



Attendance Matters



Attend Every Day

Please make sure your child attends school every day wherever possible.

Report Absence Promptly

Notify the school as soon as possible on the first day of absence and each day your child remains absent.



Appointments Outside School Time

Try to arrange medical and dental appointments outside of the school day whenever possible.



Well-Rested Children Learn Better

Discourage overnight stays at friends' houses during the school week, as tiredness can lead to lateness or absence.



Talk Positively About School

Children are more likely to attend when school is spoken about positively and calmly at home.



Routines Matter

Ensure an appropriate bedtime and consistent morning routine so your child arrives at school on time and ready to learn.



Work With Us

Work with the school and local authority to help us understand any barriers to attendance.



Attend Meetings

If invited to a meeting, please attend and speak with us. If your child has an Attendance Plan, ensure agreed actions are followed.



Monitor Online Use

Check your child's internet use to ensure they are not experiencing difficulties that may prevent them from wanting to attend school.



Leave of Absence

Leave during term time is not a parental right. For exceptional circumstances, contact the school in advance and complete a form.

