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2024-2025 Whitchurch Primary School
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ATTENDANCE SPECIAL: At Whitchurch we pride ourselves on doing our very best for the children, parents/carers and all stakeholders in our community. We look to provide the very best service we can for all involved. Unfortunately, not everyone turns up for it.

We are below national, and most schools in our trust, for children's attendance. Whilst of course we understand children occasionally get ill, a majority of this is holidays, days off for social events and more.

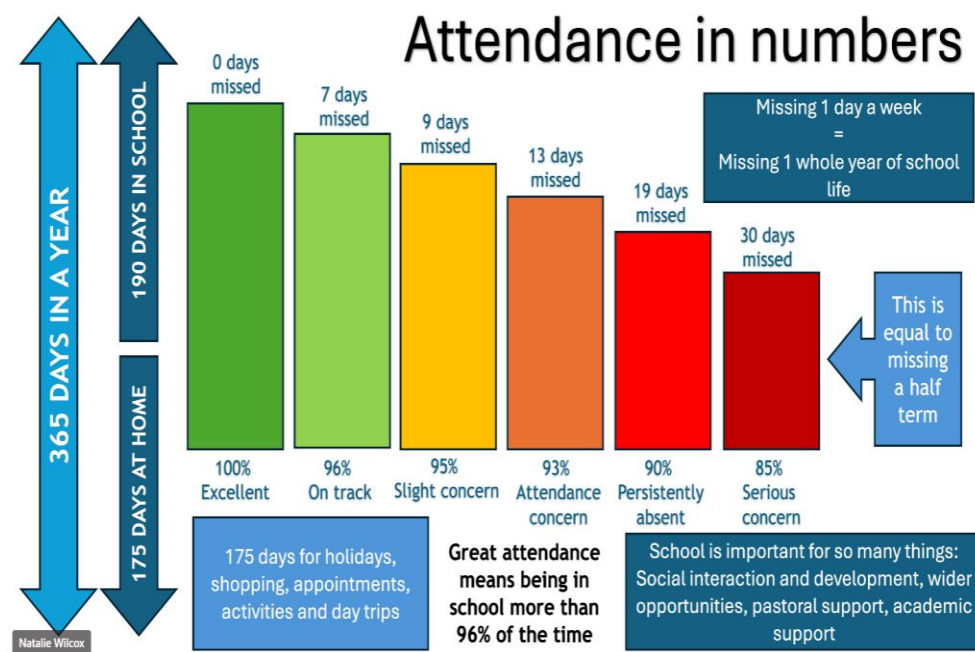
School Name	Attendance YTD	School Name	Attendance YTD
Backwell	94.02%	St Peter's	96.2%
Chew Valley	91.6%	Stanton Drew	96.5%
Churchill	92.5%	Ubley	95.0%
Gordano	93.2%	West Leigh	96.7%
Backwell J	96.5%	Whitchurch	93.5%
Bishop Sutton	96.6%	Winford	93.8%
Blagdon	95.1%	Wraxall	95.1%
Burrington	94.8%	Wroughton	96.3%
Churchill P	94.8%	Yatton I	95.5%
East Harptree	95.6%	Yatton J	95.7%
Flax Bourton	96.2%	Easton	93.10%
Golden Valley	96.6%	Fishponds	93.07%
Grove	96.0%	SMRP	93.25%
Hannah More	95.7%		
Highdown I	96.6%		
Highdown J	95.6%		
Northleaze	97.1%		
Portishead	95.5%		
St Andrew's	95.2%		
St Mary's	96.5%		

End of year picture

- Really positive across all schools for "All pupils"
- 22 schools above 95%

- Aim to bring all schools above 95%
- All: 94.4%
- Primary: 95.34%
- Secondary: 92.9%

PLEASE BE AWARE: That when you add up weekends, bank holidays and school holidays, one has 175 days a year at ones disposal for days out/ to go on holiday/ other reasons. Next year we will be stepping up attendance support for our families who need it, and holding ourselves to even closer account on how this is done.



TO FINISH ON SOMETHING MORE POSITIVE:

NEXT FRIDAY 11th JULY!

FRIDAY 11th JULY 3.30PM ONWARDS

WHITCHURCH PTA
SUMMER BBQ

FREE ENTRY
BBQ
LICENSED BAR
SNACKS
RAFFLE