

Child Friendly Attendance Policy

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Why do we need to come to school?

- To learn new things
- To be able to read and write.
- To gain knowledge to help us in the future
- To have fun, make friends and be happy
- To be able to get a job and go to university
- To get ready to move on to other schools
- To join in with all the clubs and visit exciting places
- We keep healthy from all our exercise and healthy dinners
- To make our brains healthy

What happens if you do not come to school?

- You miss so much learning!
- You forget what you have been learning about so new learning is hard.
- You might forget how to speak English
- You get left behind and don't know what to do
- You don't get to see your friends, so you get upset
- You miss out on the fun things like; visits, art, music and making!

What is good attendance?

- We all need to have 96% attendance, but 100% is best!
- Children should always come to school unless they are very ill

What do you do if you can't come to school?

- Ring the school so they know we are safe
- Call into the office and tell Mr Wesley
- Email your teacher

Rewards:

- Weekly attendance award for the class with the highest attendance
- Half termly awards for the class with the highest attendance
- End of year bronze, silver and gold attendance certificates
- End of year 100% attendance bike draw