

RELEASE FOR RELIGIOUS INSTRUCTION

Subject to the approval of the school principal, a student may be excused from school to participate in religious instruction for not more than one class period each school day. Parents must submit written consent on the form, below, at a time period not in conflict with the academic program of the school.

Student's Name _____ Grade _____

School _____

School Year or Semester of Request _____ Date of Request _____

Time of Day when Student will be Absent from School:

From _____ a.m./p.m. to _____ a.m./p.m.

on _____ (Please specify day(s) of school week when release is requested.)

I, _____ (print name(s)), as parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of the above-named student, hereby request that he or she be granted release time from school. As parent(s) or legal guardian(s), I/we understand that the student may not receive academic credit for the time that the student is released from school. I/we further assume the responsibility for making certain that the student meets all academic requirements toward promotion and/or graduation and that this release time does not conflict with the academic program of the school. I/we assume all responsibility for transportation related to the release period and waive any claim against the Board and District arising from or relating acts or occurrences involving the student during the release period, including but not limited to tort claims and claims for failure to provide an appropriate instructional program.

This request for release time is for the following reason(s):

_____ Religious Instruction: I/we request that the above-named student be excused from school to participate in religious instruction for not more than one class period each school day at a time period not in conflict with the academic program of the school.

_____ Work release (Please attach employer's certificate of employment)

_____ Other: (Please describe in detail)

I/We grant permission to school personnel to release the above-named student to:

(Name) _____

(Address) _____

(Phone number) _____

for the purpose of this time release.

Signatures: Student _____ Date _____

Parent(s) _____ Date _____

_____ Date _____

Approval:

Print/Type Name and Title of School Official _____

Signature: _____ Date _____

References: NMSA §22-12-3 and Policies 300, 310, 315