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Middle School SCHOOL ATTENDANCE Position Statement

The Catawba County Board of Education, administration personnel, school principals, teachers, and support personnel believe that regular school attendance is the **key** to academic success and development of children into healthy, productive members of our community. The members of our business community stress their need for employees who exhibit good attendance habits. It is crucial for parents to understand that these attendance habits are formed early in school.

Research indicates that school truancy is a contributing factor to behaviors which lead to involvement in violence, substance abuse, and dropping out of school.

For these reasons, the Catawba County School System will aggressively focus on students who are habitually truant or who have excessive absences in order to get them in school on a **daily** basis.

Signature: _____

(Superintendent)

Date: _____

As a parent of _____, I understand the position of the Catawba County School System, will support it, and encourage him/her to maintain **regular daily** attendance.

Signature: _____

(Parent/Guardian)

Date: _____

(Please return this to your student's teacher.)

Students in
Grades 7 and 8
Must be in attendance
90%

(any fraction thereof will be rounded down) of the days enrolled in a Catawba County middle school to be promoted.

Students must also meet the state and local promotion standards which include reaching Level III or IV on the state End-of-Grade Test and attaining passing grades in language arts, mathematics, science, social studies, and one rotation course.

Attendance Review

At the end of the year, a school-based attendance review committee will advise the administration whether circumstances warrant waiver of the non-promotion policy for attendance.

Criteria for review will consist of the following information:

- Comprehensive review of impact of attendance on student's grades
- Medical documentation
- Work missed submitted in timely manner
- Attendance history
- Achievement level
- Teacher input
- Prior grades promotion record

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Kawm Qib Nrab-Middle School
TUAJ KAWM NTAWV RAW SIJHAWM
Lus Tshaj Qhia

Pawg Thawj Tuamxam Tswjfw m Tsev Qhia Ntawv Catawba County School Board of Education, tswjlaug saib kev kawm, thawj xibfwb qhia ntawv, thiab cov xibfwb qhia ntawv nrog rau lwm cov neeg lis dejnum hauv tsev qhiantawv ntseeg tau tias tuaj kawmntawv txhua hnu b yogi b qhov tseemceeb heev rau ib tug menyuam, qhov ntawd yuav pab tau nws ua ib tug laj mej pejxeem zoo. Ntau lub chaw ua haujlwm nyob ib cheebtsam no ntshaw tau cov tib neeg ua haujlwm es tsis niaj hnu b qhaj. Yog li nws yogi b qhov tseemceeb heev uas niamtxiv yuav tsum qhuabntuas txog kev tuaj kawmntawv raws sijhawm thaum tus menyuam tseem yau.

Raws li kev soj ntsuam xyuas, tus menyuam qhaj ntawv es tsis tuaj kawm raws sijhawm coj tus cwjpw m zoo li no yuav ua rau nws xyaum ua neeg phem, siv yeeb siv tshuaj, thiab tawm ntawv tsis rov tuaj kawm. Ntxiv nrog no yog tuaj kawm ntawv txhua hnu b raws sijhawm pab tau rau tus menyuam txoj kev kawm tau ntawv zoo.

Yog vim li no, cov tsev qhia ntawv hauv Catawba County School System yuav ntsuam xyuas cov metub menyuam kawmntawv txhua lub sijhawm. Saib xyuas cov menyuam uas tsis mob siab tuaj kawmntawv kom lawv tuaj kawm ntawv raws sijhawm sib lawv liag, uas yog tuaj kawmntawv **txhua hnu b**.

Suam Npe: _____
(Thawj Tswjfw m Tsev Kawm)

Hnubtim: _____

Raws kev ua niam thiab txiv rau _____, Kuv totaub lub ntsiab lus tshaj txog tuaj kawmntawv raws sijhawm nyob rau hauv tsev qhia ntawv Catawba County School System, yuav koom tes, thiab txhawb nqa kom nws tuaj kawmntawv raws cov **sijhawm txhua hnu b**.

SuamNpe: _____
(Niamtxiv/Tus Saib Xyuas)

Hnubtim: _____

(Thov muab xa rov tuaj rau koj tus menyuam tus xibfwb.)

**Tub Ntxhais Kawmntawv
Qib 7 thiab Qib 8
YuavTsumTuaj Kawmntawv
txog
90%**

(Ncua kev tuaj kawmntawv tsawg hnub los yuav suav los uake) thaum tuaj kawmntawv hauv tsev qhia ntawv Catawba County qib nrab middle school.

Cov menyuum kawmntawv yuav tsum xeeb kom dhau tus xeeb hauv tsev qhia kawm thiab tus xeeb hauv xeeb thaum kawm tag xyoo End-of-Grade Test nrog rau kawm dhau heev Askiv (Language Arts), Leb (mathematics), Khoobkuab (science), kawm txog haiv neeg kev ua no ua haus (social studies), thiab ib hoob kawm nrog.

Ntsuam Txog Tuaj Kawm Tsis Ncua

Thaum kawm tag ib xyoo, pawg xibfwb qhia ntawv yuav los ntsuam xyuas txog tus menyuum kev kawm thiab cov sijhawm tuaj kawmntawv, es seb puas khua yuav tso no nce qib kawm raws kev qhaj ntawv.

- Tej yam uas yuav pab txiav txim rau kev nce qib kawm muaj ntxiv raws cov qhia no:
- Ntsuam txog tuaj kawm tau qhaubnias zoo li cas piv rau cov sijhawm tau qhaj.
- Ntaubntawv ua tiav raws sijhawm qhaj
- Ntawv teev los tom chaw khomob tuaj
- Cov sijhawm tau qhaj
- Kev ntawv puas tau
- Qhov cov xibfwb qhia ntawv pom
- Kawm tau zoo lidas xyoo tag los