Absence Request Instructions for Skyward Mobile App

Open the Skyward Mobile App on your phone or tablet. Choose "CONTINUE IN APP"



- 1. Check the student name showing. If you have more than one student, tap to use the drop down arrow to change between student(s).
- 2. Tap the 3 bars in the upper right corner to get a pop out menu of options to view.
- 3. Tap on ATTENDANCE for a new screen.





- 4. Confirm student name again
- 5. Tap on ADD ABSENCE REQUEST for new screen



- 6. Student name visible, cannot be changed on this screen
- 7. Confirm OPRFHS, if you use Skyward app for multiple students in multiple schools, this may be needed
- 8. Enter the START/END dates by tapping on calendar icon
- 9. Choose if the request will be for all day with the YES/NO button. Default will show YES.
 - a. If NO, you will get a new field drop down to input START/END times. Tap on clock icon.

Remember to choose AM/PM appropriately

- 10. Tap to choose REASON (parent/guardian excused, mental wellness, religious holiday, bereavement)
- 11. If desired, tap in COMMENT field to enter brief details for Attendance staff.
- 12. If you have multiple students, you may choose to COPY ABSENCE REQUEST for each student. Use the toggle YES/NO buttons next to each student name and choose a reason if needed.
- 13. Tap to SUBMIT at the top of the screen. Status of all requests are visible on the ATTENDANCE screen.

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Parent/guardian will receive an email notification that an absence request has been submitted for student. Please refer to email and contact <u>attendance@oprfhs.org</u> if there are any issues or if you did NOT submit the request.

Attendance office staff will process requests within 24 school hours.

**Absence requests, emails or phone calls to excuse student absence must be received by 9:00pm on the same day of the absence. Any questions, please contact your student's dean.