



**4 Payment Information** (Check only one box. If none is checked, a check will be mailed to your address of record.)

**Pay to Account Owner by Check** (A check will be mailed to your address of record.)

**Pay to Account Owner by Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)** (Funds will be received by your bank in a few days.)

You may select this option only if your banking information has been on file for at least 30 days and it has been verified by your bank. Before selecting this option, you may call to confirm your bank account information.

- Your bank account will be credited separately for the contribution and earnings, if any, amounts withdrawn from **each** Investment Option. Depending upon the number of Investment Options you own, you could receive multiple deposits into your bank account.
- If you select this method but you do not have a bank account on file or if your bank account information has been added or changed within 30 days, a check will be mailed to your address of record.

**Pay to Eligible Educational Institution** (A check will be mailed to the institution designated below.)

Please confirm the mailing instructions with your school before submitting this form for payment and provide a student ID, if required by the school. **Note:** Payments for qualified expenses for a foreign Eligible Educational Institution will be paid directly to the Account Owner.

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Eligible Educational Institution Name (School)

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Student Name, ID or other Identifying Information (This information will appear on both the mailing address and on the check.)

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School Mailing Address (Line 1)

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School Mailing Address (Line 2)

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School City, State, Zip

**5 Signature and Certification** (Sign this section or the transaction cannot be processed.)

**By signing below,** I certify that the information contained in this Form, and in any required documentation, is true, complete and correct. I authorize a withdrawal from my Account based on this information. I understand and agree to all terms as presented here and in the *Withdrawal Guidelines* that accompany this Form.

**If this withdrawal is for Qualified Higher Education Expenses,** I further certify that the requested withdrawal represents qualified higher education expenses for the enrollment or attendance of my Beneficiary at an Eligible Educational Institution. To the best of my knowledge, no other request has been previously submitted to this Plan, or to any other Qualified Tuition Program, for reimbursement or payment of this/these expenses by me or my Beneficiary.

**If I am participating in the Automatic Contribution Plan (ACP),** my participation in ACP will be cancelled if I have requested a withdrawal of my entire Account balance (in all Investment Options) but it will continue if I have only requested a partial withdrawal from my Account unless an *Electronic Banking Information Form* accompanies this form.

**If I am making contributions by payroll deduction,** I understand that my payroll contributions will continue into this Account, regardless of the amount withdrawn, unless I notify my employer to stop my payroll deduction, or I submit an updated *Payroll Deduction Form* to reallocate payroll contributions among my other Account(s), if any.

**I certify that I am the Account Owner, or I have the authority to act as the Account Owner.** (If I am an authorized representative of the Account Owner, including an Entity Account Owner, a medallion signature guarantee appears below.<sup>1</sup>) If I am withdrawing my entire account balance, I request the cancellation of my *Participation Agreement* and the closure of my Account.

*John A Sample*

*Nov. 2, 2009*

Signature of Account Owner, Custodian or Authorized Representative of an Individual or Entity Account Owner

Date

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

A medallion signature guarantee is required for all Entity Accounts and may be required if you are the Authorized Representative of an Individual Account, or if the address on the account has been changed within the past 30 days. You may be required to provide proof of your authority to act on behalf of this Account to your bank or broker before a medallion signature guarantee will be provided.

**Note:** A medallion signature guarantee is not required if a Plan Power of Attorney Form is on file for an Individual Account, or if a Plan Power of Attorney Form accompanies this form.

**GUARANTOR TO AFFIX STAMP HERE**

**Mail this form to:**

**Regular Mail**

(If needed, call for overnight mailing address.)

Kentucky Education Savings Plan Trust

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## Withdrawal Guidelines

You are not required to provide substantiation before the Plan will process this withdrawal request but it is your responsibility to substantiate withdrawals upon request of the IRS or any state or local taxing authority. You should retain receipts, invoices, relevant documents and any other information deemed adequate to substantiate that a particular expense is a qualified higher education expense or that a particular withdrawal was made on account of the death or disability of, or scholarship award to, the Beneficiary, or was due to the Beneficiary's attendance at a United States Military Academy.

