



## Standardized Testing Exemption Form

Program statutes for the Florida Tax Credit and Family Empowerment Scholarship programs require that scholarship students in grades 3-10 and all PEP students take a nationally norm-referenced test identified by the Department of Education, or a statewide assessment under s. [1008.22](#), F.S.

However, students with disabilities for whom testing is not appropriate are exempt from this requirement. If testing is not appropriate for your student because of a disability, please complete the fields below and submit this to Step Up For Students.

My student, Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_, has a diagnosed disability and is a student for whom standardize testing is not appropriate as determined by either (complete one):

- A current Individualized Education Plan (IEP), less than three years old from the date of issue
  - Issuing State: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Issuing County: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Date of Issue: \_\_\_\_\_

— OR —

- A diagnosed disability from a licensed physician or psychologist
  - State of diagnosing physician: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Diagnosing physician: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Date of diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_

**I certify that the above information is true and accurate and that my student is exempt from standardized testing requirements under state law. I understand that any misrepresentation of this exemption may result in the loss of my student's scholarship eligibility, loss of scholarship funds, and possible legal or financial penalties.**

Parent or Guardian Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_