	EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION SYSTEM (EIS	
	Absence	
Data Elements	**Code**	**Description**
Number of days absent		Total number of days absent during the school year including partial days absent. Days absent will be a number with 2 decimals with a 1.00 meaning the teacher missed the whole day and 0.40 would indicate the teacher missed 2 periods out of 5 periods that they were scheduled to teach or work. Use 0.00 if there were not absent days taken during the school year.

Data Type	Length	Mandatory/ Optional
Decimal	5,2	Mandatory