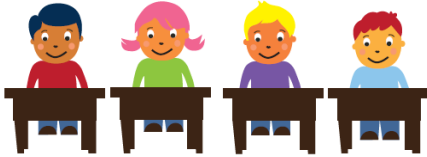


# MY CHILD'S ATTENDANCE GOALS



- My child was absent \_\_\_\_\_ days.
- My child was tardy \_\_\_\_\_ days.
- My goal is to improve my child's attendance.
- I will ensure my child misses no more than \_\_\_\_\_ days and is tardy no more than \_\_\_\_\_ days for the rest of the year.

To improve my child's attendance, I commit to the following:

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

*We will review progress to meet this goal at the next Parent-Teacher Conference.*

## POSSIBLE STRATEGIES TO REACH YOUR CHILD'S ATTENDANCE GOALS

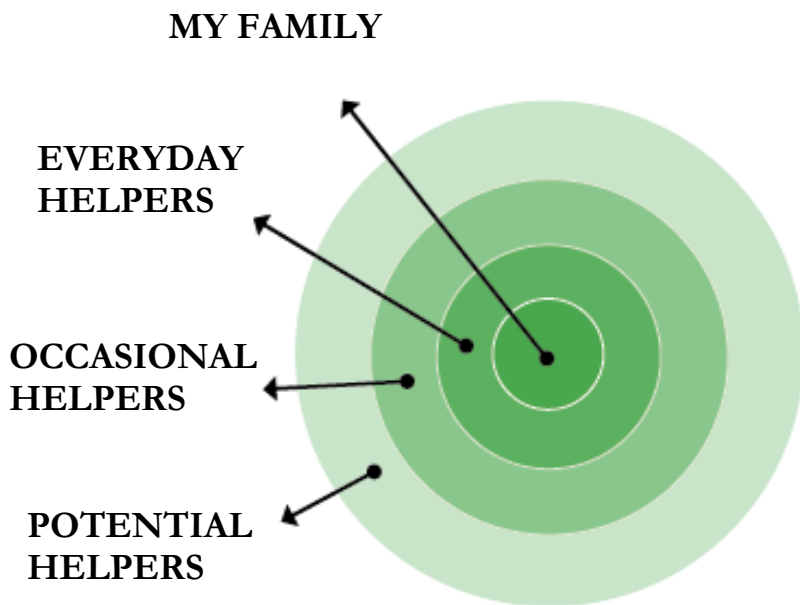
- I will keep an attendance chart at home. At the end of the week, I will reward my child for attending school every day with \_\_\_\_\_.  
(i.e. A visit to the park, extra screen time, a special treat)
- I will make sure my child is in bed by \_\_\_\_\_ p.m. and the alarm clock is set for \_\_\_\_\_ a.m.
- If my child consistently complains of a stomachache or headache and medical concerns have been ruled out, I will send him/her to school anyway and call Counselor \_\_\_\_\_ so that he/she can check in with him/her during the school day.
- If my child has a cold but no fever (less than 100 degrees), I will send him/her to school anyway. If I don't have a thermometer, I will purchase or borrow one.
- I will find a relative, friend, or neighbor who can take my child to school if I can't make it or if he/she missed the bus.
- I will set up medical and dental appointments for weekdays after 3:30 p.m.



To learn more, please visit  
[www.attendanceworks.org](http://www.attendanceworks.org) or [www.ar-GLR.net](http://www.ar-GLR.net)



# MY FAMILY'S HELP BANK



1. **My Family:** List who lives in your house.
2. **Everyday Helpers:** Identify who you can call on to help drop your child off or who can pick him or her up when you cannot. These are people like friends, neighbors and relatives who can help regularly.
3. **Occasional Helpers:** Identify people who probably cannot help everyday, but can help in a pinch. Maybe it's a godparent, a relative or a friend who lives outside your neighborhood but can be there for short stints.
4. **Potential Helpers:** Identify people who are part of your school community, church or neighborhood who are able to help—if you ask.

1. **My Family:**

2. **Everyday Helpers:**

3. **Occasional Helpers:**

4. **Potential Helpers:**

If I need help getting my child to and from school, I will ask the following people to be our back-up:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_

## 2015-2016 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

August 2015						
Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
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September 2015						
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October 2015						
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November 2015						
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December 2015						
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January 2016						
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February 2016						
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March 2016						
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April 2016						
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May 2016						
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**CHRONIC ABSENCE** = 18 absences  
(10% of school year)

**Warning Signs** = 10 to 17 absences

**Satisfactory Attendance** = 9 or fewer absences

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