School Matters!



Attendance is the foundation of school success!

- Excessive absences and tardiness can negatively impact your child's perception about the importance of school.
- Consistency in school attendance is critical in helping students of all ages in adjusting to the school routine and expectations.
- Each day of absence creates a gap in student learning that can be difficult to overcome. This could impact the student's attitude about learning, as well as the overall school experience.
- Research shows that excessive absences can significantly impact skill development in reading, as well as all subject areas, and test performance.
- Excessive absences can also negatively impact your child's opportunity to develop good peer relationships, which is important in the learning and overall school experience.
- Parents and caregivers are highly encouraged to thoroughly read the information regarding attendance outlined in the Student Code of Conduct.
- Please remember that, after 5 parent notes to excuse absences, parents may be requested to provide medical documentation.
- If your child seems nervous about going to school, talk to his or her teacher and the school counselor.
- Please always contact school personnel to discuss any possible needed support in helping your child to benefit from regular school attendance and arriving to school on time.

Remember, each day matters!