

REQUEST FOR EXCUSED ABSENCE FOR EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY

The Gaston County Board of Education requires advanced permission for excused absences for educational purposes. In order to receive an excused absence for educational reasons, the intent of the experience should be educational in purpose. Family trips and vacations which are not designed to be educational will not be excused.

The principal may deny the request if the cumulative effect of the absences would substantially interfere with the education of the student. If the principal does not approve this request, you will be notified promptly.

As the parent/guardian of _____, I state
(Student's Name)
that the absence from school for _____ is an educational
(Dates)
opportunity that is of comparable value to my child's regular attendance in school.

(School)

(Grade)

(Signature of Parent/Guardian)

(Date)

Please briefly describe the educational opportunity: _____

Approved _____

Not Approved _____

Principal's Signature _____

Date _____

04/2011

Teachers Name
