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Dear Parent/Carer,

Cardiff County Council is working in partnership with all schools to improve attendance across the city. In light of this, a new attendance campaign, "Callio" has been introduced. "Callio" will provide parents and carers with regular attendance updates.

Each week, your child will record their attendance percentage in their diary and, depending on the percentage, will receive a "traffic light" sticker denoting their position within the "Callio" colour-banding framework. The table below illustrates the fact that, if your child's attendance falls below 95%, this cannot be categorised in the desired 'green' category.

Green	95%-100%
Amber	91%-94%
Red	<90%

Where pupils' attendance is poor, Cardiff Council has issued revised guidelines regarding circumstances that may trigger a Fixed Penalty Notice:

- * Where there is a minimum of 10 unauthorised sessions (5 school days) in an academic year (these do not need to be consecutive).
- * Pupils persistently arriving after the close of the registration period i.e. more than 10 sessions in an academic year (these do not need to be consecutive)
- * A period of absence from school due to a holiday that was not authorised by school (a minimum 10 sessions).
- * A pupil has regularly come to the attention of the police during school hours and is absent from school without an acceptable reason and there have been 10 unauthorised absences.

The rewards for good attendance are clear. Pupils are more likely to enjoy school and achieve their potential. Should you have any further questions regarding your child's attendance, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs.M.Pratali
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