Connecticut Department of Children and Families

NOTIFICATION REGARDING CHILD'S CONTINUED ATTENDANCE IN SCHOOL OF ORIGIN

DCF-604
7/2016 (Rev.)

Date:	Child's Last Name:	Child's First Name:	LINK #:

Pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. §17a-16a, please be advised that on or about ,

was placed in out-of-home care by the Department of Children and

Families (DCF).
This letter is to inform you that:

1. DCF has determined that it is in the best interests of the child to:

   ◯ remain in his or her school of origin.

   ◯ be removed from his or her school of origin.

2. DCF's decision is based on the following factors ***(****Explain why the decision is in the best interests of the child. The explanation should address such factors as the child's wishes; safety considerations; likelihood of reunification; travel distance; connections to new or old school; proximity to natural school transition point; child's school performance; child's age; child's mental and physical health; stated positions of child's attorney, GAL, parents and surrogate parent; and any other factor that influenced the decision****)***:

3. If you disagree with this decision you may request a hearing by notifying the DCF Administrative Hearings Unit, 505 Hudson Street, Hartford, CT 06106 by mail, fax (860-560-7086) or e-mail dcf.ahu@ct.gov within three business days of receipt of this notice.

4. The child will remain in his or her school of origin until the time for requesting a hearing has passed or the disagreement is resolved, whichever is sooner.

If you have any questions, please contact:

Social Worker:	Phone Number:	Email:

cc: , Mother's attorney
, Father's attorney,
, Child's attorney and/or Guardian ad litem (email this notice to Pubdefdcfkids@jud.ct.gov)
, Child's Surrogate Parent
Administrative Hearings Unit