

# Attendance Interventions

## School Systems

- Green Zone, Yellow Zone, Red Zone
- Data – Current, Accurate, Accessible
- Attendance Protocol – Calls, Letters, Contact/Connection, Meetings
- Student Level Systems – CICO, Good Job Slips, Attendance Awards
- Partnerships- SUN, Head Start, Human Solutions, Trillium, DHS
- Basic Needs – Safety, Food, Utilities, Housing, Clothing, Health, Mental Health

## Engagement

- Leveling the Playing Field
- Avoiding the Ravine
- Understanding Tunneling
- Belief in your Client's capacity and ability
- Empathy
- Real is **better** than perfect
- Avoiding Judgment
- Ask – Offer – Ask
- Patience and Persistence
- Don't take things personally

## Parenting Skills & Tools

- Limits and Standards
- Incentives and Consequences
- Relationship Building
- Consistency and Role Modeling
- Use of Time and Attention
- Avoiding Power Struggles
- Family Meetings
- Self Care

## Other Parent Supports

- Keeping the Candle Lit – Hope
- Listening
- Bearing Witness
- Sustaining the Work
- Dependency Issues
- Self Care
- Social Isolation
- Damage to Parent-School Relationship