

**IRISH EXEMPTIONS APPEAL FORM (PRIMARY)**  
**Circular 0052/2019**

Name of pupil	
Date of birth	
Name of school	
School address	
School roll number	
Name of Appellant	
Relationship to student	
Address of Appellant	
Email of Appellant	

Please indicate (✓) the sub-paragraph in Circular 0052/2019 on which the application to the school was based.

**2.2a: pupils whose education up to 12 years of age (or up to and including the final year of their primary education) was received outside the state and where they did not have opportunity to engage in the study of Irish.**

**2.2b: pupils who were previously enrolled as recognised pupils in primary school who are being re-enrolled after a period spent abroad, provided that at least three consecutive years have elapsed since the previous enrolment in the state and are at least 12 years of age on re-enrolment.**

**2.2c: pupils who present with significant and persistent learning difficulties and present with a Standardised Score in a discrete test at/below the 10th percentile in either Word Reading, Reading Comprehension or Spelling.**

**2.2d: children of foreigners who are diplomatic or consular representatives in Ireland.**

**Date of application to the school for an exemption from the study of Irish:**

**Date of written confirmation of the school's decision not to grant an exemption:**

**Please state the rationale for this appeal emphasising where the school did not follow the process as outlined in Circular 0052/2019:**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return this Form to : Irish Exemption Appeals, Department of Education, Cornamaddy, Athlone, Co Westmeath**

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**Outcome of Appeal (For Official Use only) :**

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