

## WAYLAND HIGH SCHOOL 18-YEAR-OLD FORM

*Please read the following document carefully, and only sign it when you fully understand its significance. You must schedule a short meeting with Ms. Mizoguchi before exercising the right described on this document. At that meeting you will submit this sheet for the main office's records.*

I, \_\_\_\_\_, BEING 18 YEARS OF AGE, DO HEREBY TAKE FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR WRITING NOTES TO EXCUSE MY TARDINESS OR ABSENCE FROM SCHOOL. IN ADDITION, I WILL ASSUME RESPONSIBILITY FOR DISMISSING MYSELF FROM SCHOOL.

I UNDERSTAND THAT THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE-APPROVED REASONS FOR ABSENCE, TARDINESS, OR EARLY DISMISSAL FROM A CLASS ARE RESTRICTED TO THE FOLLOWING:

- ILLNESS
- MEDICAL APPOINTMENT (WHEN ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY TO SCHEDULE DURING SCHOOL HOURS)
- AN APPROVED SCHOOL-RELATED ACTIVITY
- RELIGIOUS HOLIDAY

EXTRAORDINARY CIRCUMSTANCES MAY RESULT IN APPROVAL OF THE ABSENCE BY THE ADMINISTRATION AND SHOULD, WHEN POSSIBLE, BE APPROVED IN ADVANCE. **YOUR NOTE MUST STATE EXPLICITLY THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE-APPROVED REASON FOR YOUR ABSENCE, TARDINESS OR DISMISSAL. OTHERWISE IT WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. IT MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ADVANCE OF, OR UP TO ONE DAY AFTER, YOUR ABSENCE.**

I REALIZE MY PARENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED I HAVE SIGNED THIS NOTE, BUT THEY NEED NOT BE NOTIFIED WHEN I EXERCISE MY LEGAL RIGHTS.

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SIGNATURE

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DATE