

## 2020 Non-Public School Compliance Report

This Compliance Report is used by the Tennessee Department of Education (department) in the annual process of inspecting, approving, and classifying non-public schools that have requested category I and I-SP designation. Schools requesting ongoing approval as category I and I-SP non-public schools must confirm they are complying with the standards used for the approval and classification of public schools, The Tennessee State Board of Education Rule 0520-01-03. If there are any areas of non-compliance, the school must report those areas and provide a plan to come into compliance.

All category I non-public schools must complete and submit this form on or before **Dec. 15, 2020**.

**RETURN COMPLETED FORM VIA EMAIL TO:**

**DUE DATE: Dec. 15, 2020**

Tennessee Department of Education Division  
of Federal Programs and Oversight  
[Private.Schools@tn.gov](mailto:Private.Schools@tn.gov)

\_\_\_\_\_ (school name), has requested that the Tennessee Department of Education inspect, approve, and classify the school as a category I non-public school. T.C.A. § 49-1-201(c)(19) requires "that the same standards as are used for the approval and classification of the public schools shall be used for such inspection, approval and classification." \_\_\_\_\_ (school name) has carefully reviewed the status of compliance with the above referenced standards prior to execution of this Compliance Report.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (name and title), certify that, except for those items listed in the attached document which includes a compliance plan for each item, \_\_\_\_\_ (school name) is in compliance with the standards used for the approval and classification of public schools.

Area of Non-Compliance Form is attached:      Yes       No

Non-Public School Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Director Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Director Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Board Approval: \_\_\_\_\_

Board Chair Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Board Chair Signature: \_\_\_\_\_



For your convenience, the following is a list of helpful links to various state education laws and SBE rules available online.

Public chapters regarding education passed during the 2018 legislative session:

[https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/education/legal/legal\\_legislative\\_report\\_2018.pdf](https://www.tn.gov/content/dam/tn/education/legal/legal_legislative_report_2018.pdf)

Current and pending State Board of Education (SBE) rules:

<https://www.tn.gov/sbe/rules--policies-and-guidance/rules.html>

State Board of Education (SBE) frequently asked questions:

<https://www.tn.gov/sbe/about-us/frequently-asked-questions.html>

Tennessee Code Annotated:

<http://www.lexisnexis.com/hottopics/tncode/>

If you have questions regarding applicable laws or State Board of Education (SBE) rules, please contact the department's Deputy General Counsel, Lee Danley at (615) 253-1550 or [Lee.Danley@tn.gov](mailto:Lee.Danley@tn.gov).

## Areas of Non-Compliance Form

<b>AREA(S) OF NONCOMPLIANCE:</b>	<b>PLAN FOR COMPLIANCE:</b>