Absence Request

Absence Information

I am requesting permission to be excused from student teaching for the dates and reasons described below. I understand that I may be asked to make-up these days/times at the end of my assignment in order to complete my student teaching obligation. I also understand that this request must be approved by my CMU coordinator.

Student Teacher: ____________________________________________

Phone #: _________________________________________________

Dates of Expected Absence: __________________________________

Reason for Absence: _______________________________________

Student Teacher Signature: _________________________________ Date

I am enrolled in:

☐ EDUC 492A  ☐ EDUC 492B  ☐ EDUC 499C  ☐ EDUC 499D

☐ EDUC 499G  ☐ EDUC 499H  ☐ EDUC 499I  ☐ EDUC 499J

☐ Other

☐ Please indicate number of absences including this one.

CMU Coordinator Approval

☐ Approved

☐ Denied

Comments:

________________________________________________________

CMU Coordinator ____________________________ Date

*Falsification of information will constitute academic misconduct.

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Attendance Policy

Absences: Absences are generally, unacceptable. We expect our candidates to achieve 100% attendance during the semester. Unavoidable absences, such as illness, must be communicated as soon as possible. Anything that might be considered a “personal day” MUST be pre-approved by your Colorado Mesa University Program Coordinator. To that end, interns must communicate the absence ahead of time when possible and the day of, at the latest, to the following people:

- Colorado Mesa University Program Coordinator
- Supervisor
- Mentor teacher
- School Secretary

NOTE: More than three (3) absences may impact your ability to successfully complete the internship semester.

All absences must be noted on the internship time log. Interns must receive prior approval for planned absences from their CMU coordinator. Approvals must be filed with the Undergraduate Coordinator.

Preparation for all absences: Lesson plans must be ready for your mentor teacher. Collaborate with your mentor teacher to determine the preferred format for lesson plans. Remember that the mentor AND students are counting on you to provide the curriculum so students can continue to learn.