

BLOUNT COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION ATTENDANCE OFFICER ANNUAL REPORT

SEPTEMBER 8, 2026

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AUGUST 8, 2025 – MAY 21, 2026

FIRST REFERRALS..... 386

Appalachian High.....	15
Blountsville Elementary	2
Cleveland Elementary	13
Cleveland High.....	6
Hayden Primary.....	16
Hayden Elementary	16
Hayden Middle	29
Hayden High.....	56
J.B. Pennington High.....	9
Locust Fork Elementary	5
Locust Fork High.....	49
Southeastern High	58
Susan Moore Elementary	31
Susan Moore High.....	81

HFI INVOLVEMENT..... 286

Appalachian High.....	11
Blountsville Elementary	1
Cleveland Elementary	7
Cleveland High.....	5
Hayden Primary.....	15
Hayden Elementary	10
Hayden Middle	21
Hayden High.....	37
J.B. Pennington High.....	8
Locust Fork Elementary	5
Locust Fork High.....	30
Southeastern High	44
Susan Moore Elementary	29
Susan Moore High.....	63

REFERRAL TO JPO..... 68

Appalachian High.....	5
Cleveland Elementary	3
Cleveland High.....	2
Hayden Primary.....	3
Hayden Elementary	3
Hayden Middle	9
Hayden High.....	10
J.B. Pennington High.....	3
Locust Fork High.....	6
Southeastern High	2
Susan Moore Elementary	1
Susan Moore High.....	21

PETITIONS 4

Hayden High.....	1
J.B. Pennington High.....	1
Locust Fork High.....	1
Susan Moore High.....	1

WARRANTS..... 2

Hayden Elementary	1
Hayden Middle	1

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AUGUST 7, 2024 - MAY 22, 2025

FIRST REFERRALS..... 375 (5 Retracted)

Appalachian High.....	29
Blountsville Elementary	1
Cleveland Elementary	24
Cleveland High.....	3
Hayden Primary.....	7
Hayden Elementary	13
Hayden Middle	23
Hayden High.....	59
J.B. Pennington High.....	7
Locust Fork Elementary	24
Locust Fork High.....	61
Southeastern High	48
Susan Moore Elementary	21
Susan Moore High.....	55

HFI INVOLVEMENT..... 259

Appalachian High.....	23
Cleveland Elementary	16
Cleveland High.....	3
Hayden Primary.....	4
Hayden Elementary	11
Hayden Middle	15
Hayden High.....	46
J.B. Pennington High.....	6
Locust Fork Elementary	21
Locust Fork High.....	39
Southeastern High	25
Susan Moore Elementary	13
Susan Moore High.....	37

REFERRAL TO JPO..... 77 (1 retracted)

Cleveland Elementary	6
Cleveland High.....	2
Hayden Primary.....	1
Hayden Elementary	3
Hayden Middle	3
Hayden High.....	16
J.B. Pennington High.....	3
Locust Fork Elementary	4
Locust Fork High.....	13
Southeastern High	6
Susan Moore Elementary	6
Susan Moore High.....	11

PETITIONS 4

Appalachian High.....	1
Hayden High.....	1
Locust Fork High.....	1
Susan Moore High.....	1

WARRANTS..... 12

Appalachian High.....	1
Cleveland Elementary	4
Hayden Primary.....	2
Hayden Middle	3
Susan Moore Elementary	2

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Eight-Year Chronic Absenteeism Percentages by School/System

School/System	2026*	2025	2024	2023	2022	2021	2019	2018
Blount County	3.3%	3.18%	4.18%	7.3%	5%	2%	8%	16%
Appalachian School	2.5%	3.04%	2.74%	4.9%	3%	1%	8%	13%
Blountsville Elem	1.1%	0.15%	0.79%	0.7%	4%	2%	9%	13%
Cleveland Elem	4.4%	3.9%	8.07%	10.3%	6%	2%	6%	15%
Cleveland High	0.5%	0.25%	0.79%	1.9%	3%	1%	5%	17%
Hayden Elem	0.9%	0.65%	1.67%	3.1%	2%	2%	6%	13%
Hayden High	4.8%	5.52%	4.60%	6.9%	4%	2%	6%	16%
Hayden Middle	2.5%	4.63%	3.61%	8.1%	3%	1%	8%	16%
Hayden Primary	3.2%	1.37%	1.67%	8.5%	4%	1%	10%	18%
JB Pennington High	5.3%	4.09%	5.56%	7.7%	7%	2%	8%	16%
Locust Fork Elem	0.9%	4.05%	7.38%	10.7%	8%	3%	9%	19%
Locust Fork High	4.4%	5.39%	3.91%	4.2%	3%	3%	8%	17%
Southeastern School	2.8%	2.16%	4.36%	8.5%	5%	2%	5%	11%
Susan Moore Elem	5.0%	5.34%	7.38%	15.9%	9%	1%	10%	16%
Susan Moore High	4.6%	2.58%	4.52%	6.9%	5%	2%	12%	23%

2019-2020 No Data Reported

Return Year - Virtual students and Virtual Mondays

*estimated based on current data

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Six-Year Attendance Percentages by School/System

	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Appalachian High School	97.25%	96.37%	95.44%	95.88%	97.21%	95.88%
Blountsville Elementary School	97.08%	96.29%	96.03%	96.34%	98.42%	96.88%
Cleveland Elementary School	97.13%	95.45%	94.32%	94.69%	96.20%	95.39%
Cleveland High School	97.26%	96.65%	96.59%	96.51%	96.61%	96.28%
Hayden Primary School	97.49%	95.84%	94.68%	96.19%	98.07%	95.52%
Hayden Elementary School	97.46%	96.63%	95.05%	95.89%	97.30%	95.88%
Hayden Middle School	97.62%	96.14%	94.78%	95.28%	97.49%	95.83%
Hayden High School	96.83%	95.91%	95.27%	95.50%	97.11%	95.59%
Locust Fork Elementary School	96.45%	95.16%	94.49%	94.71%	96.68%	95.89%
Locust Fork High School	96.60%	96.32%	95.56%	95.41%	95.57%	95.88%
Pennington High School	97.34%	95.57%	95.34%	95.43%	96.21%	95.80%
Southeastern High School	97.37%	96.04%	94.93%	95.91%	97.03%	96.16%
Susan Moore Elementary School	96.98%	94.91%	93.36%	94.86%	96.08%	95.33%
Susan Moore High School	97.43%	95.21%	95.00%	95.65%	96.44%	95.80%
Blount County Schools (System)	97.17%	95.87%	95.03%	95.59%	96.95%	95.88%