Attention to Attendance

Month 3 Attendance Dashboard - November 2017

Improving Attendance is a
Local Control Accountability Plan Goal

The Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) Goal #3 Action #5 is to improve CUSD attendance and chronic absenteeism rates for all students. Consistent with this goal, we will be providing monthly reports to the Board regarding the efforts of district and site personnel toward implementation of the Goal's five key actions:

A. Ensure all site attendance is accurately reported daily into Synergy.

B. Ensure all site attendance clerks and identified site administrators notify parents on a weekly basis of absences, including providing official CUSD absence threshold letters to parents on a timely basis.

C. Ensure all sites promote and/or incentivize positive attendance.

D. Ensure all sites hold appropriate School Attendance Review Team and School Attendance Review Board meetings for students whose attendance reaches appropriate thresholds.

E. Provide reports to the Governing Board on district attendance and enrollment monthly.

School Attendance Makes a Difference

As we prepare to take a short break from school for Thanksgiving, we want to express our gratitude for everyone who makes it possible for as many students as possible to come to school every day, on time, ready to learn.

We thank:

- Our students and families for making daily attendance a priority since they know the habit of attendance will help them do well in the classroom and eventually in a job.
- Our wonderful teachers who pour their energy into making each classroom an exciting place for exploration and knowledge so children do not want to miss out on learning
- Our support staff and community volunteers who provide the extra hands and attention our children need

We especially appreciate everyone's efforts to avoid taking extra days off during the Thanksgiving holiday. Just a few missed days here and there, even if they're excused absences, can add up to too much lost learning time and leave your child behind in school. This is as true in kindergarten as it is in high school.

We appreciate each one of you so much, and we look forward to seeing you after the Thanksgiving holiday!!!

Coronado High School

Attendance Dashboard

CURRENT YEAR					
2017-2018	**9**	**10**	**11**	**12**	**Total**
Enrollment	271	289	284	308	1,152
Attendance Rate	97.6%	97.3%	97.0%	95.4%	96.8%
Number of Student Absences	356	420	455	773	2,004
Lost Instructional Time (HOURS)	2,314	2,730	2,958	5,025	13,026
Lost Revenue	$21,360	$25,200	$27,300	$46,380	$120,240

A 0.2% decrease from last month

HISTORICAL INFORMATION							
School Year	**ENROLLMENT**					**# of Student Absences**	**Attendance Rate %**
	9	**10**	**11**	**12**	**Total**		
2016-2017	292	313	317	289	1,211	7,124	95.7%
2015-2016	304	322	307	298	1,231	6,501	96.3%
2014-2015	315	291	285	302	1,193	5,300	96.7%
2013-2014	287	295	296	280	1,158	4,741	97.1%

Coronado Middle School

Attendance Dashboard

CURRENT YEAR				
2017-2018	6	7	8	Total
Enrollment	223	238	253	714
Attendance Rate	97.3%	97.4%	96.4%	97.0%
Number of Student Absences	318	334	488	1,140
Lost Instructional Time (HOURS)	1,908	2,004	2,928	6,840
Lost Revenue	$ 19,080	$ 20,040	$ 29,280	$ 68,400

A 0.1% decrease from last month

HISTORICAL INFORMATION						
School Year	ENROLLMENT				# of Student Absences	Attendance Rate %
	6	7	8	Total		
2016-2017	227	246	236	709	2,917	97.0%
2015-2016	228	239	262	729	3,101	97.0%
2014-2015	232	259	259	750	3,306	96.8%
2013-2014	223	250	262	735	3,199	96.9%

Silver Strand Elementary School Attendance Dashboard

CURRENT YEAR								
2017-2018	TK	K	1	2	3	4	5	Total
Enrollment	13	41	40	36	51	41	59	281
Attendance Rate	95.7%	96.2%	97.8%	98.2%	97.7%	98.1%	97.6%	97.5%
Number of Student Absences	30	86	48	36	62	42	76	380
Lost Instructional Time (HOURS)	90	430	240	180	310	231	418	1,899
Lost Revenue	$ 1,800	$ 5,160	$ 2,880	$ 2,160	$ 3,720	$ 2,520	$ 4,560	$ 22,800

A 0.3% decrease from last month

HISTORICAL INFORMATION									
School Year	ENROLLMENT							# of Student Absences	Attendance Rate %
	K	1	2	3	4	5	Total		
2016-2017	62	44	53	47	69	60	335	1,642	96.4%
2015-2016	55	49	48	54	59	55	320	1,487	96.7%
2014-2015	51	48	51	53	57	61	321	1,420	96.8%
2013-2014	47	47	45	50	60	60	309	1,247	97.2%

Village Elementary School

Attendance Dashboard

CURRENT YEAR									
2017-2018	TK	K	1	2	3	4	5		Total
Enrollment	14	105	123	133	106	145	157		783
Attendance Rate	97.4%	96.2%	97.5%	98.1%	97.6%	97.7%	97.0%		97.4%
Number of Student Absences	20	209	163	138	137	179	255		1,101
Lost Instructional Time (HOURS)	60	1,045	815	690	685	985	1,403		5,682
Lost Revenue	$ 1,200	$ 12,540	$ 9,780	$ 8,280	$ 8,220	$ 10,740	$ 15,300	$	66,060

A 0.3% increase from last month

HISTORICAL INFORMATION									
School Year	ENROLLMENT							# of Student Absences	Attendance Rate %
	K	1	2	3	4	5	Total		
2016-2017	132	135	113	138	147	138	803	4,031	96.4%
2015-2016	173	98	144	146	131	155	847	4,718	96.1%
2014-2015	119	144	134	134	147	163	841	4,372	96.2%
2013-2014	149	124	127	147	170	154	871	4,014	96.7%

Are you planning a family trip for the holidays? As you think about your arrangements, we want to stress the importance of sending your child to school every day possible. Every year, absences spike in the weeks before and after the winter holiday as families squeeze in a few more vacation days. It's time to break that cycle. We know that just a few missed days here and there, even if they're excused absences, can add up to too much lost learning time and put your child behind in school.

We recognize that holidays are an important time for reconnecting with families far away. The costs of plane tickets often influence when you want to travel. But keep in mind the costs to your children's education if they miss too much school— and the message you will be sending about the importance of attendance. Even if you've got a homework packet from the teacher, it doesn't make up for the interaction and learning that happens in the classroom. Our teachers will be teaching, and our students will be learning, right up until vacation starts and the first day back.