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To whom it may concern,

We are sending you this letter on behalf of ______, a member of our congregation that is employed by your business or attends school at ______.

Our congregation observes the biblical holidays as outlined in the bible in the book of Leviticus, Chapter 23 (<u>https://www.biblegateway.com/passage/?search=Leviticus%2023&version=VOICE</u>); as the Lead Pastor of Casa de Israel Yarah (House of Israel Yarah) we would like to kindly ask you to allow ______ the following days off or <u>excused from school days</u>:

•	Passover	03/28/21 shabbat begins at sundown on 03/27
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- Unleavened bread 04/04/21 shabbat begins sundown 04/03
- Pentecost (Shavuot) 05/16/21 shabbat begins sundown 05/15
- Trumpets (Teruah) 09/07/21 shabbat begins at sundown 09/06
- Yom Kippur 09/16/21 shabbat begins sundown 09/15
- Sukkot/Tabernacles 09/21/21 and 09/28/21 both shabbats begin at sundown on 09/20 & 09/27

We understand that it sometimes difficult for employers to create shifts and schedules, so we would kindly ask you to consider this request in advance in order to avoid scheduling conflicts during these very important biblical holidays.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call our congregation directly to speak to myself or anyone in our administrative staff.

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