

**Freedom 7 Elementary School
of International Studies**



EXCUSE FOR ABSENCE

Child's Name _____

Grade _____ Teacher _____

Date of absence(s) _____

Reason for absence: _____

Parent Signature

Freedom 7 Attendance Policy: "We shall require a written notice from Parents/Guardians directly following absences from school, stating the date and reason for the absence. In addition you can help by calling the school office when your child is ill or needs to be out of school for more than two days. Excessive student absences during the school year may require a doctor's statement."

Brevard Public Schools' Attendance Policy: "A student who is absent more than nine (9) days within a semester or more than four (4) days within a 9-week period for schools on a block schedule, will not receive a passing grade for the semester. Absences not counted in the 9 days/4 days attendance policy are: court dates; religious holidays; illness with medical documentation (doctor's note); chronic or extended illness."

"All students must be in attendance a minimum of four (4) hours of instructional time to be considered present each day."