

Links shared during AAC 2025 Webinar 4, Family Engagement Lays the Foundation for Attendance and Learning, held on September 24, 2025

Attendance Works Resources:

- **Attendance Works Webinars**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/resources/webinars/>
- **What's the Difference Between Chronic Absence and Truancy?**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/whats-the-difference-between-chronic-absence-and-truancy/>
- **Root Causes of Chronic Absence**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/chronic-absence/addressing-chronic-absence/3-tiers-of-intervention/root-causes/>
- **Identifying Root Causes Worksheet**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Root-Causes-Worksheet-9-8-25-v2.pdf>
- **Student Attendance Success Plans**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/resources/student-attendance-success-plans/>
- **Interactive Exercises**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/resources/exercises/>
- **Early Matters: District and Site Level Practices**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/resources/toolkits/integrating-attendance-into-kindergarten-transition/data-informed-teams/>
- **The Hidden Struggle of School Avoidance**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/the-hidden-struggle-of-school-avoidance/>
- **Is Anxiety Driving Up Chronic Absence Rates?**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/is-anxiety-driving-up>
- **Why Attendance Matters for Health Care Providers**
 - <https://www.attendanceworks.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/06/Health-Care-Providers-Dec-2024.pdf>
- **Key Messages for 2025**
 - <https://awareness.attendanceworks.org/resources/count-us-toolkit/what-are-the-key-messages-2/>
- **Promotional Materials**
 - <https://awareness.attendanceworks.org/resources/promotional-materials/>
- **Donate to Attendance Works today!**
 - https://give.communityin.org/AttendanceWorks?ref=ab_9mj1AGvibmu9mj1AGvibmu

External Resources

- **Parents for Public Schools**

- <https://parents4publicschools.org/>
- **Return to Learn Tracker**
 - <https://www.returntolearntracker.net/>
- **The New Absenteeism: Five Profiles of Student Engagement**
 - <https://www.reinventionlab.org/our-work/the-new-absenteeism>
- **2x10 Relationship Building: How to Do It (and Why It Works!)**
 - <https://www.panoramaed.com/blog/2x10-relationship-building-strategy>
- **Relationship Strategy Bank**
 - https://turnaround.ams3.digitaloceanspaces.com/wp-content/uploads/2020/11/20102928/TX_DR_CP3_IndivRelStrategies_Dec20.pdf
- **Six Shifts to Better Family Engagement**
 - <https://blog.searchinstitute.org/six-shifts-better-family-engagement>
- **Smarter Data. Stronger Family Engagement. Improved Attendance.**
 - <https://talkingpts.org/improve-attendance/>
- **New Research Finds a Crucial Factor in Reducing Chronic Absenteeism**
 - <https://bealearninghero.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/New-Research-Finds-a-Crucial-Factor-in-Reducing-Chronic-Absenteeism.pdf>
- **A Parent Reflects on Building Relationships with Teachers**
 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vbyhao0FtaQ>
- **Southeast Polk Community School District**
 - <https://www.southeastpolk.org/>
- **Perris Union High School District**
 - <https://www.puhisd.org/>
- **Wicomico County Public Schools**
 - <https://www.wicomicoschools.org/>
- **The Key to Getting Students Back in Classrooms? Establishing Connections.**
 - <https://www.nytimes.com/2022/10/06/education/learning/students-school-absenteeism.html>
- **Why School Absences Have ‘Exploded’ Almost Everywhere**
 - <https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2024/03/29/us/chronic-absences.html>
- **Attendance Matters! - Kentucky Department of Education**
 - <https://www.education.ky.gov/school/Pages/Chronic-Absenteeism.aspx>
- **Absenteeism and Truancy Prevention - Utah State Board of Education**
 - <https://www.schools.utah.gov/prevention/absenteeismtruancyprevention>