

Attendance Newsletter



≥96%<100% VERY GOOD

At this level, you give yourself the best chance of achieving your potential.

96% equals 7.5 days absence in a year.

≥93%<96% COULD BE BETTER

95% means a half-day missed every 2 weeks.

In a year, that's 43 lessons to catch up on.

>90%<93% IMPROVEMENT REQUIRED

92% equals 3 weeks of lost learning every year.

Between Y7 and Y11, this means 15 weeks lost in total.

≤90% PERSISTENTLY ABSENT

At 90%, you have missed almost 100 lessons in a year.

Attendance at 90% each year means that by Y11, you will have missed out on 6 months learning.

Current Academy Attendance June 2021

91%

Promoting Good Attendance All Year Long

Top Tips

1. **Routines** - The easiest way to ensure your child attends school on time every day, is to establish a 'good morning' and 'good evening routine'.

If mornings are hectic in your household prepare as much as possible the night before.

- 2. **Punctuality** It is important that your child attends school every day and arrives on time. Arriving late to school or to lessons is unsettling.
- 3. **Ensure information is up to date**. Please check our school twitter account with regular updates and ensure we have your correct contact details.

Holiday in School Time

There is no entitlement for parents to remove their child from school for the purpose of holiday in term time. The Local Authority will issue parents with a Penalty Notice of £60 per parent per child for taking holiday during term time.

Did you know...

If you work for ASDA you only have to be late for work 9 times before you could lose your job!

#attendance matters



Learning life skills today to prepare for the future