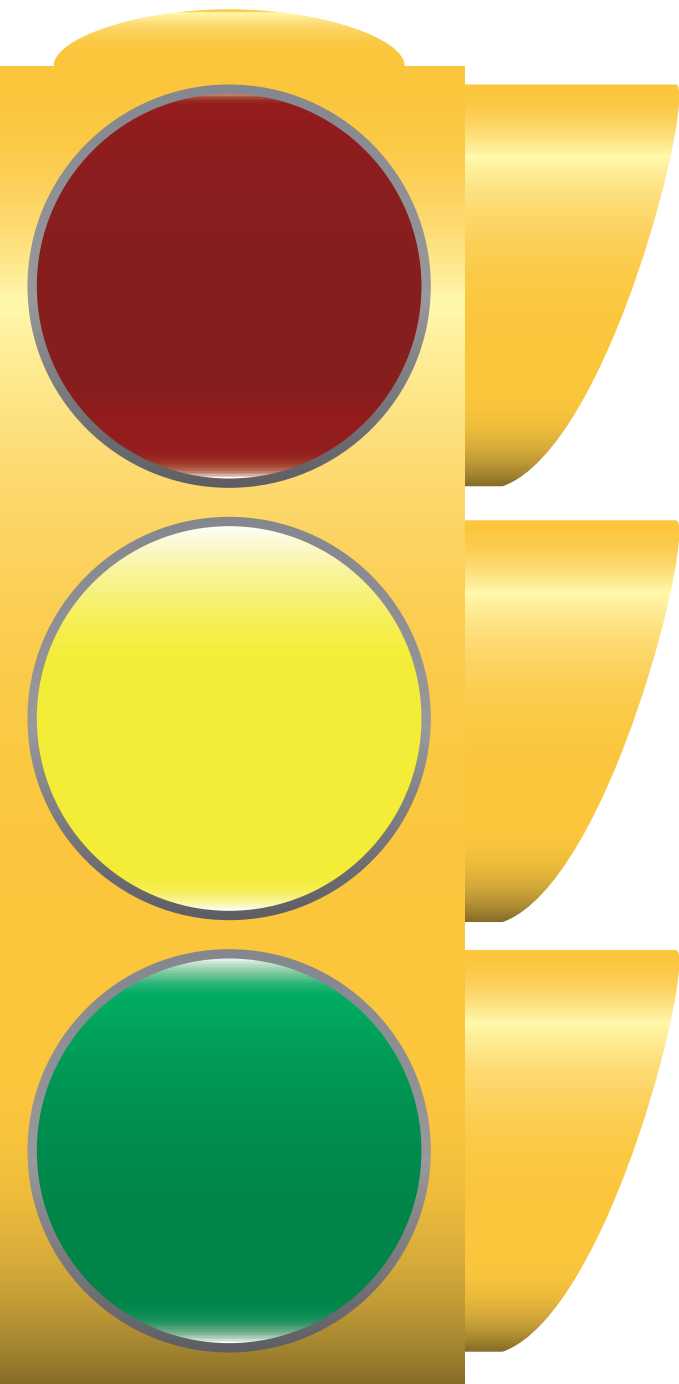


ATTENDANCE MATTERS



CHRONIC ABSENCES

18 OR MORE DAYS

Excused and unexcused absences represent lost time in the classroom and lost opportunities to learn.

Missing just one day every two weeks can add up to 18 days in a year. Absences add up before you even know it.

WARNING

10 TO 17 DAYS

Students who are absent an average of 15 days a year miss a year's worth of school before their senior year.

When students miss a day of school it actually puts them two days behind their classmates.

GOOD ATTENDANCE

9 OR FEWER ABSENCES

Students with good attendance generally achieve higher grades and enjoy school more.

Children benefit and make the most of their educational opportunities if they attend school regularly and on time.



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