

NEW MEXICO SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS
HIGH SCHOOL

STUDENT TARDY POLICY

New Mexico School for the Arts (the "School"), is a New Mexico public, statewide, residential, state chartered high school for students with exceptional promise in the arts.

Since absences and tardiness cause a student to miss classroom instruction and interrupt students and teachers in class, regular and punctual attendance to class is essential. The process of education cannot take place when a student is frequently absent from the educational setting. A daily record of attendance to class is entered by the teachers indicating absences and tardiness.

In compliance with NMAC 6.10.8, Compulsory School Attendance, NMSA will meet all student attendance policies.

A Student Tardy procedure will be set forth in the Student/Family Handbook.


This Student Tardy Policy was adopted by action of the Governing Council of the School, effective as of August 4, 2015, amended October 6, 2015.

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