

**MIDDLE SCHOOL OPT OUT FORM 2016-17**  
*(Please submit two weeks prior to Testing Window;  
turn in to your child's school administration office)*

Complete the following information. Please print clearly.

<b>Student Name</b>	
<b>Student ID Number</b>	
<b>Grade Level</b>	
<b>School Name</b>	

I have read the APS Parents' Guide to Required Assessments for Middle School Students, the APS Opt Out FAQ for Middle Schools, and I am requesting my student **not** participate in the following required testing for 2016-17.

*Check the appropriate assessments from which you are opting out your child:*

- PARCC** (English and Math achievement assessment for grades 6-8; used for school grades & teacher evaluation)
- Standards-Based Assessment Science** (for grade 7; used for school grades & teacher evaluation)
- NMAPA** (PARCC & SBA Science Alternative assessment for Special Education Students)
- End of Course Exam** (for grades 6-8; used for teacher evaluation) **Mark the specific EoC on the following page.**
- Reading Interim Assessment** (English Language Arts interim assessment for grades 6-8; used to inform classroom instruction based on classroom curriculum)
- Math Interim Assessment** (for grades 6-8; used to inform classroom instruction based on classroom curriculum)

By signing below you are confirming that you have read or discussed with an APS representative the possible consequence that opting out of testing may have for your student, your student's teacher and your student's school.

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Parent Signature Date

## End of Course Exams for Middle School

*Check the EOCs from which you are opting out your child:*

6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	7 <sup>th</sup> Grade	8 <sup>th</sup> Grade
<input type="checkbox"/> Art	<input type="checkbox"/> Art	<input type="checkbox"/> Algebra I
<input type="checkbox"/> Family and Consumer Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Family and Consumer Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Art
<input type="checkbox"/> Keyboarding	<input type="checkbox"/> Keyboarding	<input type="checkbox"/> Family and Consumer Science
<input type="checkbox"/> Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Music	<input type="checkbox"/> Keyboarding
<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Education	<input type="checkbox"/> Music
<input type="checkbox"/> Science	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies	<input type="checkbox"/> Physical Education
<input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies		<input type="checkbox"/> Science
		<input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies

**Please return to your child's school.**