

State of Maine  
Department of Education

Gifted and Talented Educational Program  
Application for One-Year Waiver  
2018-19

Gifted and Talented Educational Program Waiver Applications are to be submitted electronically to [GT.DOE@maine.gov](mailto:GT.DOE@maine.gov) by **September 30, 2018**.

School administrative unit name:

Name and title of person responsible for gifted and talented program:

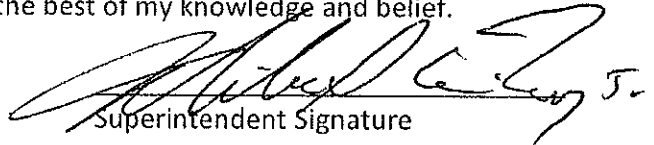
Phone number:

Email address:

**CERTIFICATION:**

The statements made herein are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Superintendent Name(printed)

  
Superintendent Signature

Date Waiver Application Submitted to Maine DOE:

Check Reason(s) for Waiver Request:

Financial Hardship

Other - *staffing*

Partial Program Waiver Request

Full Program Waiver Request

Please completely describe the basis for the SAU's one-year waiver request and further describe how the SAU is meeting the needs of the gifted and talented population in your district (Use as much space as necessary):

We continue to struggle to find adequate personnel to run such a program.

We continue to have a shortfall annually with continued shift in local share required to fund the overall school district budget. The state share continues to proportionately decrease, allowing very little resources for said programming.

We continue to prioritize in class differentiation and specialized instruction for students performing above grade level.

**FOR INFORMATION CONTACT:**  
GT.DOE@maine.gov

**RETURN BY EMAIL TO:**

EF-S-206  
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**DUE DATE: September 30, 2018**

Maine DOE Approval: 

Date of Approval: 10/12/18