

Dickson County Schools

Release Option Substitution Form

Date: _____

In extreme cases students may opt out of the foreign language (2 credits) and/or fine art (1 credit) graduation requirements. Students choosing this option will be required to substitute and successfully complete that same number of credits in the chosen elective focus area. When a parent allows the choice of this substitution option, he or she understands his or her daughter will not be able to enroll in a Board of Regents or a University of Tennessee system university. The community college option is available, but may require students to make up the deficiency at the community college before transferring to a four year Board of Regents or a University of Tennessee system university. Beginning fall 2009 twenty-two (22) credits will be required for graduation in the state of Tennessee.

Student's Name: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

Date of Birth: _____ Check One: _____CWHS _____DCHS

_____ Release from two (2) units of foreign language Parent Initials: _____ Student Initials: _____

_____ Release from one (1) unit of fine art Parent Initials: _____ Student Initials: _____

I/we understand since my son or daughter is being released from the above graduation requirements, he or she must substitute that same number of credits into his or her chosen elective focus area. The elective focus area from which the substituted credits will be chosen is checked below.

_____ STEM Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics

_____ Humanities English, Foreign Language, and Social Studies

_____ Fine Arts Visual Art, Performing Art, Instrumental, and Choral Music

_____ CTE Career and Technical Education

Signatures

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Counselor Signature: _____ Date: _____

Principal/Designee Signature: _____ Date: _____