



A Cage Free Voices Initiative

Homeschool Requirements & Eligibility

✓ States Matching CFV Model (Easy R.I.S.E Prep Eligibility)

These 18 states mirror CFV's model (annual notice, teaching hours, core subjects, testing every few years):

- Arkansas
- Colorado (notice + standardized testing from grade 3 biennially)
- Georgia
- Kansas (186 days per year)

- Kentucky (185 days per year)
- Louisiana
- Mississippi
- Montana
- Nebraska
- New Mexico
- South Dakota
- Tennessee
- Utah
- Wisconsin
- Alabama
- Florida
- Delaware
- Maryland

Parents from these states can seamlessly enroll in CFV-E, as our CFV-E-based structure meets or exceeds state expectations.

Other States (Can Enroll, But Review State-Specific Steps)

These states have fewer regulations or different core requirements but still allow homeschooling:

- Texas, Alaska, Oklahoma, Iowa, etc.—allow homeschooling with minimal oversight beyond public-school withdrawal and core-subject teaching requirements.
- California, Vermont, Virginia, etc.—require annual notices, curriculum outlines, or parent qualifications—may need supplemental steps.



Homeschool Registration Steps by State

Step	All States (General)	Matching States (18)	Other States
1	Withdraw child from public school via letter/email	✓ Required	✓ Required
2	File annual notice/affidavit (soon after start or by Sept 1)	✓ Same as CFV-R.I.S.E Prep	May vary—some require once, others annually
3	Teach core subjects: Reading, ELA, Math, Science, Social Studies	✓ Same as CFV-R.I.S.E Prep	Ensure state subject requirements
4	Schedule 180 days / ~900 hours per year	✓ matches CFV-R.I.S.E Prep	Some require specific hours/days; others don't
5	Administer testing/assessment (3rd grade onward)	✓ Yes	Varies: some require yearly testing; some none

6	Keep attendance and recordkeeping	✓ Monthly attendance; retain records	Check if state requires submission or only retention
7	Report test scores/portfolio to district/state per timeline	✓ Submit standardized test every 3 yrs in grades 3+	Depends on state—some only retentions
8	Renew notice/affidavit annually	✓ By September 1	Varies; confirm state cycle

Example: Enrolling from Tennessee (Matches CFV-E Model)

1. Withdraw child from public school.
2. File Notice of Intent with Director of Schools.
3. Plan to teach 180 days × 4.5 hours/day.
4. Cover core subjects aligned with Common Core/NGSS.
5. Keep attendance and annual chart hours.
6. Administer a standardized test in grades 5, 7, 9.
7. Submit results and keep on record.
8. Renew notice each year.

Minimum Parent-To-Do Checklist (All 50 States)

1. Withdraw your child.
2. Submit notice/affidavit if required.
3. Teach core subjects through CFV-E's virtual classes.
4. Meet state day/hour requirements (CFV-E covers 180 days/900 hrs).
5. Administer testing per state timeline.
6. Maintain records (attendance, test results, progress).
7. Renew or re-file notice annually as needed.

✓ Final Notes

- If you're in one of the 18 matching states, CFV- RISE is a plug-and-play option—no extra compliance required.
- If you're in a state with minimal or unique mandates, just follow the steps above—our structure covers most demands.
- Always verify requirements on your state DOE website or via HSLDA.