

Results Policy Report: Regular Attenders

January 27, 2026

Status Overview

Status: Exceeded Annual Target

These data include students enrolled in Salem-Keizer Public Schools on the first school day in May and enrolled for at least 75 days prior (Source: Oregon Department of Education).

- 56.9% of students (20,486 of 35,987 students) had an attendance rate greater than 90%.
- This reflects an increase of 0.9 percentage points over the prior year.

Grade-Level Highlights

Elementary School

- Kindergarten and Grades 2–4 showed improvement in regular attendance rates.

Middle School

- Grades 6 and 7 demonstrated improvement compared to the prior year.

High School

- Grade 9 showed improvement in regular attendance.

School Highlights

- Of 65 schools, 53 exceeded the district goal of 55.4% regular attenders.
- 36 schools improved their regular attendance rate compared to the prior year.
- Five schools increased by five percentage points or more.

Notable recognition:

- Salem Heights Elementary
- Auburn Elementary

Strategy Progress and Next Steps

Current Progress

- Schools continue monitoring attendance data to identify and support students at risk of chronic absenteeism.
- Staff engage families and implement targeted attendance interventions.
- School teams analyze attendance trends to address barriers to regular attendance.

Next Steps

- Strengthen early identification and outreach efforts.
- Continue expanding targeted supports for students and families.
- Maintain focus on improving consistent attendance across grade levels.