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ATTENDANCE MONITORING AND ACCOUNTING

The Nye County School District (NCS D) Superintendent/Designee shall establish the procedures for checking and reporting student attendance as prescribed by the laws of the State of Nevada and the regulations of the Nevada Department of Education.

Research shows a strong relationship between poor attendance in the early grades and the likelihood that a student will later drop out of school. Conversely, it is well recognized that there is a high correlation between regular school attendance, school success and achievement. Therefore, good attendance shall be emphasized from the time a student enrolls in school through the prescribed number of days that a student is subject to compulsory attendance. State statute dictates a student absent for 10% or more of a school year shall be deemed chronically absent. A student should be in attendance 90% of a school year in order to obtain credit or to be promoted to the next grade level.

Attendance is a shared responsibility of students and parents/legal guardians, school staff and community.

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