

Date: January 2026



Appledore School

Attendance Matters



Here to support you with attendance are:

Mr Cooper Mrs McMorine Mrs Bannister Mrs Phillips Mrs Goldsmith-Ryan

Current
Whole School
Attendance:
95.8%



Data for January

Reception	94%
Year 1	94.1%
Year 2	95.9%
Year 3	95.8%
Year 4	94.8%
Year 5	94.7%
Year 6	96.2%

The Importance of Good Attendance It is a legal duty of parents to ensure that their child/children attend school. This means their child must attend every day that the school is open, except in a small number of allowable circumstances such as being too ill to attend or being given permission for an absence in advance from the school.



HIGH ATTENDANCE AT
SCHOOL GETS YOUR
CHILD'S LIFE OFF TO A
FLYING START!



INCREASING ATTENDANCE
BY JUST 5% CAN DOUBLE
THE CHANCES OF GAINING
GOOD QUALIFICATIONS



MISSING TWO DAYS
A MONTH MEANS A
CHILD MISSES 10%
OF THE SCHOOL YEAR



Writing + MATHS SKILLS



THERE ARE 175
DAYS A YEAR NOT
SPENT IN SCHOOL
PLENTY OF TIME FOR SHOPPING,
HOLIDAYS AND APPOINTMENTS!



100s OF SUBJECTS | 1000s OF CLASSES
ENDLESS POSSIBILITIES



TURNING UP JUST
5 MINUTES LATE
EVERY DAY ADDS UP
TO OVER 3 DAYS
LOST IN THE YEAR!

MORE SCHOOL =

- HIGHER GRADES
- INCREASED CONFIDENCE
- MORE FRIENDS
- BRIGHTER FUTURE



Sessions are available:

Monday—Friday
7.30—9.00am

Monday—Thursday
3.30pm—6.00pm

Do not book holidays in term time, in line with the Government ruling, these will not be authorised and penalty notices and fines will be issued where appropriate.



<https://www.devon.gov.uk/educationandfamilies/school-information/attendance-and-inclusion/school-attendance/attendance-advice-and-guidance-for-parents-and-carers/>