

Understanding Attendance

My child has head lice (nits) and won't be in

Whilst we appreciate you have to treat your child, our policy states this is unauthorised. Therefore, you should treat the head lice and bring the child in later that day.

My child has a dentist/doctor's appointment.

Although these are marked as medical, they should be avoided where possible in the morning and should be arranged once afternoon registration has been taken.

Can I bring my child in, take them out and bring them back?

Yes! If appointments are unavoidable, then where possible please try to get their mark in both the morning and afternoon. Although your child has been out of school this will be classed as 100% attendance.

My child feels unwell/sick

If your child just feels unwell or sick we are more than happy to monitor them and call you if they deteriorate. Please let Miss Evans know they are attending but unwell and she will call if you need to collect them. We do find that once a child is in school they tend to perk up.

My child has been sick or had diarrhoea

Please stay away. This is the only time we insist your child remains at home for 48 hours. If your child has a bug, returning before that time is up could transmit that bug and then we have lots of children off ill.

My child has been sick or had diarrhea

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My child has Covid

If your child has tested positive, you should keep them off school and test on the morning of Day 5 and Day 6. If they are negative on both days, they can return on Day 6. If they remain positive they can return on Day 11 regardless of test results.

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My child has stomach ache

Give your child some medicine, pain relief and either send them in or, if they perk up, bring them in later. Let Miss Evans know they are attending but unwell and she will call if you need to collect them. We do find that once a child is in school they tend to feel better.

Help us to help your child reach their potential by being in school as much as possible. Attendance Matters!