

DARRINGTON K - 8
PRE-ARRANGED ABSENCE SLIP

PARENTS:

Often times students are offered opportunities to participate in activities during school times which will be beneficial to them but which will cause them to miss school. We at the school do not want to discourage these activities, but we would like for you to consider the following:

1. If your student is failing or behind in his work, he/she should not be encouraged to take time away from school.
2. If he/she does take time from school, he should get all work completed in advance.
3. Ultimate responsibility for completion of work lies with the student, not the teacher.
4. Any work not completed will result in a failing grade for each day missed.
5. Days missed will be counted as absences for each teacher's attendance policy. The student should check with each teacher regarding his attendance and find out exactly how he stands in each class. An unforeseen sickness or emergency later during the semester may cause the student to miss more days than he planned, more days than the attendance policy allows.
6. Students who have history of missing several days during a semester should not be encouraged to take additional days off for any but imperative reasons.

We desire that our son/daughter _____

be excused from school on the following days: _____

for the following reasons: _____

Parent's Signature _____

STUDENTS: Check out with each of your teachers:

PERIOD:

TEACHER'S INITIAL

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

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