## VARIABLE CREDIT

## **COUNTS TOWARD CREDIT LOSS**

•	U	<b>Unexcused Absence</b>	$6 \frac{1}{2}$ U = loss of 1 credit
•	A	<b>Unverified Absence</b>	Becomes a U in 3 days without a parent note or phone call
•	T	Tardy	2 tardies = 1 unexcused absence
•	L	30+ Minutes Late	Counts as an Unexcused Absence
•	0	Other	School knows reason for absence but the reason <u>does not</u> meet legal definition of an excused absence

## DO NOT COUNT TOWARDS CREDIT LOSS

- V Approved School Activity
- I Ill (sick)
- X Illness / Appointment with a doctor note
- Z Excused tardy, verified

## LOSS OF CREDIT DUE TO UNEXCUSED ABSENCES AND TARDIES

Students have an opportunity to earn full credit in a class by being punctual, attending class regularly, completing assignments, participating and passing tests. In addition to potential legal consequences, unexcused absences and tardies can also result in credit loss, which can affect graduation.

UNEXCUSED ABSENCES PER SEMESTER	<u>CREDITS EARNED</u>
0 - 6	5
6.5 - 13	4
13.5 - 20	3
20.5 - 27	2
27.5 - 35	1
35.5+	0

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