

Weekly attendance newsletter – Week 2 Spring term 1 2023-2024

We strive for every pupil to be present for every day that school requires a child to attend.

Attendance matters: every day counts.

Last week, our overall school attendance was **89.4%** (counting children at or above mandatory school age = 5).

As a school, children lost **1,045 minutes (17 hours 25 minutes)** of learning time last week due to punctuality issues in the morning.

So far this year, our school attendance is **91.86%**. **Our whole school target is 97%.**

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The best place for your children to be every day is in school.

	Last week	Minutes late (as a class) last week	2 weeks ago
2-year-olds	61.5	0	74.2
F1	81	39	88.6
F2	89.3	201	88.6
Y1	95.3	136	95.8
Y2	82.4	74	87.7
Y3	92.1	277	98.1
Y4	86.5	148	92
Y5	94.6	70	95.2
Y6	87.5	100	93

Traffic Light Zones

Each "Attendance Zone" represents different levels of pupil absence.

Green Zone

All pupils who are in the "Green Zone" have an attendance level of 95% or more. This zone recognises patterns of good to excellent school attendance. Pupils who fall within this are more likely to do well at school and achieve good results.

Amber Zone

All pupils who are in the "Amber Zone" have an attendance level of between 90 to 94.9%. Pupils with this level of attendance are a cause for concern and are at risk of under achieving at school.

Red Zone

All pupils who are in the "Red Zone" have an attendance level of below 90%. Pupils who fall within this zone are regularly absent from school and are significantly less likely to achieve their potential. Such pupils will be closely monitored by the Education Welfare Service.