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Dear Parents/Carers

School Attendance

Last year our Medical/Illness absence was higher than the national average and accounted for 2362 sessions of absence. A session of absence is a morning or afternoon, therefore, in total our children missed 1181 days of school. The government expects children to achieve at least 96% attendance, as research shows that attendance affects children's attainment levels.

If your child has frequent absences or an absence that requires them to be off for more than two days, medical evidence will be required. Please contact the school if you have any concerns about your child's health or would like the support of the school nurse.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Yours faithfully

S. Chiswell
Headteacher