

Setup an Attendance Notification FACTS

From Main Menu select **System > Maintenance Manager**. Select **Attendance Notification** from the drop-down list and Click **Add**

The screenshot shows the 'Maintenance Manager' interface. It features a table with two columns: 'Type' and 'Description'. The table contains three rows: 'Custom Maintenance Job' with description 'custom/Covid/CovidEntryMissing.cfm', 'Demographics Clean Up' with description 'Demographics Cleanup', and 'Web Form Notification' with description 'Web Forms Updated'. Below the table is a form with a 'Maintenance Type' dropdown menu set to 'Attendance Notification' and an 'ADD' button. Two callout boxes with red arrows point to the dropdown and the 'ADD' button. The first box says '1. Select Attendance Notification' and the second says '2. Click Add'.

Type	Description
Custom Maintenance Job	custom/Covid/CovidEntryMissing.cfm
Demographics Clean Up	Demographics Cleanup
Web Form Notification	Web Forms Updated

Maintenance Type: Attendance Notification [ADD]

Type in a **Description**

The screenshot shows the 'Attendance Notification' form. It has a 'Main Menu' button and a 'Description' field containing the text 'Absent'. A callout box with a red arrow points to the 'Description' field, containing the text 'Type in a Description'.

Select the **Counting Method**, there are Four (4) to choose from:

- 1. Period Attendance (Individual Classes):** Used to flag each time the student is marked absent from a class or to notify each time a threshold of absences per class has been met.
Ex: A notification is triggered when a student receives three absences in Homeroom
- 2. Period Attendance (Combined Classes):** Compiles all attendance marks for all classes in which a student is enrolled.
Ex: A notification is triggered when a student receives 3 absences in English Literature AND Algebra I combined.
- 3 Day Attendance:** Used to identify when a student has missed a certain number of **days (not classes)**.
Ex: A notification is **NOT** triggered when a student is marked absent in English Literature and Algebra I because two period absences do not constitute being absent for the day (depending on attendance method).
- 4. Specific Attendance Code(s):** Type the desired attendance codes, separated by commas with no spaces. Ex: A notification is triggered when a student is marked "S" or "W"

Type a **Threshold** For ex: type "5" if the email is to be sent when a student has 5 absences

Attendance Notification

Main Menu

Description
Absent

Counting Method

- Period Attendance (Individual Classes)
- Period Attendance (Combined Classes)
- Day Attendance
- Specific Attendance Code(s)

Threshold

1. Select the Counting Method (points to Day Attendance)

2. Type a Threshold (points to the threshold input field)

Select the **Time Frame** (Single Day, Current Term, Current Semester) and Select the **Attendance Code** (Absent Excused, Absent Unexcused, Tardy Excused, Tardy Unexcused) to Trigger the notification

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Time Frame

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- Current Semester
- Current Term
- Current Year
- Custom

Attendance Code

- Absent Excused
- Absent Unexcused
- Tardy Excused
- Tardy Unexcused

Notification Source

- Instructor of class
- School representative

Grade Level(s) PK3,PK4,K,01,02,03,04,05,

Notification Destination

- Student
- Parents
- Advisor
- School Representative (email address)

1. Select Time Frame (points to Single Day)

2. Select the Attendance Code (points to Absent Excused)

Select the **Frequency** with which to run the job (Run Daily, Run Weekly) and Select the **Run Time** job should execute

****Please Note: Maintenance Manager jobs are executed based on Eastern Time****

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Attendance Code

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Notification Source

- Instructor of class
- School representative

Grade Level(s) PK3,PK4,K,01,02,03,04,05,

Frequency

- Disable
- Run Daily
- Run Weekly

Run at:

Notification Destination

- Student
- Parents
- Advisor
- School Representative (email address)

2. Select the Frequency (points to Run Daily)

2. Select the Run Time (points to the Run at: input field)

Type the **Grade Levels** to include. They should be typed exactly as configured, separated by commas with no spaces (For ex: *K,01,02,03,04,05) and Select a **Notification Source** (Person Sending Notification) from dropdown

The screenshot shows the 'Attendance Notification' configuration form. A callout box labeled '1. Type the Grade Levels' points to the 'Grade Level(s)' field, which contains '01,02,03,04,05,06,07,08'. Another callout box labeled '2. Select a Notification Source' points to the 'Notification Source' dropdown menu, which is set to 'School representative' with 'Doe, John' selected below it.

Select **Recipient Types** (Ex: Student, Parents) for Notification Destination (Multiple types may be selected) and Type a **Notification Message** (Ex: Text, Email, Voice)

The screenshot shows the 'Attendance Notification' configuration form with the 'Description' field set to 'Absent'. A callout box labeled '1. Select Recipient Types' points to the 'Notification Destination' section, where the 'Parents' checkbox is checked. Another callout box labeled '2. Type a Notification Message' points to the 'Text Message' field, which contains the message: 'Your child was absent from Homeroom today. Please call the main office if you have not already done so. In addition, please send an absent note.'

In the Variable List, **double-click on Variables** to insert them into the email. For example, double-click Student Name to personalize the notification with the name of the. The {History} variable will display the attendance history for the selected time frame. Select **Save** to **Save** your Changes

The screenshot shows a software interface titled "Notification Message". At the top, there is a toolbar with icons for undo, redo, bold (B), italic (I), underline (U), bulleted list, numbered list, decrease indent, increase indent, link, unlink, and a size selector. To the right of the toolbar is a "Variables" dropdown menu. A red arrow points from a callout box to this dropdown. The dropdown menu is open, showing a list of variables: History, Parent Name, Student First Name, Student Full Name, Class Name, Class Title, and Teacher Name. The main text area contains the text: "{StudentFullName} was absent from Homeroom today. Please call the parent at [phone number] so. In addition, please send an absent note. Thank you". At the bottom left, there are "Save" and "Cancel" buttons. A red arrow points from a second callout box to the "Save" button.

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