

## **Erin's Law Education Opt-Out Form**

## Sign & Return ONLY if opting out

Ohio's 134th General Assembly enacted Senate Bill 288 which updated the prescribed curriculum for health education, adding requirements related to child sexual abuse prevention, dating violence prevention and sexual violence prevention. The <u>law</u> includes requirements for student instruction, parent and legal guardian notification and training for school personnel.

- Beginning in the 2023-2024 school year, schools are required to provide developmentally appropriate instruction in child sexual abuse prevention to students in grades kindergarten through six.
- Beginning in the 2023-2024 school year, schools are required to provide developmentally appropriate instruction in dating violence prevention education and sexual violence prevention education to students in grades seven through twelve.
- Upon written request of the student's parent or guardian, a student shall be excused from taking instruction in child sexual abuse prevention.

<b>OPT OUT:</b> As parent/legal guardian of <b>(student name)</b> , request to have my child be excused from taking instruction regarding Erin's Law education.
Student Grade:
Parent/Legal Guardian Name (Print):
Parent/Legal Guardian Signature:
Email:
Phone:
Address:

If opted out, a student's "opt out" status remains active through the 2023-2024 school year.