Lorain City Schools

JUSTIFIABLE LEAVE APPLICATION

Name	Building
	I wish to apply for justifiable leave as indicated below:
	Accidents in the immediate family or affecting family property.
	Court appearances as litigant or witness (not minor traffic offenses).
	Travel difficulties between employee's local residence and his place of employment. (It must be demonstrated that every effort has been made to anticipate probable problems and to report to work even though employee may be late.) Observance of religious holidays.
	Attendance of graduation exercises, high school and beyond, involving an employee, or a member of his/her immediate family.
	Accompanying a member of the immediate family to a terminal upon departing for service outside the continental United States, or meeting a member of the immediate family returning from such service.
	Attending a wedding involving a member of the immediate family.
	Death of relatives not considered immediate family. (Such absence must be justified in terms of
	closeness of relationship to the deceased and/or time required for travel.)
	Funerals of others who are close but not related. (Appropriate leave may be granted upon
	approval by the Personnel Director.)
	Attendance of school events of the staff member's child.
<u></u>	CERTIFICATION OF ABSENCE FOR JUSTIFIABLE LEAVE
Date(s	s) of Absence
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	I, the undersigned, certify that this absence (will be) (was) due to the reason stated and that I have
read th	he "Leave Guidelines" listed on the back of this form. Specifically, this absence is necessary because
Date _	Employee's Signature
FOR	THE PRINCIPAL:
	Recommend routine approval Suggest further study Principal's Initials
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LEAVE GUIDELINES

- 1. Request for justifiable leave shall be given in writing on forms provided at least three (3) school days in advance to the Director of Personnel. In emergency cases, forms shall be submitted within five (5) days after the employee returns to work.
- 2. For any immediate situation where adequate time for administrative processing of the application is not available, the school principal is designated as the Superintendent's representative and the Substitute Teacher Office is to be notified. The principal will perform such immediate actions as are necessary.
- 3. Justifiable leave shall not be accumulative.
- 4. Justifiable leave shall not replace sick leave nor extend sick leave days except in easily identifiable situations.
- 5. "Immediate Family" shall be interpreted to include self, father, mother, brother, sister, spouse, child, mother-in-law, father-in-law, sister-in-law, brother-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandparents, and spouse's grandparents. (Child includes step child and/or foster child.)