



UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT AGENDA ACTION ITEM

TOPIC: Low Attendance Day Waiver for Tuesday, May 26, 2026 for the following campuses: Cuellar Elementary, Antonio Gonzalez Middle School, STEP Academy, and Lyndon B. Johnson High School.

SUBMITTED BY: Thelma Martinez **OF:** Admissions, Attendance, Drop Out Recovery and Planning Dept.

APPROVED FOR TRANSMITTAL TO SCHOOL BOARD: _____

DATE ASSIGNED FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION: June 10, 2026

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the Low Attendance Day Waiver for the District on May 26, 2026.

Districts or campuses may request a waiver for a day when school was held, but attendance was at least 10 percentage points below the overall average attendance rate for your district or the applicable campus for the prior year because of inclement weather, health, or safety issues. Districts may apply for a waiver to have the day excluded from ADA and FSP funding calculations.

RATIONALE:

The following campuses were open for instruction on Tuesday, May 26, 2026; however, due to a health issue (water), the campuses had an attendance rate of 10% points or more as compared to the previous year: **Cuellar Elementary 83.96%/94.23%/-10.27%; Antonio Gonzalez Middle 82.30%/93.3%/-11%; STEP Academy 73.05%/84%/-10.95%; and Lyndon B. Johnson High School 78.46%/90.03%/-11.57%.**

The Attendance & Admissions Department has supporting documentation to provide to TEA to request this waiver, if approved to submit. All our campuses have enough minutes to satisfy the 75,600 minutes required by TEA for the academic year to request this waiver.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

N/A

BOARD POLICY REFERENCE AND COMPLIANCE:

Board Policy: FEB Local Attendance Accounting and BF Board Policies

Attendance Low Attendance Waiver

School	Date	Attendance Rate	2024-2025 ADA	% Difference	Reason
Henry Cuellar Elementary	05/26/2026	83.96%	94.23%	-10.27%	Health
Antonio Gonzalez Middle	05/26/2026	82.30%	93.30%	-11.00%	Health
S.T.E.P. Academy	05/26/2026	73.05%	84.00%	-10.95%	Health
L.B. Johnson High	05/26/2026	78.46%	90.03%	-11.57%	Health