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[Your Name]
[Your Address]
[City, State, Zip Code]
[Email Address]
[Phone Number]
[Date]
[School's Name]
[School's Address]
[City, State, Zip Code]
Dear [Teacher's/Principal's Name],
I am writing to formally request an absence for my child, [Child's Name],
who is in [Grade/Class/Teacher's Name], due to [reason for absence, e.g.,
illness, family commitment, etc.].
The absence will be from [start date] to [end date], during which time we
will ensure that [he/she/they] keeps up with [his/her/their] assignments
and responsibilities.
Thank you for your understanding and support. Please feel free to contact
me if you require any further information.
Sincerely,
[Your Name]
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[Your Signature (if sending a hard copy)]