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Brief Title: Regarding students with unexcused absences from school on whose behalf public assistance is received.

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Provides that, if a school has received notification under RCW 28A.225.035(4) that a child is a member of an assistance unit receiving temporary assistance for needy families, the school shall report to the court when the child has missed twenty days of school within five days of the twentieth absence.

A court receiving notification that a child who is a member of an assistance unit receiving temporary assistance for needy families has missed twenty days of school shall order the department of social and health services to withhold twenty-five dollars from the assistance unit's warrant for each day the child misses school beyond the initial twenty days.