While our schools are in distance learning, attendance will be based on students logging into Canvas and doing their assignments. Attendance will be taken weekly using assignments completed between Monday morning and Sunday night.

- Elementary students will need to complete a minimum of one assignment per half day of school to be counted present (10 assignments per week in a week with no holidays); and
- Secondary students will need to complete a minimum of one assignment per day per course to be counted present (5 assignments per week per course in a week with no holidays).

If students complete the required number of assignments for attendance for their grade level (10 per week for elementary, 5 per course per week for secondary), they will be marked as present for the week. If students complete part of their number of required assignments for attendance, they will be marked present for part of the week.

All assignments will be tracked and recorded in Canvas. **Students must mark assignments in Canvas as completed.**

**EXAMPLES OF PARTIAL ATTENDANCE**

**ELEMENTARY:** a student who completes 5 assignments by Sunday night would be marked present for 2.5 days of school.

**SECONDARY:** a student who completes 4 assignments in a course by Sunday night would get credit for 4 days of attending that course.

**STUDENT GRADES**

Tulsa Public Schools will return to regular grading in the 2020–2021 school year. Parents can use PowerSchool at TulsaSchools.org/grades to view their child’s grades.

**EXCUSED ABSENCES**

The excused absence policy has not changed: parents or guardians must provide written or verbal explanation to the school.

We hope that every student can participate in “live” classes during distance learning, but we know that our families need flexibility. Students can watch recorded “live” lessons and work on assignments in the evenings and on the weekends.

Learn more at TulsaSchools.org/attendance