

# Weld Re-9 Attendance Document

## Chronic Absenteeism Statement

Weld Re9 School District recognizes that strong attendance is a vital part of student success. Chronic absenteeism addresses the number of days a student misses for any reason. We consider that absences in excess of 17 student days (approximately 10%) in a single school year will be chronic absenteeism. Research shows that chronic absenteeism has significant, negative consequences for students.