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ATTENDANCE

Here, Everyday, Ready to Learn
and On time



We would like to take this opportunity to say THANK YOU to all our families who consistently ensure their children's attendance and punctuality is good. Getting these important habits established early on in your child's life will make a difference to their future. There is a proven link between attendance and achievement. Good attendance at school is not just valuable, it's essential. Going to school is directly linked to improved

attainment which should in turn lead to further learning opportunities and better job prospects in the future. As well as this, going to school helps to develop: **Friendships, social skills, team values, life skills, cultural awareness and career pathways.**

Punctuality Matters

Every school day counts, but every minute is equally important. Morning registration takes place at 8.55am.

Missing school has a huge impact on how well a pupil gets on at school. The more school a child misses, the harder it is for them to get into a routine of attending regularly and catch up on the work they have missed.

What can I do?

Be honest

Every parent struggles at some point, no parent is perfect! If you're having difficulties with your child, seek help. School is a great place to start.

Engage

We want to work with families because we want to help make things better, but we can only help if families talk to us, meet with us, and please accept the help that's on offer.



90% and below
Dramatic effect on academic achievement

91% - 94%
Cause for concern

95% - 100%
Expected



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'Let's make our own toolbox'



Sometimes there can be difficult moments in our day and challenges around change in our daily routines. We can learn and practice new ways to feel calm and happier when we are feeling worried. We can all start to make our own toolbox. The activities we find the most helpful can be added to our toolbox.

was this coping tool helpful?

- 1 Very helpful for me
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5 A little helpful for me
- 6
- 7
- 8
- 9
- 10 Not helpful for me

Relaxation Tools

Star Breathing



Slowly trace the sides of the star with your finger, Take a deep breath in & then let the breath out

Repeat until you feel relaxed

Hand Breathing

Trace the outline of your hand
 Breathe in slowly as you trace upwards
 Then breathe out slowly as you trace downwards



Will I use this tool again?

Yes No

Why?

If you said yes, tear out the square, & add it to your toolbox!