

We're Better When You're Here!

Attendance Essentials

Things You Should Know



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Did you know?

Starting in kindergarten, students **should not miss more than 9 days** of school per year to stay on track for graduation. This means missing **no more than one day per month!**

Excused Absences include:

- Illness
- Medical appointments
- Dental appointments
- Doctor-recommended quarantine
- Funerals
- Religious holidays
- Legal appointments
- Jury duty (if over 18 years old)

Unexcused Absences may include:

- Vacations and trips
- Missing the bus
- Oversleeping
- Working
- Babysitting

*If the absences have not been excused by a parent or guardian.

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Excused vs. Unexcused



Send Me to School if:

- I have a **runny nose** or just a little cough, no other symptoms.
- I have **NOT had a fever in 24 hours & have NOT taken fever reducing medicine** during that time.
- I have **not thrown in 24 hours** and can drink liquids without throwing up.
- I have a **mild rash** but no other symptoms.

Keep Me at Home if:

- I have a **temperature higher than 100.4 F.**
- I have **thrown up two or more times** in the past 24 hours.
- My **stool is very watery** and I may not make it to the restroom in time.

If your child will be absent please call the school each time.

Too sick to come to school?

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We are here to help!

- Transportation
 - Housing
 - Mental Health
 - And more...
- Resources and services are available to help your child get to school. Contact the front office of your student's school for assistance.



Don't let absences add up!

Visit **Skyward** to check your student's attendance monthly. **If you need help with Skyward access ask the front office for help.**

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Having trouble getting to school?

