



# WSESU K-12 School Attendance

**Purpose:** To assure that the students and their families in WSESU K-12 schools have support in ensuring attendance at school. The intent is to ensure that students are in school and learning. Daily school attendance is critical to successful school performance. Being present on time is a life skill to be cultivated. The long term goal is for all students to gain an education and all that it makes possible. Measurable outcomes include an increase in attendance rates, a reduction of the drop-out rate and the number of juveniles on the Department of Children and Families (DCF) caseload.

**Protocol Approach:** This school attendance protocol utilizes a team approach, if necessary, to explore with the student and family what obstacles are hindering school attendance. An individualized

