



### Rosewood Elementary Media Hours

9:15am Media Center Opens

9:10am- 12:00pm Librarian is available

12:00pm – 12:30pm Staff covers while Librarian is at lunch

12:30pm – 3:55pm Librarian is available

4:00pm Media Center Closes

X *Nate Hutchings*

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Nate Hutchings

Principal Rosewood Elementary

# SCHOOL SITE STATUTORY WAIVER/DEREGULATION APPLICATION

## for 20 22 – 20 23 school year

Tulsa COUNTY Broken Arrow SCHOOL DISTRICT

701 S Main St SCHOOL DISTRICT MAILING ADDRESS Broken Arrow CITY 74012 ZIP CODE

Rosewood Elementary NAME OF SITE

*Nate Hutchings* PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE\* Digitally signed by Nate Hutchings  
Date: 2022.08.11 13:49:04 -05'00' 08/11/2022 DATE

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PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE\* DATE

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PRINCIPAL SIGNATURE\* DATE

Chuck Perry SUPERINTENDENT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)

cperry@baschools.org SUPERINTENDENT E-MAIL ADDRESS

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SUPERINTENDENT SIGNATURE\* DATE

I hereby certify that this waiver/deregulation application was approved by our local board of education at the meeting on \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_

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BOARD PRESIDENT SIGNATURE\*

**NOTARY SEAL →**

\_\_\_\_\_  
NOTARY DATE

\_\_\_\_\_  
COMMISSION EXPIRATION DATE

**Statute/Oklahoma Administrative Code to be Waived:**  
(specify statute or OAC (deregulation) number: (see instructions))

\*Original signatures are required. The attached questionnaire must be answered to process.\*\*

**THE WAIVER/DEREGUALTION IS REQUESTED FOR:**

One Year Only  
 Three Years\*

\*Please see instruction page for additional requirements for a three year request

**SDE USE ONLY**

**PROJECT YEARS**  
\_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

**ENROLLMENT**

\_\_\_\_\_ High School  
\_\_\_\_\_ Jr./Middle High  
\_\_\_\_\_ Elementary  
0 District Total

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE RECEIVED

**70 O.S.** \_\_\_\_\_

OAC \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
NAME OF WAIVER

- A. Reason for the Deregulation request. Please include circumstances which necessitate changing the standard of library services for your size of school, what alternative means will have to be employed if your waiver was to be denied?

Broken Arrow Public Schools is requesting a Statutory Waiver/Deregulation of OAC 210:35-5-71 Library Media Services for Rosewood Elementary regarding media center staffing. Due to public school funding constraints, we request to employ one full-time certified library media specialist with no assistant.

- B. List alternate strategies/plans which the site proposes, and how this plan will best serve the students of your district, i.e., a description of the educational benefits to the students and learning achievement and any negative impact if the waiver were to be denied.

BAPS/Rosewood Elementary is committed to serving our students with library media services that enhance student achievement and reading literacy. The Rosewood Media Center's schedule has been set up for the certified media specialist to maximize time focused on student literacy. In order for the library media specialist to promote an appreciation of literature and the life-long enjoyment of reading, we will utilize office staff, 5th grade student leaders, PTA volunteers, and community partners to perform the most routine duties that would have been expected from a library assistant. These duties include shelving books, making book tags, helping students with appropriate book choices, and book check-in and check-out. Should the waiver be denied, funding from various programs supporting literacy, RTI, instruction and diverse student needs would likely be pulled to fund the assistant salary.

- C. Has this deregulation been awarded before? If so what was the educational impact to the district: Results of the Deregulation, i.e., effect on student performance levels, impact of plan on other sites in the district. If not what do you expect?

Yes. Rosewood Elementary was awarded this deregulation the past two years. Student performance did not suffer due to the elimination of the library assistant position. Scores on OSTP, STAR, Literacy Now, NSGRA, RSA, and formative assessments continued to show progress with literacy skills and were on target with that was expected. Since many sites in the district are requesting this deregulation, any impact would be equal across the district.

- D. Timeline: Please submit class schedule, calendars, assessment forms and other attachments as necessary.

The media center schedule will not change and students will have access to all resources as needed. The media center operation schedule for Rosewood Elementary is attached.

- E. Any financial impact to the District (positive or negative) for the proposed deregulation? If positive please describe where the available would be reallocated.

Past deregulation of library media services has allowed Broken Arrow Public Schools to utilize the salary of the eliminated library assistant to fund positions and instructional programs deemed more vital to student learning and achievement.

- F. Describe method of assessment or evaluation of effectiveness of the plan both for staff and students, I.E. TLE, ACT scores, graduation rates, RSA, School Report Card, etc.

The certified media specialist will continue to be evaluated utilizing the district's TLE model and will be held to a standard of effective or higher. RSA, OSTP, STAR, Literacy Now, NSGRA, and formative assessments scores will be monitored to assure that student achievement levels do not suffer as a result of the deregulation.

\*\* You will be contacted if more information is needed to process this request.