



Overcoming Chronic Absenteeism: Solutions for School Leaders

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Post-webinar Links & Resources

Watch the recording

- <https://youtu.be/4XXCHF4d268>

Download the presentation slides

- <https://www.attendanceworks.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Overcoming-Chronic-Absenteeism-Solutions-for-School-Leaders-Feb-27-2024-FINAL.pdf>

Handouts

- [Handouts for Families](#) (in multiple languages)
- [Health Handouts](#), including:
 - [Health Guidance for Going to School](#)
 - [Tips for Staying Healthy](#)
 - [Handout about Anxiety](#)
- [Student Attendance Success Plans](#)

Messaging

- [Spring Attendance Slump](#)
- [Winter Weather Messaging](#)

Tips & Tools

- [3 Tiers of Intervention](#), including a sample pyramid worksheet
- [Tips for Recognizing Good and Improved Attendance](#) and [Tips for Educators](#)
- [Year-Long Planning Calendars](#)
- [Showing Up Matters for R.E.A.L.](#) provides tips for communicating with students and families
- [Qualitative Data Tools](#) include empathy interviews, 2x10 relationship building, student focus groups, an attendance café, and student surveys
- Explore the [root causes](#) of absence
- Attendance related [research](#)
- [More free resources](#) from Attendance Works

From FutureEd and Attendance Works:

- [Attendance Playbook: Smart Solutions for Reducing Student Absenteeism Post-Pandemic](#)
- [Attendance Playbook Implementation Guide](#)

More resource links from chat

Starting a [Walking School Bus](#)

From Connecticut:

- Overview of the Learner Engagement and Attendance Program (LEAP)
 - <https://portal.ct.gov/SDE/Chronic-Absence/Learner-Engagement-and-Attendance-Program-LEAP>
- Report: The LEAP Effect: Taking a Systemic Approach to Improving Attendance & Engagement
 - <https://portal.ct.gov/-/media/SDE/Chronic-Absence/LEAP/The-LEAP-Effect.pdf>

Parent Teacher Home Visits program

- <https://pthvp.org/>

Brag tags from SchoolLife

- <https://www.schoollife.com/school-products/brag-tags/attendance-themes.html>