

■ **COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE LAW**

**TERMS:** With few exceptions, every person having control of a child between the ages of 6 and 16 must assure that the child attends a public school, an approved independent school or education program, or a home study program, for the full number of days for which the school or program is held.

**ENFORCEMENT:** These provisions are enforced by truant officers appointed by the local school boards, and by local peace officers.