

**INDIVIDUALIZED HOME INSTRUCTION PLAN (IHIP)  
FOR HOME SCHOOLING - GRADES 1-6 (ELEMENTARY SCHOOL)**

School Year: 20\_\_\_\_ - 20\_\_\_\_      Grade: \_\_\_\_\_      Date \_\_\_\_\_

Student \_\_\_\_\_      Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Home School Instructor(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Quarterly Report Dates will be submitted as follows:

1<sup>st</sup> quarter: \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> quarter: \_\_\_\_\_

3<sup>rd</sup> quarter: \_\_\_\_\_

4<sup>th</sup> quarter: \_\_\_\_\_

Annual Assessment (check one)

*(Plan must be submitted by the 3rd quarter)*

Written Narrative \_\_\_\_\_

Achievement Test \_\_\_\_\_

*Please describe the instructional plan for each required subject area, including a list of the syllabi, curriculum materials, and textbooks or Online programs to be used. A copy of the scope and sequence, or table of contents from a textbook, or description of the online program may be used if it describes the content that will be taught. Additional sheets may be attached.*

**English/Language Arts:** (including Reading, Writing, and Spelling)

*Approximately 400 hours per year*

**Arithmetic:**

*Approximately 100 hours per year*

**Science:**

*Approximately 100 hours per year*

**Geography and History:**

*Approximately 200 hours per year*

*(over)*

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**Student** \_\_\_\_\_

**Health:**

*Approximately 25 hours per year*

**Music:**

*Approximately 25 hours per year*

**Visual Arts:**

*Approximately 25 hours per year*

**Physical Education:**

*Approximately 25 hours per year*

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***Please Note:***

- 1) The substantial equivalent of 180 days of instruction shall be provided each school year. The cumulative hours of instruction for grades 1 through 6 is 900 hours per year or 225 hours per quarter.
- 2) Education Law requires the following subjects to be covered during grades K - 12: Patriotism & Citizenship; Health Education on Alcohol, Drug and Tobacco Misuse; Highway Safety & Traffic Regulations, including Bicycle Safety; and Fire & Arson Prevention and Safety.
- 3) The following courses shall be taught at least once during the first eight grades: US History, NYS History, and the Constitutions of the US and NY State.
- 4) Although some subjects may be taught in integrated fashion (e.g. Health/Science), the IHIP must show content taught for each.
- 5) Bilingual Education or English as a Second Language should be provided where a need is indicated.

*This **sample** IHIP form (for Grades 1-6) was prepared by Janell Hallgren, of the Erie 1 BOCES Home School Monitoring Service. Developed May 2017; Updated Sept. 2020*