Home Study Program - Employment Certificate

Effective July 1, 2015

Pursuant to HB 283 (2013) and HB 366 (2015), the Georgia Department of Labor (GDOL) is initiating the following procedure for students between the ages of 14 and 15 years and who are participants of a Home Study Program. All applications must be completed online, [https://dol.georgia.gov/get-youth-work-permit-online](https://dol.georgia.gov/get-youth-work-permit-online) and required documents (as shown in #2 below) must be submitted to GDOL electronically by email to childlabor@gdol.ga.gov (for the Employment Certification for Minors Under 16).

**Effective July 1, 2015, with the exception of minors employed in entertainment, work permits are only required for minors aged 15 years and younger.**

1. Parent(s)/guardian or Minor completes Section A and Employer completes Section B of the online Employment Certification for Minors Under Age 16. This online certification form must be completed fully online, but will not be processed until GDOL receives the documents requested in paragraph 2.

2. Parent/guardian submits to GDOL a copy of the following:
   - The Minor Security Key (received after the minor portion of the work permit is completed by the parent or guardian)
   - Certified birth certificate of the minor child; and either
     - Department of Education Declaration of Intent to Utilize a Home Study Program; or
     - GDOL Home Study Program Students - Declaration for Employment Certificate form (see page 2 of this document)

3. GDOL will review all submitted documents for compliance. If the submitted documents are approved, GDOL will:
   - Complete Section C of the online Work Permit; and
   - Provide parent with a completed copy of the Work Permit via email

4. Documents required must be:
   - Emailed to childlabor@gdol.ga.gov
Home Study Program - Declaration for Employment Certificate

Names of Student(s) Applying for Employment Certificate

Student’s Name: ________________________________
Street Address: _____________________________ City/State/Zip: __________________
Last 4 digits of Social Security Number:__________ Date of Birth ________________

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Guardian or Parent Affirmation

I, the undersigned, hereby affirm, by checking the items below, that:

_____ the above named child (ren) are presently participating in a full time home study program as set forth in the Georgia Code.

_____ I am the (circle one) parent or lawful guardian of the above named child(ren).

_____ the date of birth of the child(ren) is true and correct as shown on this document and Section A of the Employment Certificate for Minors Under Age 16.

I hereby certify that the above information is true and correct. False certification is a violation of O.C.G.A. § 34-2-13 and you may be further subject to other state and federal penalties.

Signature: ________________________________
Date: ________________________________
Print Name: ________________________________
Address: ________________________________
City/State/Zip: ________________________________
County: ________________________________
Email Address: ________________________________
Phone Number: ________________________________