If you intend to rollover funds into another Qualified Tuition Program, you must do so within 60 days of the date funds are redeemed from this Account.

**A discussion the tax implications, if any, of taking a withdrawal appears in the *Disclosure Booklet*, which is available by visiting [www.kysaves.com](http://www.kysaves.com) or calling 1-877-598-7878.**

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### ➤ Qualified Withdrawals

**Qualified expenses include** the costs of tuition, fees, books, supplies and equipment required for enrollment or attendance at an Eligible Educational Institution. Certain room and board expenses of a Beneficiary at an Eligible Educational Institution are also included, as described below.

**Non-qualified expenses include** commuting/travel expenses, clothing, incidental items, computer equipment and software *unless explicitly required* by the Eligible Educational Institution for the Beneficiary's course of study.<sup>3</sup>

**An Eligible Educational Institution** is generally an accredited postsecondary educational or vocational school that is eligible to participate in federal financial aid programs under Title IV of the Higher Education Act of 1965. Contact your school to determine if it is an Eligible Educational Institution.

**Room and board expenses** may be qualified if the Beneficiary is enrolled in a degree or certificate-program at least half-time. *For students living on campus in institutionally owned or operated housing*, the actual amount paid for room and board will be treated as a qualified expense. *For students living at home with parents and students not living in institutionally owned or operated housing*, the Eligible Educational Institution's "Cost of Attendance" allowance for federal financial aid purposes limits the amount of room and board that may be treated as a qualified expense. Contact your school directly for its "Cost of Attendance".

**Refunds** If an Eligible Educational Institution refunds any part of the Qualified Withdrawal to the Account Owner or Beneficiary, the earnings portion of the withdrawal may be considered a Non-Qualified Withdrawal unless:

- the refund is used for other Qualified Higher Education Expenses of the Beneficiary.
  - the refund was made due to the death or disability of, or receipt of a scholarship award by, the Beneficiary or was due to the Beneficiary's attendance at a United States Military Academy.
  - the refund is deposited as a contribution to a Qualified Tuition Program Account for a "member of the family" of the Beneficiary within 60 days of the withdrawal.
  - the refund was paid to the beneficiary of, or the estate of, the Beneficiary on or after the Beneficiary's death.
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### ➤ Non-Qualified Withdrawals

**Non-Qualified Withdrawals** are withdrawals that are not used to pay Qualified Higher Education Expenses and are not due to the death or disability of, or receipt of a scholarship award by, the Beneficiary nor due to the Beneficiary's attendance at a United States Military Academy; nor paid to the beneficiary of, or the estate of, the Beneficiary on or after the Beneficiary's death. You should consult the *Disclosure Booklet* about the federal and Kentucky tax consequences of taking a Non-Qualified Withdrawal.

**A note about Custodial Accounts (UGMA/UTMA):** Withdrawals from Custodial accounts must be for a purpose permissible under the Uniform Gifts to Minors Act (UGMA) or the Uniform Transfers to Minors Act (UTMA), respectively.

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### ➤ Other Withdrawals

**Other withdrawals** are withdrawals due to the death, disability of or scholarship award to the Beneficiary, or due to the Beneficiary's attendance at a United States Military Academy. You should consult the *Disclosure Booklet* about the federal and Kentucky tax consequences of taking a Non-Qualified Withdrawal.

**Keep all receipts and other documents to substantiate your expenses.**

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<sup>3</sup> The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 ("ARRA") expanded the definition of Qualified Higher Education Expenses to cover amounts paid in 2009 and 2010 for the purchase of computer equipment or software (other than software designed for sports, games or hobbies, unless such software is primarily educational in nature) or for internet access and related services. The purchased equipment, software or services must be used by the Beneficiary (including the Beneficiary's family) during any of the years that the Beneficiary is enrolled at an Eligible Educational Institution.