Student:Grade:
AP Teacher Name:
Date(s) of Truancy:
Student missed: Period #
Parent/Guardian spoken to:
Date of Phone call:
Incident of Truancy: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6(indicate as appropriate)
Teacher Comments:

OHS ATTENDANCE POLICY 2011-2012

Students must provide appropriate excuses for each absence to their AP teacher within 2 days of the absence. A parent/guardian may call the main office at 357-4015 and leave a message at any time, 24 hours a day. Excessive tardiness and excessive absenteeism will be dealt with as disciplinary matters.

- Students are responsible for attending all classes, obtaining any missed work and supplying an excuse to the Achievement Period teacher within two days of their return.
- responsible **Parents** are for their son/daughter's attendance and for encouraging students to come to school and providing excuses for all absences within two days of the student's return. The excuse must include: the current date, the date of absences, a valid reason for the absence from school and the parent/guardian signature. A phone call or email with all of the same information included will also be accepted.
- All students must sign out with a written excuse from their parent/guardian or they may be signed out at the office by the parent/guardian.
- All students must sign in at office with a note from their parent/guardian if arriving after first period or they may be signed in by their parent/guardian at the main office.
- Subject teachers are responsible for inputting attendance records on the computer each day.
- Achievement Period teachers will contact home regarding unexcused absences.
- Consequences of an unexcused absence will be: students will receive zero on all tests and assignments due on that day – until an excuse is received. In order for the student to receive value for the work the student must produce verification from the home of the excused absence.

Education Act- Province of New Brunswick: Roles of Parents: 13 (1) In support of the learning success of his or her child and the learning environment at the school, a parent is expected to (c) cause his or her child to attend school as required by this act. Duties of pupils: 14 (1) It is the duty of a pupil to (a) participate in learning opportunities to his or her potential, (d) attend school regularly and punctually. (h) comply with all school policies.

Truancy Policy Per Incident

First: ONE NOON DETENTION Second: TWO NOON DETENTIONS

Third: IN-SCHOOL SUSPENSION - 2 DAYS
Fourth: OUT-OF-SCHOOL SUSPENSION - 2 DAYS
Fifth: OUT-OF-SCHOOL SUSPENSION - 3 DAYS
Sixth: POSSIBLE SEMESTER SUSPENSION

EACH STEP REQUIRES THE AP TEACHER TO:

• CALL HOME

• FILL OUT A GUIDANCE SHEET COPY TO APPROPRIATE ADMIN AND COUNSELLOR

Questions to address Truancy/Attendance (Please complete with studentattach pages if needed)
1. When you are not in school, what are you doing? Who are you doing it with?
2. What are the consequences of your missing time from school? At home and at school.
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3. What do you want to do after high school? How does good attendance influence those goals?
4. What can we do to help you attend regularly? What can you do to help you attend regularly?
5. Do you know the administration process for continued truancy?
6. How do your friends influence your attendance?