

Veazie Community School

1040 School Street Veazie, ME 04401
(207)947-6573 / FAX(207)947-6570

Superintendent & Principal, Timothy Tweedie



The parents/guardians of the student(s) named below have chosen to exercise their right to exclude their child(ren) from the administration of the Maine Educational Assessment, and should not be tested. School staff has met with them to discuss the risks involved to the student, school, and school district. Veazie Community School will keep this documentation on file for our local, state, and ESEA/ ESSA audits.

Parent Section

Student Name(s): _____

Assessment: MEA ELA, Math (gr. 3-8) and Science (gr. 5 & 8), ACCESS/WIDA

___ I understand that a child who does not take an assessment has less data available by which teachers and schools can plan instruction and identify students for special programming (e.g., Title I programming, Chapter 104 programming).

___ I understand that if a very small number of students do not take the state-mandated assessment, penalties occur to the school and school district regardless of how well the other students perform. These penalties can include immediate loss of a school "letter grade" (e.g., from B to C) or identification as a school in need of improvement that is obligated to undergo a state-directed change process.

___ My child(ren) was given the opportunity to participate in the Maine Educational Assessment.

___ Veazie Community School staff have made efforts to educate me and answer my questions about the Maine Educational Assessment.

I wish to exercise my right to exclude my child(ren) from the administration of this year's Maine Educational Assessment for the following reason(s):

Parent/Guardian Signature) _____ Date: _____

VCS Principal or Designee: _____ Date: _____

Copy Distribution: ESEA/ESSA Director, Principal, Student File, Parent (if requested)

www.veaziecs.org

"Small School, BIG Heart!"