

International Youth Department Church of God in Christ



Elder Larry Lewis  
President



To: School Districts, Administrators, and Principals

**RE: Excused Absence to Attend Southern Regional Rally for the International Youth Department, Church of God in Christ, Incorporated**

To Whom It May Concern:

On Friday, March 31, 2017 and Saturday, April 1, 2017, the Southern Region of the Church of God in Christ's International Youth Department (IYD) will convene its Annual Rally in Memphis, Tennessee. The IYD Southern Region includes the states of Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, and Tennessee.

Youth will participate in educational and spiritual classes, workshops, and services to support their religious training. **Please accept this letter as a formal request to grant an excused absence to your student(s) for Friday, March 31, 2017. All students should return to school on Monday, April 3, 2017.** If you have any questions, feel free to contact us via email or phone. Our contact information is listed below.

Sincerely,

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TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT, PARENT/GUARDIAN, & YOUTH STAFF MEMBER

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Jurisdiction: \_\_\_\_\_

Jurisdictional Prelate: \_\_\_\_\_ Youth Worker Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_