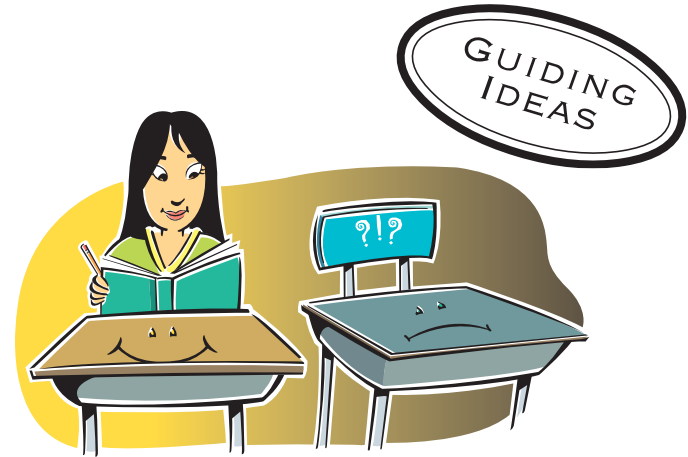


Attendance is Key to Academic Success

Getting an education is your child's most important job right now. And no teacher can teach a child who is not in class. It's that simple. One of the most important things you can do as a parent is to get your child to school on time every day. Follow these tips:

- Enforce a regular bedtime for your child.
- Schedule medical and dental appointments before or after school.
- Plan family vacations during school breaks.
- Limit before- and after-school activities if your child is too tired to do homework or get up in the morning.
- Make sure the school knows how to reach you if your child is absent.



- Support school rules and consequences for skipping classes and being tardy. Parents who let their kids miss a lot of school are setting them up for failure in school—and later in life. Learning builds day by day. Make sure your child attends school every day.

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