



Lakeshore High School
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Compulsory Attendance

The State of Louisiana requires that all children from their seventh to their eighteenth birthdays must attend a public school, private day school, or must participate in an approved home study program. Any student above the compulsory attendance age who has excessive absences may be dropped from school with principal recommendation. School attendance is imperative, not only to satisfy requirements of the law but to help ensure student achievement and success. Every missed day of school is a missed opportunity to learn.

As per State policy, St. Tammany Parish Public schools are responsible for enforcing the following requirements:

- Students are expected to be in attendance every student activity day scheduled by the St. Tammany Parish School Board.
- Schools must administer attendance regulations in accordance with State and locally adopted policies.
- In order to be eligible to receive credit for courses passed, high school students may not miss more than five (5) days of non-exempted excused absences, unexcused absences, and/or suspensions per semester.

Seat Time Recovery Requirement: Students in danger of failing due to excessive absences may be allowed to make up missed seat time held outside of the regular school day. The makeup sessions must be completed before the end of the current semester for high school students or students will be denied credit for that semester.

I understand the state of Louisiana's attendance requirements.

Student Name (print): _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Please turn paper into Mrs. Williams Office.