

ATTENDANCE POLICY

The Powell County School System would like to make notice to families of the attendance policy. Please read the entire attendance section in the Code of Conduct on pages 6-14.

Highlights of Policy:

- * Students will have 6 personal excuses for absences and 6 personal excuses for tardies. HOWEVER, parents will NOT have to submit written notes for the personal excuses. The first 6 tardies and 6 absences for which doctor's notes, funeral notes, etc. are not submitted are automatically excused.
- * There is a strict time limit of ten (10) school days to submit written excuses for doctor's notes, etc. Parents must ensure notes are turned in and recorded. If an Infinite Campus parent portal account is needed, see the attendance clerks or central office.
- * Make-up work for all absences must be submitted to the teachers within 5 school days unless otherwise approved by the principal. **Make-up work for unexcused absences after 6 will not be accepted. All work during a suspension will be recorded as a zero (0).**
- * Students are considered chronically absent when they miss 17 or more days in a school year whether the absences are excused or unexcused. Please try to keep the number of days missed to a minimum.