

Attendance Matters!

We have updated our attendance policy to include this table. It illustrates why the government have raised the bar to 90% this year (from 85% last year) as to what is deemed to be persistent absenteeism. 90% attendance across a whole school year equates to 95 learning hours lost!

| Threshold Attendance | Actual Attendance | Whole Days Absent | Learning Hours Lost |
|----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| 100% | 190 days | 0 | 0 |
| 99% | 188 days | 2 | 10 |
| 98% | 186 days | 4 | 20 |
| 97% | 184 days | 6 | 30 |
| 96% | 182.5 days | 7.5 | 37.5 |
| 95% | 180.5 days | 9.5 | 47.5 |
| 94% | 179 days | 11 | 55 |
| 93% | 177 days | 13 | 65 |
| 92% | 175 days | 15 | 75 |
| 91% | 173 days | 17 | 85 |
| 90% | 171 days | 19 | 95 |
| 89% | 169 days | 21 | 105 |
| 88% | 167 days | 23 | 115 |
| 87% | 165 days | 25 | 125 |
| 86% | 163 days | 27 | 135 |
| 85% | 161.5 days | 28.5 | 142.5 |
| 84% | 159.5 days | 30.5 | 152.5 |
| 83% | 158 days | 32 | 160 |
| 82% | 156 days | 34 | 170 |
| 81% | 154 days | 36 | 180 |
| 80% | 152 days | 38 | 190 |

We are pleased to report that our whole school attendance figures are sitting at 95.9% to-date (and we remain optimistic to push back up to 96% before the end of the year) and would like to thank you for supporting us in ensuring that your children attend regularly.

[Click here to download our Attendance Policy and Attendance Matters information leaflet.](#)

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