

Attendance Acknowledgement

As a college preparatory school, Lake Norman Charter wants to make sure that our new families are aware of policies that we have in place to ensure that our students are in attendance and minimize absences which have a direct effect on student learning.

First and foremost, it is imperative that you have your student be present while school is in session, beginning with the first day. Not only do students who miss the beginning of school struggle to keep up with expected work, they also miss important information and materials which ensure their success for the remainder of the school year. Students who do not attend from the first day of school cost the school thousands of dollars in funding. For these reasons, LNC parents are expected to make every effort to support this goal (i.e. do not schedule vacations while school is in session).

Withdrawal Policy

Also, please be aware that a student permanently forfeits his or her slot awarded via the lottery selection process upon written withdrawal from Lake Norman Charter School or by making a request for records to be sent to another school for enrollment at that school. In addition, should a student fail to attend school on the first scheduled day of the current school year without any prior notice of absence to the school, LNC will make attempts to contact the family or legal guardian to determine the reason for the student's absence. Contact attempts will be made by both telephone and e-mail using the contact information provided by the parent/guardian during the registration process. We will make multiple attempts to contact the student's family during the first three days of the current school year. If, after the second documented attempt, the family fails to make contact with the school within 48 hours of such second attempt and/or the student fails to attend school, the school will withdraw the student from LNC's roster with no eligibility for re-enrollment for the remainder of the then-current school year.

After withdrawal, a former student who desires to re-enroll at LNC will not receive any advantages and will be required to follow the same application procedures and timelines as all other applicants for the next available lottery selection process.

I have read the attendance expectations and policy above. I understand and agree that as an LNC parent partner, I will make every effort to have my student(s) be at school when it is in session.

Student Name:		
Parent Signature:	Date	