

EXEMPTIONS FROM ATTENDANCE

Requests for exemption from compulsory full-time attendance must include satisfactory evidence of conditions upon which an exemption can be legally justified.

Children who fall into the following classes may be exempted:

1. Children whose physical or mental condition is such as to prevent or make inadvisable attendance at school or application to study. Satisfactory evidence of the condition shall be required, such as a statement attesting to the condition from a qualified medical practitioner. (*Education Code 48221*)
2. Children who are being instructed in a private full-time school. The attendance supervisor or designee shall verify that the private school complies with Education Code 33190 before such exemptions are valid. (*Education Codes 48222, 48223*)
3. Children who are being instructed by a tutor who holds a valid state credential for the grade taught. The instruction shall consist of study and recitation for at least three (3) hours a day for one hundred seventy-five (175) days of each calendar year. (*Education Code 48224*)
4. Children holding work permits shall be exempted from full-time attendance, but must attend part-time classes. (*Education Code 48230*)
5. Students between the ages of twelve (12) and eighteen (18) who enter a school attendance area from another state within ten (10) days of the end of the school term shall be exempted for the remainder of the term. (*Education Code 48213*)
6. Students who have graduated from a public or private high school maintaining a four (4) year course above the eighth grade. (*Education Code 48410*)
7. Students who have successfully demonstrated proficiency equal or great than standards established by the State Department of Education and have verified approval submitted by their parent/guardian. (*Education Code 48410*)