



Beverly Hills International

School

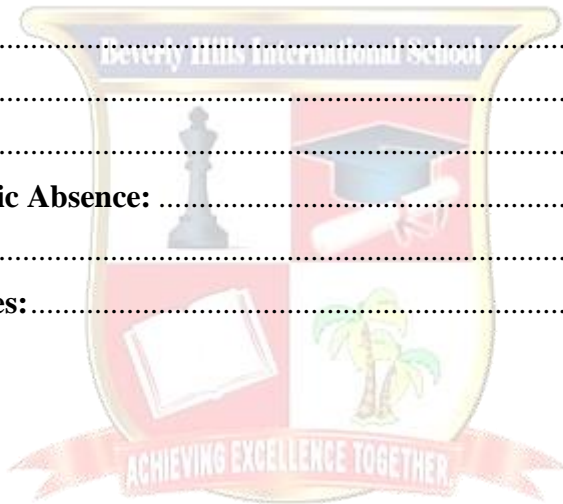
Students' Attendance

Policy



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1- Beverly Hills International School Mission and Vision:

Mission:

Our mission is to deliver exceptional education to all students and the community, while fostering citizenship, ethical values, and social responsibility."

Vision:

Our vision is to nurture a generation that is creative, caring, and proud of its heritage. We strive to provide an inspiring environment that fosters critical thinking, creativity, empowerment, and the achievement of personal and academic excellence beyond all expectations.



2- Introduction:

At Beverly Hills International School, we recognize the crucial link between school attendance, punctuality, and academic performance. Consistent attendance and punctuality are foundational elements in achieving our mission of providing the highest quality education. Research underscores that missing as few as two days per month, or 10% of school days, significantly impacts a student's academic performance, marking the onset of persistent absence.

3- Attendance Targets:

Our target is to maintain a 97% attendance rate throughout the school for grades 1 to 11. With approximately 180 academic days per year, we expect students not to exceed 11 days of absence per academic year (3 days per term) to uphold our high standards.

4- Attendance Categories:

- 1- Requiring Improvement (90% to 95%): If a student's attendance falls below 95% but remains above 90%, it is deemed requiring improvement. Monitoring will be initiated to meet the school's attendance target.
- 2- Persistent Absence (80% to 90%): A student with an attendance rate below 90% is considered persistently absent, which adversely affects their chances of success in school.
- 3- Chronic Absence (Below 80%): Attendance below 80% is deemed chronic absence, necessitating a meeting with the principal to discuss urgent improvement measures.

5- Consequences of Chronic Absence:

If a student's attendance falls significantly below 80% in a term, they may be restricted from participating in end-of-term assessments and exams.

If a student is absent for more than 32 days in the school year, their enrollment for the following academic year may be reconsidered.

6- Purpose of the Policy:

The primary objectives of this policy are:

1- Awareness of Responsibilities:

- Ensure all parties (students, parents, and staff) are cognizant of their responsibilities concerning attendance.

2- Promote High Levels of Attendance:



- Foster an environment conducive to exceptional achievement, progress, and personal growth by maintaining high levels of attendance.

7- Rights & Responsibilities:

Improving attendance is a shared responsibility within the Beverly Hills International School community. Students, parents, and all staff members play a crucial role in promoting consistent attendance, which directly contributes to the overall success of our students.

