## STUDENT ABSENCES ON RELIGIOUS HOLIDAYS

The Natick Public Schools shall excuse students from school attendance for personal observances of religious holidays occurring on dates when school is in session.

When students miss assignments, tests or other schoolwork due to such excused absences, they shall be provided a reasonable opportunity to make up their schoolwork in a timely manner.

Students or their parents are encouraged to communicate with teachers in advance of such absences.

No adverse or prejudicial effects shall result to any student because they have availed themselves of the provisions of this section.

Adopted by the Natick School Committee - January 25, 2016