

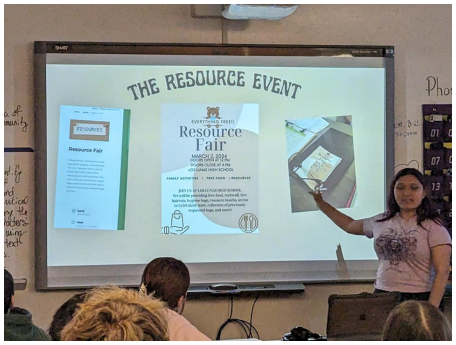
[Belen Consolidated Schools Resource Fair September 2024]

What is the Attendance Law and how does it affect you and your child?

Chronic absenteeism is when a student misses 10% or more of the school year.

- Schools and parents/guardians should work together to ensure students are in class daily.
- Families should be connected to resources such as CYFD, housing assistance, behavioral health services, and other community providers.

[Los Lunas High School Capstone – Resource Fair March 2024]



Who We Are

About Us

We are community members that are stakeholders in various entities such as schools, organizations, local law enforcement, juvenile probation that have the same goal in mind, raising awareness to improve attendance for our community youth.

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All In, All Year, All Together

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[CUSA - 100% Community School Conference March 2025]



Acknowledging Barriers

Absenteeism looks different for many youths and their families. Some barriers include **chronic & acute illness, trauma, poor transportation, housing and food insecurities, system involvement, community violence and lack of access to technology.**

These barriers can affect attendance but through the available resources your child can jump over that obstacle!

Providing Solutions, Alternatives or Options

T-n-T Boxing in Los Lunas offers free tutoring (505-453-3621), and H2 Academic Solutions offers tutoring scholarships as well (505-453-3621). Tutoring within school sites – contact your youths school for hours.

Need Resources?

- Dial 211 for resources in New Mexico
- Dial or text the word "talk" to 988 for suicide and crisis lifeline
- Opioid Remedial Collaborative - https://orcnm.com/
- Parentguidance.org
- Community Wellness Council - https://resourcesvalencianm.org/

Community Wellness Council QR Code

McKinney-Vento QR Code

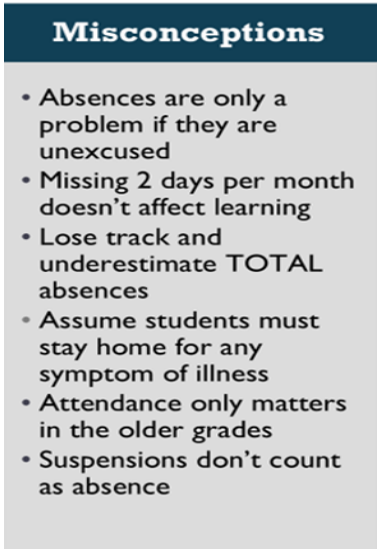
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Sharing Resources

At all events hosted by Community United for Student Attendance, we provide a variety of resources for youth within the community. For information on upcoming events, please go to the Juvenile Justice Advisory Board QR code below:



[Chronic Absenteeism percentages for Belen Consolidated Schools and Los Lunas Schools District students]



Collaborating with the Community

Partnering with Community Wellness Council, H2 Academic Solutions, Belen Consolidated Schools, Los Lunas Schools District, School of Dreams Academy, Faith Works Counseling, Heart & Soul, local Law Enforcement, juvenile probation, Isleta Pueblo Truancy Department.