

STUDENT ATTENDANCE

In accordance with state law, all children between six (6) and eighteen (18) years of age or enrolled in 5 year old kindergarten must attend school fulltime until the end of the term, quarter or semester in which they become eighteen (18) years of age, unless they have a legal excuse, fall under one of the exceptions outlined in the state statutes, or have graduated from high school.

Procedures shall be developed by the administration to enhance the full attendance requirement and to determine appropriate action to serve as a deterrent to truancy. These procedures shall be in accordance with state law, and shall be approved by the Board. The School District of New Holstein shall not deny student credit in a course or subject solely because of a student 's unexcused absences.

Enforcement of student attendance policies and truancy procedures shall be a shared responsibility between the schools, social service agencies, law enforcement officials, students, parents and the community at large.

LEGAL REFERENCES: 118.15 WI Statutes
 118.153 WI Statutes
 118.16 WI Statutes
 118.162 WI Statutes
 118.165 WI Statutes

CROSS REFERENCES: Student Attendance Administrative Procedures
 Children at Risk Plan