

# Grant County Education Service District

Code: **JEDA**  
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## Truancy\*\*

“Truancy” is defined as absence from school or class without permission.

The ESD believes irregular attendance is one of the factors associated with student failure and frustration with the school experience. A fundamental purpose for insisting on punctual, regular attendance is to help each student develop habits of responsibility.

With these beliefs in mind, the ESD will develop procedures that foster a partnership with component school districts and parents in the early detection of truancy.

The district will provide for related counseling and appropriate consequences<sup>1</sup> in accordance with the student’s individualized education program (IEP).

ESD staff working in component school districts, their students and parents shall comply with local district policies and procedures.

END OF POLICY

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### Legal Reference(s):

[ORS 334.125\(7\)](#)

[ORS 339.040 to -339.090](#)

[ORS 339.240 to -339.250](#)

[OAR 581-021-0050 to -0075](#)

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<sup>1</sup>Expulsion may not be used to address truancy. (ORS 339.250(2)(b)(B))