

Introducing the New Online System for Home Study Application and Nonpublic School Registration

Easy Online System for Families!



Each year, over 18,000+ Louisiana families choose to independently provide an excellent education to their children in either an approved Home Study program or a Registered Nonpublic School.

Starting May 1st, the Louisiana Department of Education (LDE) will provide home study families and registered nonpublic schools with a *simple, user-friendly, online application and registration system*. This online system will be located on the LDE's website.*



New Online System Features:

- Easy online forms that request the same information/documentation as the previous paper-based documents
- Automatic e-mail confirming that you submitted an application/registration
- Significantly reduced wait-time to hear back about your application's status
- Approval letters e-mailed directly to you!

Additional resources are available on the LDE's website for families to learn more about this new online system. These resources include:

- **An FAQ about the new Home Study/Registered Nonpublic School Online System**
- **Information on how families may participate in optional "Office Hours"**

*LDE's Home Study Website: <http://www.louisianabelieves.com/schools/home-study>

**The LDE will still accept paper applications for families without internet access

***If you have any questions, please contact the LDE's toll free number at 1.877.453.2721

