PARENT CONSENT AND WAIVER FOR CHILD 16 OR OLDER TO BE EXEMPT FROM COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE REQUIREMENTS.

I, ___(Name of Parent(s) or Person Acting As Parent)___, understand that pursuant to Kansas law, (Name of Student) is required to attend school until he/she receives a high school diploma or general educational development (GED) credential or reaches the age of 18, whichever occurs first.

Pursuant to K.S.A. 72-1111, as amended, Unified School District No. 284 encourages ___(Name of Student)___to remain in school or to pursue an education alternative.

The academic skills listed below have not been achieved by ____(Name of Student)___:

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Based on ___(Source of Information)_____the difference in future earning power between a high school graduate and a high school drop out is _____.

___Name of Student)___ is encouraged to attend one of the following alternative education programs:

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I (we) the undersigned hereby give written consent to allow___Name of Student___ ,who is [16] [17] years of age, to be exempt from the Kansas compulsory attendance requirement and state we have attended the final counseling session conducted by USD No. ___ in which the above information was presented to us.

_____	_____
Signature of Student	Signature of Parent(s) or Person Acting as Parent
_____	_____
Date	Date