New Dimensions High School Attendance Policy

ABSCENSES

Students are expected to be present and punctual for all classes throughout the year. Any absence requires your parent or guardian to personally call (407) 870-9949 between 8:30 am and 1:00 p.m. the day of your absence. To be classified as excused absences, a telephone call or a note from the parents must verify all absences. All students who were absent will report directly to the front office and bring in notes to excuse their absences before school to receive an admit. Three absences per semester will result in a letter of concern and warning. Five absences will require a mandatory parent meeting. If attendance does not improve, student enrollment may be revoked at NDHS.

The following reasons for absences are valid:

- Serious illness / injury to the student or immediate family
- Death of immediate family
- Court appearance
- Religious holiday

TARDINESS

A tardy at New Dimensions High School will be counted if the student is not in the classroom at the indicated time. The teacher will handle the first three tardies to class. Participation grades in each class will be affected by tardiness. Tardiness more than a half period will be treated as an absence. An accumulation of 3 tardies equates to 1 absence. Absences may result in the loss of credit. Upon the third tardy to school in the morning will result in detention and revocation of parking privileges on campus. Continued tardies after the detention is considered insubordination and will result in out-of-school suspension.