



Attendance

MATTERS

Oyster Park Primary School

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments

190 school days in each year	10 days absence	19 days absence	29 days absence = Half a term missed	38 days absence	47 days absence
190 DAYS OF SCHOOL	180 DAYS OF SCHOOL	171 DAYS OF SCHOOL	161 DAYS OF SCHOOL	152 DAYS OF SCHOOL	143 DAYS OF SCHOOL
100%	96%	90%	85%	80%	70%
GOOD Best chance of success		WORRYING Less chance of success. Harder to make progress		SERIOUS CONCERNS Not fair on your child. Possible Court action.	

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your continued support and co-operation!



For further Support or additional information, please contact reception and make an appointment with Miss Lochman or Mrs Mohammad

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Did you know?

90% attendance is $\frac{1}{2}$ a day missed every week.

90% attendance is equivalent to **4 whole weeks** of lessons missed!

Last year our attendance was **94.3%**

This year our target is 96%



Regular attendance at Oyster Park Primary school is very important for children to achieve the best they can. If children are absent from school, it not only affects their education but it also has a negative impact on them both socially and emotionally.

Although we aim for 100% attendance, each year we set a target for attendance and this is used to compare us to other schools nationally. Our current target is **96%** attendance. Attending school every day will help give your child the best possible start in life.

Going to school every day means:

- ✓ learning new skills
- ✓ making friends
- ✓ having lots of fun
- ✓ building lasting relationships
- ✓ developing an awareness of other cultures, religions, ethnicity and gender differences
- ✓ taking part in exciting activities
- ✓ to gain qualifications

You can help us to help your child by encouraging regular school attendance.