



10th February 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

As we come to the mid-way point in the year, I would like to take this opportunity to share some reminders and successes at Etone regarding attendance.

As you will be aware, the best way for your child to make use of the opportunities at school is for them to be present each and every day. By being in school they are exposed to our enriched curriculum that ensures each and every pupil makes progress and prepares them for a successful future. As a school, our expectation remains that pupils have 100% attendance.

We would therefore like to share some guidance and support available to you which will help to ensure your child's attendance remains exemplary

Our updated Attendance and Punctuality Guide is designed to be easy to read and navigate to provide advice and important information about why attendance matters at Etone College and the detrimental impact of missing time in school for unnecessary reasons. You can find the link here: <https://bit.ly/3l0orcW>

We would also like to share our attendance poster which is on display in your child's form room and is a reminder for pupils about our expectations along with the rewards and competitions they can get involved with for attendance across the year: <https://bit.ly/3YoHxPS>

In the following link you can also find our attendance policy which should answer any potential questions you may have: <https://bit.ly/3X9m4sC>

During the week beginning 13th February we will be holding our 'Love Attendance' week challenging each form to ensure they maximise their attendance in order to win a special Form Time Breakfast. Please read more here: <https://bit.ly/3JNv4Ax>

Finally, I would like to congratulate all of our pupils who have achieved 100% attendance throughout the year so far. This is an achievement that should not be taken lightly and is the epitome of what an Etone Learner is.

I look forward to your support in helping your child achieve 100% attendance for the remainder of this academic year.

Yours faithfully

Mr I Smith
Headteacher

