

PSHE: Protecting your future with a strong focus on attendance.

Please use the questions with your form.

Q1-What % should every pupil aim for? (100%)

Q2-Why is our attendance slogan 'APE' because (Attendance and Punctuality matter Everyday)

Please watch this (2:34) video all the way through to understand more about the 'real' importance of attendance.

<https://www.youtube.com/shorts/VRRdssw2dJ0>

After watching the video please use the quick questions below.

How does strong attendance benefit learning?

Each day m_____ (matters)

As learning builds day (by day) Lesson by (lesson)

Every day in school makes the next day (easier)

Miss the found.... (ations) and the next lesson, day and week feels harder

Pupils with attendance above... (95%) are significantly more likely to achieve strong.... (GCSE results)

Attendance below.... (90%) can make a real difference as...(10%) of learning is missed.

Missing 1 day a fortnight means missing...(10%) of school

Attendance is not just about...(grades)

It is also about...(friendships, belonging, confidence) being part of something and allowing interests to grow..

Attendance strongly shapes friendships and helps them...grow). **How?**

High attendance in school shapes and help con...(fidence). **How?**

Being in school also presents opp...(ortunities) that happen on ordinary days

e.gs?.....(New friendships, conversations, learning opportunities, sports, music, arts, trips, etc..)

High attendance helps what key academic skills develop? (Literacy, Numeracy, Digital competence, Knowledge and Skills in (all subjects)

High attendance helps develop which transferable skills develop? (Resil....(ience), team...(work)...In (dependence) per (severance) deter(mination)

High attendance helps build strong ha.. (bits) for 4 pathways after Year 11.... (Vi Form Post 16 college, (e.g Coleg Gwent) Apprentieships and employment/careers)

One of the most valued skills in adult life is (reliability)

If something is making attendance difficult talk to ...(a trusted adult)

To apply for a post 16 pathway you will need a reference. **What is this?**

Which 3 teachers have the main responsibility for writing these in Year 11? (Form Tutor, HOY and Mr Nunn)

What do you imagine is the first piece of data shared with VI form, college or employers? (Yes, you guessed Attendance%!)

Why is 96% a minimum target level? ($100-96=4$, $4 \times 10=40$ lessons. Close to 40 lessons will be missed in a full year)

What is your current attendance %?

What colour grading is this in school? (Gold 100%, Green-99-98, Amber 97-95, Red 94-90, Purple 89-81, Blue 80 or less)

How many lessons are you on track to miss? (see calculation above)

What attendance target have you set for this academic year?

How will this be achieved? (determination, pride, focus on the future, look after physical health, sleep, diet, exercise)

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