

KUMÔN®

FRANCHISE DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT

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The franchisee will operate an after-school center that provides math and reading programs using the Kumon Method of learning ("Kumon Center"). Children are given the opportunity to attend Kumon Centers twice each week throughout the year for approximately 20-30 minutes per subject and complete daily assignments at home on non-Center days.

The total investment necessary to begin operation of a Kumon Center franchise ranges from \$73,373 to \$154,825. This includes \$2,000 that you must pay to us. If you are applying for your first Kumon Center franchise, at the time that you sign the Training Agreement, you must pay us a deposit of \$500. If you successfully complete our Instructor Development Program and sign a Franchise Agreement, we will apply the deposit towards your franchise fee.

This disclosure document summarizes certain provisions of your franchise agreement and other information in plain English. Read this disclosure document and all accompanying agreements carefully. You must receive this disclosure document at least 14 calendar-days before you sign a binding agreement with, or make any payment to, us or our affiliates in connection with the proposed franchise sale or grant. Note, however, that no governmental agency has verified the information contained in this document.

You may wish to receive your disclosure document in another format that is more convenient for you. To discuss the availability of disclosures in different formats, contact our Franchise Recruitment and Development Department at 55 Challenger Road, Ridgefield Park, New Jersey, 07660, 201-928-0444.

The terms of your contract will govern your franchise relationship. Don't rely on the disclosure document alone to understand your contract. Read your entire contract carefully. Show your contract and this disclosure document to an advisor, like a lawyer or an accountant.

Buying a franchise is a complex investment. The information in this disclosure document can help you make up your mind. More information on franchising, such as "A Consumer's Guide to Buying a Franchise," which can help you understand how to use this disclosure document, is available from the Federal Trade Commission ("FTC"). You can contact the FTC by calling 1-877-FTC-HELP or by writing to the FTC at 600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, D.C. 20580. You can also visit the FTC's home page at www.ftc.gov for additional information. Call your state agency or visit your public library for other sources of information on franchising.

There may also be laws on franchising in your state. Ask your state agencies about them.

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STATE COVER PAGE

Your state may have a franchise law that requires us to register or file with a state administrator before offering or selling franchises in your state. REGISTRATION OF A FRANCHISE BY A STATE DOES NOT MEAN THAT THE STATE RECOMMENDS THE FRANCHISE OR HAS VERIFIED THE INFORMATION IN THIS DISCLOSURE DOCUMENT.

Call the state franchise administrator listed in Exhibit F for information about us or franchising in your state.

MANY FRANCHISE AGREEMENTS DO NOT ALLOW YOU TO RENEW UNCONDITIONALLY AFTER THE INITIAL TERM EXPIRES. YOU MAY HAVE TO SIGN A NEW AGREEMENT WITH DIFFERENT TERMS AND CONDITIONS IN ORDER TO CONTINUE TO OPERATE YOUR BUSINESS. BEFORE YOU BUY, CONSIDER WHAT RIGHTS YOU HAVE TO RENEW YOUR FRANCHISE, IF ANY, AND WHAT TERMS YOU MIGHT HAVE TO ACCEPT IN ORDER TO RENEW.

Please consider the following RISK FACTORS before you buy this franchise:

- 1. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT STATES THAT NEW JERSEY LAW GOVERNS THE AGREEMENT, AND THIS LAW MAY NOT PROVIDE THE SAME PROTECTIONS AS LOCAL LAW. YOU MAY WANT TO COMPARE THESE LAWS.
- 2. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT PERMITS YOU TO SUE US ONLY IN NEW JERSEY. (SIMILARLY, IF WE SUE YOU, WE MUST DO SO IN YOUR STATE.) OUT-OF- STATE LITIGATION MAY FORCE YOU TO ACCEPT A LESS FAVORABLE SETTLEMENT FOR DISPUTES. IT MAY ALSO COST MORE TO SUE KUMON IN NEW JERSEY THAN IN YOUR HOME STATE.
- 3. THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT PERMITS US TO CHANGE THE ROYALTY RATES OR DUE DATES ON AT LEAST 60 DAYS NOTICE. YOU HAVE THE RIGHT TO TERMINATE THE FRANCHISE AGREEMENT IF YOU ARE UNWILLING TO PAY ANY INCREASED ROYALTY.
- 4. THERE MAY BE OTHER RISKS CONCERNING THIS FRANCHISE.

Effective Date: See the next page for state effective dates.



STATE EFFECTIVE DATES

The following states require that the Franchise Disclosure Document be registered or filed with the state, or be exempt from registration: California, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, New York, North Dakota, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Virginia, Washington and Wisconsin.

This Franchise Disclosure Document is registered, on file or exempt from registration in the following states having franchise registration and disclosure laws, with the following effective dates:

California	Exempt
Hawaii	Pending
Illinois	Exempt
Indiana	Exempt
Maryland	Exemption Pending
Michigan	April 1, 2019
Minnesota	Pending
New York	Exempt
North Dakota	Exemption Pending
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Rhode Island	Exemption Pending
Rhode Island South Dakota	Exemption Pending April 2, 2019
South Dakota	April 2, 2019

In all other states that do not require registration, the effective date of this disclosure document is the issuance date of April 1, 2019.

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