

Elk Island Public Schools  
**Student Exemption Form**



Under Section 58.1.1 of the *Education Act*

**To: Principal/Teacher of** \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of school)

In response to the notice provided to me by Elk Island Public Schools on \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

indicating *Gideon Bibles* will be distributed to the Grade 5 class on \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

I provide the following exemption notification:

As this distribution deals primarily and explicitly with religion, I, \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of parent/legal guardian)

in accordance with Section 58.1 of the *School Act*, hereby request that my child,

\_\_\_\_\_ be excluded from this distribution.  
(name of child)

I confirm I am the legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ and have chosen to exercise my  
(name of child)

option to have my child excluded from the *Gideon Bible* distribution described in the notice from

\_\_\_\_\_  
(name of school)

on the dates indicated in the notice. I also confirm that it is my obligation to ensure this form is returned to the school principal or teacher on or before the date indicated in the notice.

**The child to whom this exemption notice applies is:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Grade:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(name of child)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Legal Guardian Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Independent Student Date

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