PENALTIES CA ED. CODE 48293

The SARB may present an attendance contract and may recommend a change in school placement. Failure to comply with the contract can result in a citation to appear in court.

1st Conviction:

Fine is up to \$100, plus possible penalties.

2nd Conviction:

Fine is up to \$250, plus possible penalties.

Third or Subsequent Conviction:

Fine is up to \$500, plus possible penalties.

Parents are responsible for a child's attendance from the age of 6 until the age of 18.

Ed. Code 48200

Failure to enroll your student in an approved educational program could result in a \$2,500 fine +1 year county jail + probation up to 5 years.

P.C. 272(a)(1), (a)(i).





2025-26 School Calendar

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SCHOOL ATTENDANCE REVIEW BOARD

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EXCUSEDABSENCE

- PERSONAL ILLNESS, INCLUDING MENTAL AND BEHAVORIAL HEALTH.
- QUARANTINE AS DIRECTED.
- PERSONAL MEDICAL (DENTAL, OPTOMETRIC, OR CHIROPRACTIC APPOINTMENTS). MEDICAL NOTE RECOMMENDED.
- FUNERAL SERVICES FOR IMMEDIATE FAMILY.
- STUDENT SERVING JURY DUTY.
- PERSONAL COURT APPEARANCE (REQUIRES VERIFICATION).
- SPENDING TIME WITH A MEMBER OF IMMEDIATE FAMILY WHO IS AN ACTIVE-DUTY MEMBER OF THE MILITARY SERVICE.
- OBSERVANCE OF A RELIGIOUS HOLIDAY OR CEREMONY OR EVENT.
- COLLEGE VISIT (REQUIRES VERIFICATION).

Immediate Family consists of:

Parent/Guardian, sibling, and gradparent.



THE SARB PROCESS AS ESTABLISHED BY LAW

Third (3) - Unexcused Absence:
Classified as a Truant.
1st Truancy Letter sent home.

Sixth (6) - Unexcused Absence:

Second truancy.

2nd Truancy Letter & meeting with administrator or Student Attendance Review Team.

Ninth (9) - Unexcused Absence:

Classified as a Habitual Truant.

3rd Truancy Letter and may be referred to the School

Attendance Review Board.

Note: More than ten (10) unexcused absences is considered to be excessive.

For planned absences, please contact your child's school about Short-Term Independent Study.



UNEXCUSED ABSENCE

- GOING OUT OF TOWN/VACATIONS.
- PARENT'S ILLNESS OR MEDICAL APPOINTMENTS.
- MISSING THE BUS OR TRANSPORTATION PROBLEMS.
- ATTENDING SPORTING EVENTS OR CONCERTS.
- PARTICIPATING IN A STUDENT DEMONSTRATION OFF-CAMPUS.
- WAITING FOR SERVICE OR REPAIR PEOPLE TO ARRIVE.
- NON-SCHOOL RELATED TRAVELING SPORTS TEAM.
- DMV APPOINTMENT OR DRIVING CLASSES.
- STUDENT/PARENT OVERSLEEPING.
- FAMILY ERRANDS.

If your child is absent, a parent or guardian must contact the school office to verify the absence. Verified absences help the school understand the reason for your child's missed days and keep your student from being marked truant when appropriate.

