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**ATTENDANCE INITIATIVE
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TRUANCY PREVENTION**

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**ATTENDANCE
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INFORMATION**

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What is the AISD Attendance Initiative?

According to the National Center for School Engagement, there are three areas of emphasis that are key to the success of all students, but, most specifically, students who are at-risk of not attending school on a regular basis: **ATTENDANCE, ACHIEVEMENT, and ATTACHMENT.** It is our firm belief that we have a solemn responsibility to provide the best possible opportunities for success to each and every student in our district. Our mission is simple: **We are here to make sure that EVERYONE gets an education!**



AISD INITIATIVE PROGRAM OFFERINGS

Student/Family Needs Analysis

We will meet with students and families to identify factors that may be interfering with student attendance. We do this on campus as well as in-home as needed.

Barrier Removal Services

Upon analysis, we work with students and families to develop success plans to maximize student attendance by helping students to remove barriers keeping them out of school.

Referral To Outside Agencies

If the need arises, our counselors or social worker can make referrals to outside agencies and other organizations in order to help with something that might be getting in the way of good attendance.

Home Visits

We will also conduct home visits to provide information and explore possible solutions that will help in improving attendance for your son or daughter at Anthony ISD.

Student/Parent Presentations

We are able to plan and deliver large and small group presentations on topics including compulsory attendance, court procedures, anti-bullying, gang intervention, college readiness and self-esteem, to name a few.

45 Day Anti-Truancy Plan

After three or more unexcused absences, the district will apply the Texas Education Code requirement for a 45 Day Anti-Truancy Plan for students and families that includes early intervention services.

Graduating Senior Services

We can assist in providing services for graduating students such as college applications, FAFSA and assistance with registration.

Student Level Intervention

We can work with Tier 2 and Tier 3 students on attendance, grades, discipline, academic or campus barriers and complications as well as home issues that interfere with achievement.

Parent Portal on TX Connect

Campus secretaries can provide assistance to parents so that they can sign up for the AISD Parent Portal in order to monitor the attendance of their son/daughter.

Real Time Attendance Monitoring

Campus front-office personnel monitor campus attendance rates daily and can assist parents with attendance history reports.

Truancy Court Precinct 7 - Parents

As a last resort, we will file on parents only if they have been uncooperative or have not been a part of the anti-truancy process.

Truancy Court Precinct 7 – Students

The law allows districts to file a civil complaint against students, ages 12-19, if they do not comply with the 45 Day Anti-Truancy Plan.

Residence Verification

We will conduct investigative and home visits to determine a student's place of residence for enrollment purposes.

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