




Why does my student have different attendance rates for each course?

For high school courses, attendance is taken for every class period because students are taking courses for credit to complete their high school degree. See your school's attendance clerk, counselor, or assistant principal for a specific explanation to your student's situation.



How does the district notify the parents/guardian & students regarding violation of attendance law?

- Home visits by the school home liaison or by the school administration
- School progress reports
- School report cards
- Calls from the campus attendance clerk and teachers
- Parent Notification system phone calls
- Attendance conference letters and court referrals



What happens if my child's attendance falls below the 75%?

When students fall below the 75% attendance rate, the student and parent/guardian must appeal to the Campus Attendance Committee. This Committee will review the reasons for your student's absences, review performance, and offer a plan for recovery. Each plan is unique based on individual student's circumstances. If a student is in good standing, work missed has been made up, and proper documentation for absences has been provided, a method for recovery can be determined.



Whom should I talk with first on the campus?

The school attendance clerk and campus administration should be contacted with questions.



What types of absences count against my student's 90% attendance law?

Examples:

- Family trips
- Vacations
- Attendance at non-school sponsored events
- Enrolling in school late

- Checking out early at the end of the school year

Please note: Illnesses that are excused under Compulsory Attendance Law may count against the 90% attendance law.