

Pursuant to R.S. 17:416.1 as amended by Act 268 of the 2023 Louisiana Regular Session:

“The use of any form of corporal punishment is prohibited in any public school unless the student's parent or legal guardian provides written consent for the use of corporal punishment in a document created by the state Department of Education solely for such purpose. Such consent applies only to the school year in which it is given. No form of corporal punishment shall be administered to a student with an exceptionality as defined in R.S. 17:1942 or to a student who has been determined to be eligible for services under Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and has an Individual Accommodation Plan. However, the parent or legal guardian of a student who is gifted and talented and has no other exceptionality may authorize the use of corporal punishment as otherwise provided by this Paragraph.”

This form may be completed by a parent or guardian to provide consent for the administration of corporal punishment during the current school year.

PARENT / GUARDIAN CONSENT

I _____ (parent’s name) provide consent for the _____
(school system) to administer corporal punishment to my child _____ (child’s name).

Signed: _____

Phone number: _____

Email Address: _____

Date: _____