



Student Attendance Monitoring System



Key Benefits

- Record and monitor attendance.
- Comply with requests from United Kingdom Border Agency (UKBA) for attendance data.
- Quickly identify patterns of absence, allowing appropriate action to be taken.
- Generate comprehensive reports on attendance & absence patterns.
- Implement at a single site or over multiple locations.



Crown Computing is one of the UK's leading suppliers of Attendance Management systems. Open Options is a market leading browser-based system to track, monitor and report absence & attendance in a wide variety of environments. Crown Computing has unrivalled experience with more than 20 years in the marketplace.

Monitoring Attendance

Open Options is for any organisation that wishes to monitor student attendance in order to identify and intercept trends of non-attendance at an early stage. Attendance at 80% of lectures is generally considered the minimum requirement to ensure optimum levels of educational attainment. As well as offering comprehensive attendance monitoring, Open Options also enables organisations to comply with requests from external agencies such as UK Border Agency (UKBA) for attendance data on International students. Open Options is fully scalable and is used by organisations of all sizes across single and multiple locations. Open Options has been proved to reduce the administrative burden involved in managing absence and attendance.

Managing Absence

Open Options is designed to track student attendance against timetabled events.

The required attendance patterns can be set up in Open Options or imported from other sources. The system will then identify instances of non-attendance against the expected pattern of attendance contained in the timetable.



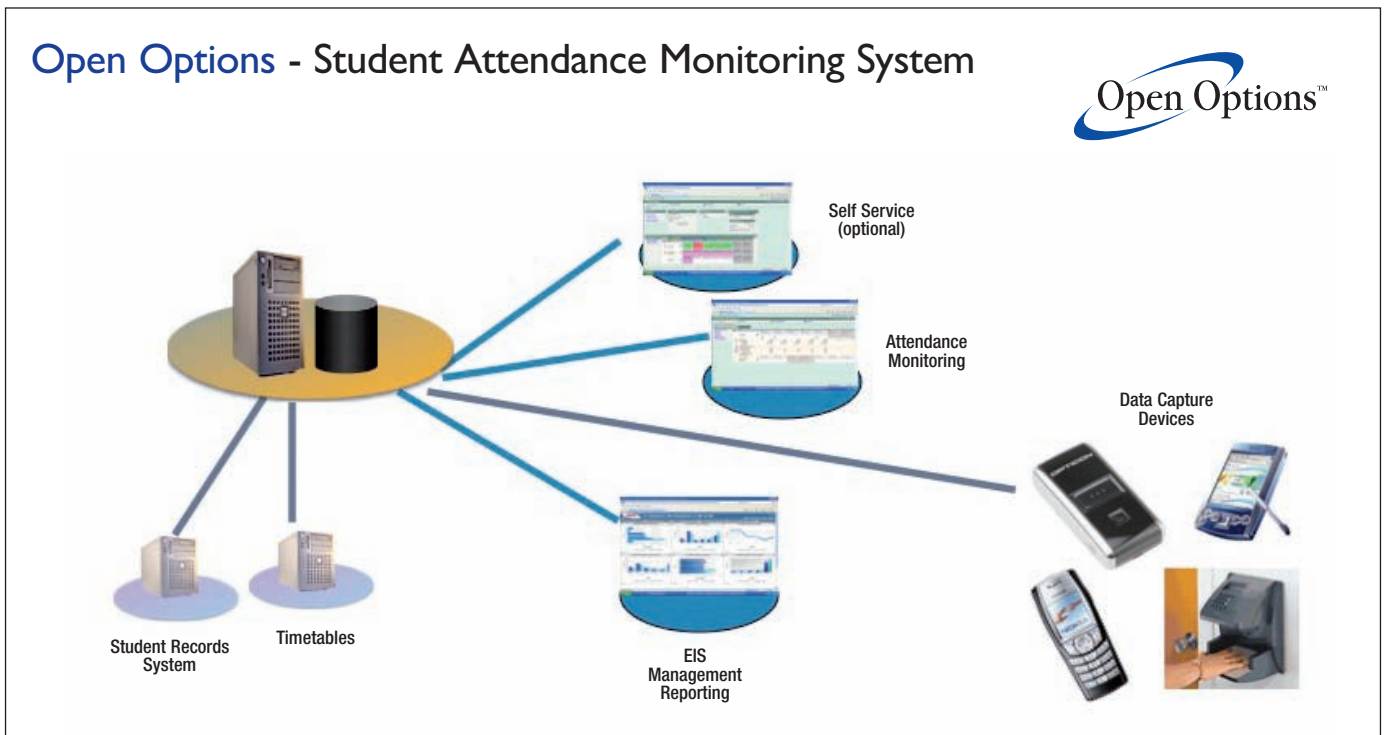
Open Options can also provide workflow capability that is able to trigger certain processes at various stages of absence occurrence. E.g. when a student fails to attend a lecture an email could be sent, if a second, third or fourth absence occurs within a pre-determined time, then the process can be escalated to letters or other forms of action depending on the procedures of the academic institution.

Absence Reporting

Open Options can provide a wealth of reports particularly in respect of absences, allowing prompt and appropriate action to be taken when evidence of poor attendance is highlighted.

Data Capture

Attendance data can be captured through a variety of devices. There are a number of different technologies that are available, ranging from the use of bar code readers connected back to the Organisation's LAN, to small handheld scanning devices which enable students (or staff) to register attendance at each qualifying event (e.g. Lecture/Seminar). There is a data capture option to suit the needs and cultures of most academic organisations.



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