



**FOREST AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT**  
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## EMPLOYEE REQUEST FOR FAMILY MEDICAL LEAVE ACT FORM

An employee should use this form to request FMLA leave involving intermittent periods of time off or a reduced daily or weekly work schedule. An eligible employee requesting FMLA leave must give thirty (30) days' advance notice to their supervisor of the need to take unpaid FMLA leave when the need for leave is foreseeable. When the need for leave is not foreseeable, such notice must be given as soon as practicable. The use of FMLA leave will be subject to verification. The district may require that an employee's request for FMLA leave to care for the employee's seriously ill spouse, son, daughter, or parent, or due to the employee's own serious health condition, be supported by a certification issued by the health care provider.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Employee's Name (Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Department

1. Reason for reduced or intermittent schedule: The reason for this notice of a need for intermittent leave or a reduced work schedule is:

\_\_\_\_ For the birth of a son or daughter and to care for the child

\_\_\_\_ For the placement of a son or daughter for adoption or foster care with myself

\_\_\_\_ To care for my spouse, son, daughter or parent with a serious health condition

\_\_\_\_ A serious health condition that makes me unable to perform the functions of my job

2. Request leave under the Family Medical Leave Act beginning on \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

And that I expect leave to continue until on or about \_\_\_\_\_  
(date)

3. Generally FMLA leave is unpaid; eligible employees will be required to substitute their accrued sick leave for unpaid FMLA leave when the FMLA leave request qualifies for sick leave usage, or an eligible employee may elect to substitute accrued annual leave for unpaid FMLA leave.

\_\_\_\_ Request to substitute accrued sick leave for unpaid FMLA leave

\_\_\_\_ Request to substitute accrued annual leave for unpaid FMLA leave

\_\_\_\_ Request unpaid FMLA leave

4. Maintenance of Health Benefits

A covered employer is required to maintain group health insurance coverage for an employee on FMLA leave whenever such insurance was provided before the leave was taken and on the same terms as if the employee had continued to work. If the employee is on unpaid FMLA leave, the employee must make arrangements to pay their share of health insurance premiums while on leave without pay. In some instances, the employer may recover premiums it paid to maintain health coverage for an employee who fails to return to work from FMLA leave.

\_\_\_\_\_ If approved, I will make arrangements with the Forest Area School District Payroll Office to pay my share of health insurance premiums while on leave without pay

5. Notice of Certification

The Forest Area School District requires that an employee's request for FMLA leave to care for the employee's seriously ill spouse, son, daughter, or parent, or due to the employee's own serious health condition, be supported by a certification issued by the health care provider.

\_\_\_\_\_ Attached is a completed Certification of Health Care Provider Form

\_\_\_\_\_ Attached is other certification, list type of certification below:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Employee's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Request

\_\_\_\_\_  
Supervisor's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

- The employee will also be required to complete the most update FMLA forms from the Department of Labor.