SUNDAY/WEDNESDAY NIGHT ACTIVITIES FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS

A. Sunday Activities

- 1. The Board of Education recognizes Sunday morning as church/family time. No academic or co-curricular practices will be permitted on Sundays with the exception of the following:
 - a. No academic or co-curricular practices/events will be permitted on Sundays prior to 2:00 p.m. Prior written approval must be obtained by the Building Principal or Activities Director for any practices/events to be held on Sundays after 2:00 p.m.
 - b. Any student requesting to be excused for family, religious, or community organizational activities, will be released without pressure or penalty.

B. Wednesday Night Activities

- 1. During the school term, student activities will not be scheduled on Wednesday after 6:30 p.m. for students in grades 9-12; after 5:00 p.m. for students in grades K-8.
 - a. Because of the many different congregations with starting times varying anywhere from 3:30 to 7:00 p.m., any student requesting to be released for family, religious, or community organizational activities, will be released without pressure or penalty.
- 2. Exceptions may be made only as follows:
 - a. In the event it is necessary to schedule make-up events on Wednesdays due to weather conditions. Other days of the week, except Sundays, must first be considered as make-up days before using Wednesday. The principal (or his/her designee) has the authority to establish schedules for make-up events.
 - b. Any other exception must be approved in advance by the Building Principal or his/her designee. Exceptions are to be kept deliberately to a minimum.
- 3. In the event student activities are scheduled on a Wednesday, the Athletic Director or coach will notify parents. Any student requesting to be released for family and community organizational activities will be released without pressure or penalty.

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Exhibit 1, Request for Sunday (After 2:00 p.m.) Event/Practice CROSS-REFERENCE:

LEGAL REFERENCE: