K-8 EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY APPLICATION

This form must be completed and submitted to the principal prior to the absence in order for the absences to be considered as valid/lawful. No student will be excused for more than the five (5) school days per school year.

When it is demonstrated that the purpose of the absence is to take advantage of a valid educational opportunity, such as travel, the absence(s) may be considered valid/lawful. Approval for such an absence(s), however, must be granted prior to the absence(s).

(School Attendance & Student Accounting Manual, Public Schools of North Carolina, 2009-2010, Chapter 2, Section IV-D)

Student’s Name: __________________________________________ Grade: ________

School Name: __________________________________________ Teacher: ______________

Date(s) of proposed absence: ______________________________________________

Date of return to school: ________ Total number of days of school to be missed: ______

Historical Site(s)_____ Museums _____ Leadership Opportunities _____

Aquarium _____ Zoo _____ Other _____

Description: ______________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________

________________________________________________________________________

AGREEMENT:
In good faith effort, I will comply with the State Board of Education’s policy regarding this educational opportunity for my child and will encourage and support his/her involvement in appropriate educational experiences. I will also supervise the completion of any assignments as required by the teacher and/or principal. The Educational Opportunity will be no more than five (5) school days.

________________________________________
Signature of Parent/Guardian

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Signature of Principal

Application: _______ Denied _______ Approved _______ Date ___________________

No. of Days _______ Denied _______ Approved
Daily Schedule/Activity:

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If approved, no more than five (5) school days in a school year.

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School Attendance