



# Blue Springs Elementary

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## ABSENCE EXCUSE

Student absences are classified as excused or unexcused. Absences for the following reasons will be deemed excused with supporting documentation submitted within 3 school days:

Child's name \_\_\_\_\_  
was absent on (date) \_\_\_\_\_ due to

- \_\_\_\_\_ Personal Illness – limit of 5 days per semester without doctor's excuse
- \_\_\_\_\_ Hospitalization/ Medical or dental appointment
- \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency (approved by principal)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Death in immediate family
- \_\_\_\_\_ Court subpoena
- \_\_\_\_\_ Religious holiday (with prior written approval by principal)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Absence approved by principal

Parent Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Absences for reasons other than those listed above and for those lacking the appropriate supporting documentation will be deemed unexcused. Supporting documentation will not be accepted after 3 school days upon the student's return to school. Excessive absences from school may result in a loss of academic credit and/or a referral to legal authorities.