

STUDENTS

Compulsory Attendance

Parents are responsible for seeing that their children who are eight to 18 years of age attend school, except that parents of children 15 to 18 years of age are not required to see that their children attend school if they:

1. have demonstrated a proficiency in the subject matter taught in the first nine grades of school, or
2. are engaged in a useful occupation, or
3. have met graduation requirements, or
4. have received a certificate of educational competence.

Legal Reference: [RCW 28A.225.010](#) Attendance mandatory
 [080](#) Employment permits
 [090](#) Penalties in general

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