Attendance Newsletter

'Every School Day Counts!'

Dear Parents / Carers

A big thank you to all our families who are supporting our drive to improve attendance. As you are aware attendance is an area of concern for our school, and the attendance team meet regularly to monitor attendance.

Please be aware that:

• At parents' consultation meetings - your class teacher will discuss your child's attendance with you.

• You will receive an amber letter of concern if your child's attendance falls below 95% asking for your support in ensuring that attendance improves.

• If your child's attendance is below 90%, you will receive a critical, red letter, inviting you to an attendance panel meeting. The aim of the meeting will be to address the cause of low attendance and to find solutions to improve.

• Pupils who have consistently low attendance will be referred to the attendance officer.

Lateness Matters Too!

Lateness has a negative impact on a child's learning and self-esteem. School doors open at 8.45am in preparation for a prompt start at 8.50am when all pupils should be in. Classroom doors remain open until 8.55am, for pupils running a few minutes late. This 5 minute window should be used on rare occasions and not every day/regularly. Pupils arriving after 8.55am should report to the office in order to receive a late sticker so that their teacher knows that they have been registered. This is also for safeguarding purposes.

Summer term 2019 Attendance Winners

Weekly Attendance for best classes

Week 1:	Zephaniah, Carle, Strong	Week 7:	Zephaniah, Pratchett		
WeeK 2:	Hargreaves, Shakespeare, Wilson	Week 8:	Wilson, Dahl, Pratchett, Donaldson		
Week 3:	Carle, Strong	Week 9:	Wilson, Kipling, Sendak		
Week 4:	Hargreaves, Pratchett, Kipling	Week 10:	Anderson, Shakespeare		
Week 5:	Hargreaves, Wilson	Week 11:	Carle, Kipling		
Week 6:	Donaldson, Strong, Pratchett	Week 12:	Donaldson, Kipling`		

Well done to all the children that achieved 100% in the whole year so far!

Isabella B, Luca G, Shaylen G-B, Elliot J, Rebecca J, Ella L, Paris N, Christina A, Alexander C, Lillie E, Charlie F, Veda K, Reece L, Leah M, Daisy R, Aiden W, Beatrice D, Abigail J, Hannah M, Olivia M, Taylor R, Ronnie T, Zara T, Jack W, Zoey W, Tomi A, Alfie F, sara g, Oliver h, Riley H, Alfie M, Ella M, Isabelle P, Alfie S, Riley S, Aiden W, Aaliyah M, Lucy O, Ronnie T, Tobi A, Alex B-H, Grace C, Harvey C, Tyler F, Eloise M, Lilly S, Samuel S, Amelie W

THERE ARE 175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping and other appointments.

190 School days in each year 190 DAYS OF SCHOOL	10 days of absences 180 days of School	19 days absences 171 Days of School	29 days absences = Half a term missed	38 days absence	47 days Absence
100% Outstanding	96% Good	90% Requires Improvement	85% Inadequate	80% Inadequate	75% Serious Concern
Best chance Get your child of success! off to a flying start!		Makes it harder to make progress. Restricts Learning	Not fair on your child Court Action		