

Record L - Five Low Attendance Days (Kentucky)

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The Record L: Five Low Attendance Days reports attendance on or up to five days a district has manually designated as low-attendance days. The state uses these totals to offset funding effects of unusually low attendance days that may be out of a district's control.

The Record L: Ten Low Attendance Days reports using the same calculations but for ten days instead of five.

See the [SAAR Extract Editor](#) article for report editor descriptions and additional logic.

Report Logic

Five low-attendance days are determined to offset the funding effects of unusually low attendance days that may be out of a district's control.

The RL projects future present-day attendance. When the SAAR report is run halfway through the year and the student is enrolled all year, SAAR present days reflect the entire year, and future days are counted as present days.

The SAAR reports only days on which all schools are in session as low-attendance days. These days are automatically selected.

- RL calculates the lowest aggregate Present Days value for 5 individual dates district-wide.
- There is no validation preventing RW dates from also showing on RL. **Users must run the RL and then remove any RW dates they have designated as the same as RL dates. IS THIS STILL TRUE?**
- The District Daily Attendance record of SAAR also displays Low Attendance days, designating them with a superscript "L."
- Days on which the SAAR determines that attendance is so low that statistically it is not likely to be real are also thrown out of the RL calculation. Days that are excluded in this manner can be viewed on the District Daily Attendance Record. See the [District Daily Attendance](#) report for further details.

Calendars and/or schedule structures are excluded when they only include grade levels 95, 96, 97, 98, and 99.

Days from the RL are not fed into the R7 adjustment.

Report Layout

Data Element	Description	Location
Filler	Does not report.	N/A
District Number	Reports the district number. <i>Numeric, 3 digits, XXX</i>	District Information > District Number district.number
School Year	Reports the school number. <i>Numeric, 3 digits, XXX</i>	School Information > School Number school.number
Year	The last two digits of the school year. <i>Numeric, 2 digits, XX</i>	Calendar Information > End Year calendar.endYear
Calendar ID	Identifies the start date for month 1 of the school's calendar. <i>Datefield, 8 characters, YYYYMMDD</i>	Calendar Information > End Date schoolMonth.startDate
Record Code	Reports as L. <i>Numeric, 1 digit</i>	N/A
Grade	The student's grade level. <i>Alphanumeric, 2 characters, XX</i>	Grade Level Setup > State Grade Level Code gradeLevel.stateGrade
Aggregate Days Attendance - T1	Aggregate Days Present for the T1 Transportation Code. Logic reports the sum of the WDHDpresent field for all reported L days. <i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i>	Calculated, WDHDpresent

Data Element	Description	Location
Aggregate Days Attendance - T2	<p>Aggregate Days Present for the T2 Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDpresent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	<p>Calculated, WDHDpresent</p>
Aggregate Days Attendance - T3	<p>Aggregate Days Present for the T3 Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDpresent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	<p>Calculated, WDHDpresent</p>
Aggregate Days Attendance - T4	<p>Aggregate Days Present for the T4 Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDpresent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	<p>Calculated, WDHDpresent</p>
Aggregate Days Attendance - T5	<p>Aggregate Days Present for the T5 Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDpresent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	<p>Calculated, WDHDpresent</p>

Data Element	Description	Location
Aggregate Days Attendance - NT	<p>Aggregate Days Present for the NT Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDpresent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	Calculated, WDHDpresent
Aggregate Days Absence - T1	<p>Aggregate Days Absent for the T1 Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDabsent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	Calculated, WDHDabsent
Aggregate Days Absence - T2	<p>Aggregate Days Absent for the T2 Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDabsent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	Calculated, WDHDabsent
Aggregate Days Absence - T3	<p>Aggregate Days Absent for the T3 Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDabsent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	Calculated, WDHDabsent

Data Element	Description	Location
Aggregate Days Absence - T4	<p>Aggregate Days Absent for the T4 Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDabsent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	Calculated, WDHDabsent
Aggregate Days Absence - T5	<p>Aggregate Days Absent for the T5 Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDabsent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	Calculated, WDHDabsent
Aggregate Days Absence - NT	<p>Aggregate Days Absent for the NT Transportation Code.</p> <p>Logic reports the sum of the WDHDabsent field for all reported L days.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits, allows for 2 decimals</i></p>	Calculated, WDHDabsent
Total Days	<p>Total number of identified L days in the calendar.</p> <p><i>Numeric, 10 digits</i></p>	Calculated
Date 1	<p>The earliest low-attendance day.</p> <p><i>Datefield, 8 characters</i></p>	Calculated
Date 2	<p>The next low-attendance day.</p> <p><i>Datefield, 8 characters</i></p>	Calculated
Date 3	<p>The next low-attendance day.</p> <p><i>Datefield, 8 characters</i></p>	Calculated

Data Element	Description	Location
Date 4	The next low-attendance day. <i>Datefield, 8 characters</i>	Calculated
Date 5	The next low-attendance day. <i>Datefield, 8 characters</i>	Calculated
Number of Days Requested	The total number of days identified as low-attendance days. <i>Numeric</i>	Calculated