

CHATTAHOOCHEE COUNTY SCHOOLS ATTENDANCE PROTOCOL

STUDENT ABSENCES

PROCEDURES SUMMARY

Initial Attendance Letter



Attendance letter sent to parent/ guardian reviewing **Georgia law O.C.G.A. 20- 2-690.1** enclosed in student information packet

All Absences



System notifies parent/guardian via text/telephone call

10th Unexcused Absence



System notifies parent/guardian via email and text when student has minimum 10 unexcused absences and is eligible for Saturday School.

15th Unexcused Absence



System notifies parent via text and email when student is **truant per Georgia law**.

More than 15 Unexcused Absences



Contact attempts are made via calls and home visits. **Truancy Meeting is held**, certified letter is mailed, court or other intervention is sought.