

WRL Attendance Newsletter

October 2022



Our attendance  for the whole school is 96%

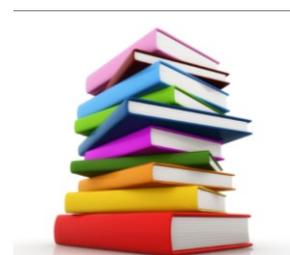


We monitor the attendance of all our pupils at Wheelwright Lane very carefully. We want our children to fulfil their potential and every minute of the day counts towards this.

Here are our school actions when a child falls into each of the colour stages of our traffic light system.

<p>If your child's attendance was red last half term you will have received a letter and a follow up phone call to see how we can help you.</p>	<p>If your child's attendance was amber this half term you will have received a letter to let you know that we are monitoring their attendance at school.</p>	<p>If your child's attendance was in the green this half term they will have been given an attendance house point by the school House Captains.</p>
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It is really important that pupils arrive to school on time. The school doors open at 8.45am to ensure children have time to say good morning to their friends and teachers and put their belongings away. This is a positive and cheerful way to start the day and be ready to learn. When children arrive in class they will have the opportunity to read their books or complete a focused learning task. This is a great way to get children's brains warmed up and ready for their lessons which will start promptly at 9am.



Children that are late to their lessons will miss out on all of these valuable experiences which can leave children feeling rushed, flustered and having to

catch up on what everyone else is doing. Research tells us that this puts our brains into a high alert state which can impact on our ability to learn effectively. Being on time is so important for our children.



The number of pupils late at least once this half term



5 minutes late every day for a year is the same as 3 day absent!



Each week will be giving out an attendance trophy to the class with the best attendance across school. We will keep you updated each week in our newsletter as to which class has won the trophy each week.



If you are concerned about your child's attendance then please get in touch with either a member of your child class team, a person in the office or school attendance leaders, Miss Rutherford and Mrs Harris.

Reception - Mrs Harris

Year 1 Mrs Ford and Mrs Wall

Year 2 Miss Wass

Year 3 Mrs Hammonds and Mrs Hunt

Year 4 Miss Scatena

Year 5 Mrs Hitchins and Mrs Haughey

Year 6 Mr Trew

Admin Team - Mrs Turner and Mrs Fardon

School Attendance Leads - Miss Rutherford (Headteacher)

Mrs Harris (Deputy Head Teacher)

SENDCO and Well Being and Mental Health Champion - Mrs Ford.