

# Coffee with the Principal



**2019-2020**

# High Desert Academy of Applied Arts and Sciences

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Serrano MS

Martin Luther King  
MS

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# Ontario-Montclair School District

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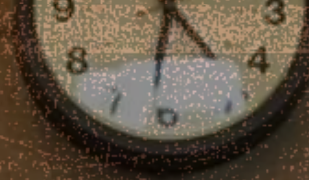


**SERRANO**  
**MIDDLE SCHOOL**

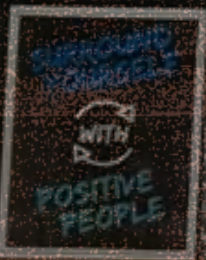
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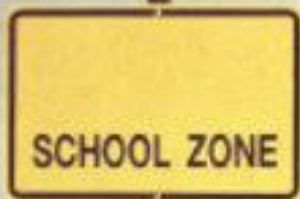
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# WHY I TEACH







# SCHOOL SAFETY: A **SHARED** RESPONSIBILITY



# STUDENT ATTENDANCE MATTERS

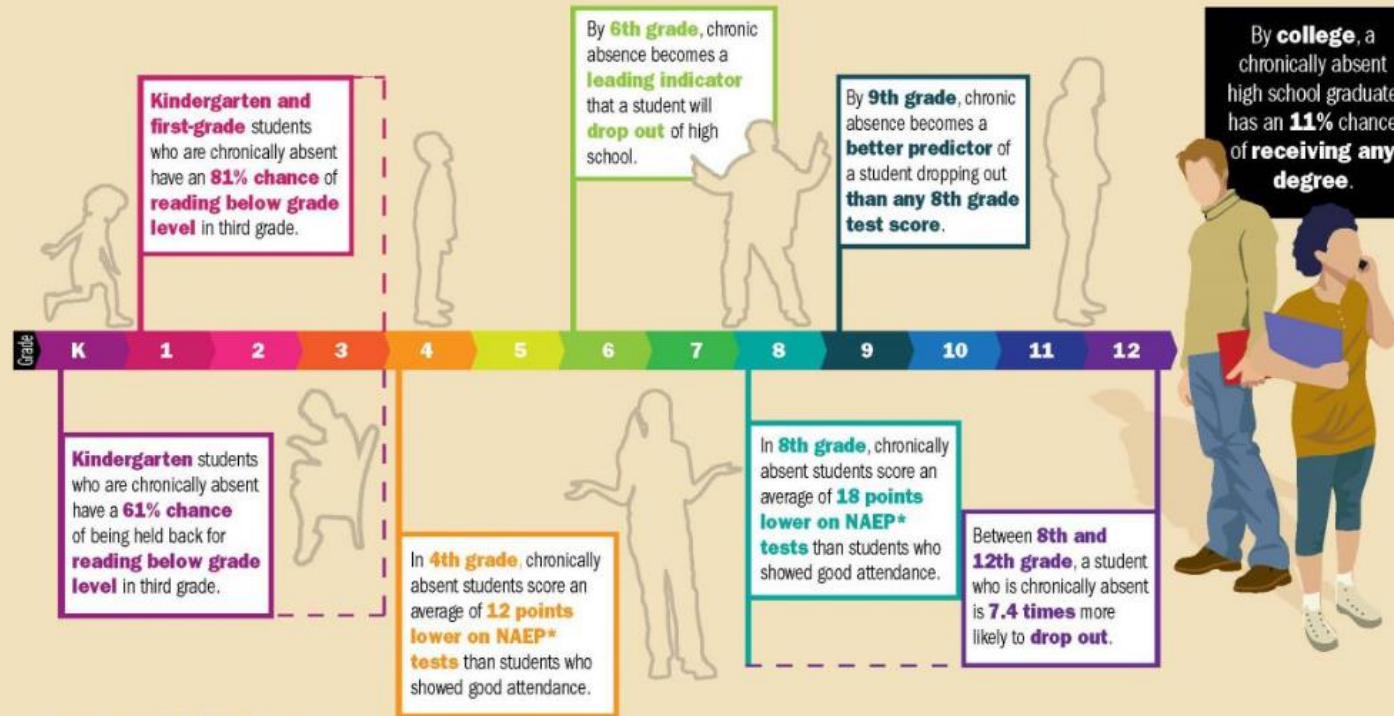
There are an estimated 5–7.5 million students in the United States who are chronically absent from school.

Chronic absenteeism hurts students in a variety of ways as they progress through their school career, starting with kindergarten.

## DEFINITIONS:

**Chronic Absence** – Missing 2 days each month, totaling 18 days, equals 10% of the school year

**Good Attendance** – Missing 9 days or less in a school year (5%)



\*National Assessment of Educational Progress

Q&A







**NEXT COFFEE  
WITH PRINCIPAL**



**September 5  
9:30**