 4 pm, May 21. New information, along with the student's original scores, will be considered by the Multidisciplinary Selection Committee and the appeals decision will be sent to you by **June 1**. Further information regarding the appeals process will be included in the letter containing your child's test results and eligibility notification. The decision of the Multidisciplinary Selection Committee is final.

Reason for appeal:

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

Date _____

If you have questions, please contact the Coordinator.

Thank you,

Jodi Olson

Coordinator, Highly Capable Program

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