

Fast Facts About Truancy and Attendance

- 1. Students/parents have 5 days upon the student's return to school to turn in a note to the campus's attendance office. Notes can be sent via email or paper copy turned in to the attendance clerk. Do not send notes to your student's teacher.
- 2. At 3 unexcused absences, whole or partial day, in a 4 week period, the District is required to send the student and parent a warning letter, notifying them of the unexcused absences.
- 3. At 5 unexcused absences, the student and/or parent will be invited to attend the online or in person Truancy Diversion Program.
- 4. According to Texas state law, at 10 unexcused absences, whole or partial day, in a 6 month period, there may be a discretionary court referral by the Student Attendance Specialist, based on consultation with the campus.
- 5. Students and parents are strongly encouraged to monitor their attendance frequently on Skyward/Family Access.

Please do not hesitate to call or email your campus's Student Attendance Specialist with any questions or concerns:

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