

Attendance overview for 2012 -2013

Red weeks = 8	Orange weeks = 13	Green weeks = 19
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Half term 1 = 93.5%	Half term 3 = 94.0%	Half term 5 = 95.9%
Half term 2 = 91.7%	Half term 4 = 94.2%	Half term 6 = 95.71%

Term 1 = 92.6%	Term 2 = 94.1%	Term 3 = 95.8%
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Year 94.1%

The first 3 weeks in September were in the late 94%. With some families on holiday this contributed to having fewer green weeks than expected in the first half term.

We had a severe stomach bug and many children going down with chicken pox throughout October, November and December. The weeks in between these periods of illness were green weeks which showed the typicality of attendance when children were well. The other 2 weeks that were red were when we had snow and many schools in the locality were shut with families assuming we would be also.

The summer term had all but 2 green weeks. May Day week and the last 2 days of the summer term. These were due to holidays being taken these weeks.

Incentives for the children has helped to encourage attendance. Children are rewarded daily with house points for being on time and in school – each child can gain 10 house points per week. The weekly reward of pop and biscuits is still very popular with all classes winning at least once last year. Encouragement is given to the class by the teachers with the class ranking poster to help the children understand how they need to improve their attendance.

Each half term there is a draw for children with 100% attendance for that half term. Children with 100% attendance for the term get 100 point tokens for the shop.

The yearly reward was very popular with 8 children enjoying a trip to Drayton Manor. They also had certificates and medals. Five further children who joined Wyndham during the school year had certificates for attending each day since they had started.

The attendance for children in receipt of FSM was 93.78%. Three of those children were on part time timetables throughout the year. With these three children omitted the attendance for children in receipt of FSM was 94.26%.

We hit 97.2% after Easter and hope to better that in 2013-2014!