



Saint Mary & Saint George Coptic Orthodox Church – Tallahassee, FL
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Monday, March 6, 2023

EXCUSED ABSENCE REQUEST

To Whom It May Concern:

RE: Accommodation for Religious Belief and Practice

Our family is part of the Coptic Orthodox Church of Alexandria, an ancient Apostolic Church founded by Saint Mark the Evangelist around the year 42 A.D. According to our Church's Tradition and unique calendar, the Feast of the Resurrection of our Lord Jesus Christ, commonly known as "Easter", will be celebrated on Sunday, April 16, 2023. As such, the following days leading up to the Feast are considered religious holy days for our family:

- Holy Passover (Pascha) Week from Monday, April 10 to Friday, April 14
- Holy Thursday, April 13
- Good Friday, April 14

Please excuse _____ for some or all these days so he/she may observe these religious holy days with our family. Also, I kindly request you provide any relevant classwork or homework he/she will miss as a result. Thank you for your understanding.

Sincerely,

(Parent's Signature)

(Parent's Printed Name)

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