

Regular school attendance is an important part of giving your child the best possible start in life. Below is a table showing how your percentage attendance equates to the amount of school time missed. We appreciate your continued support in ensuring your child attends school regularly and on time.

<u>Attendance during the School Year</u>	
95% +	<p>Well done!! Your child has good attendance.</p> <p>Thank you for your support in ensuring your child attends school regularly and on time.</p>
90% - 95%	<p>You are nearly there!!</p> <p>If there is anything that school can do to support you with your child's attendance please let us know.</p>
85% - 90%	<p>Your child is missing between 4 - 6 weeks of school over the year and is at risk of under achievement.</p> <p>Your child is classed as a persistent absentee. We will be working with you to help improve your child's attendance next year.</p> <p>If there is anything that school can do to support you with your child's attendance please let us know.</p>
Less than 85%	<p>Your child is missing between 8 - 13.5 weeks of school over the year and is seriously at risk of under achievement.</p> <p>Your child is classed as a persistent absentee and you are at risk of being issued with a fixed penalty notice. We will be working with you to help improve your child's attendance next year.</p> <p>If there is anything that school can do to support you with your child's attendance please let us know.</p>

<u>Minutes late per day</u>	<u>School days lost over the year</u>
5 minutes	3 days
10 minutes	6.5 days
15 minutes	10 days
20 minutes	13 days
25 minutes	15 days

