

Sissinghurst Summer Attendance Spotlight

Every Day Counts — Let's Finish the Year Strong!

📅 Consistent Attendance | 💬 Positive Habits |

🌟 Lifelong Success

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

As we head into the final weeks of the school year, we would like to thank all of our families for their continued support in making school attendance a priority. The summer term is always one of the busiest and most exciting, with sports days, educational visits, transition activities, performances, and end-of-year celebrations. Every day really does count!

Why Attendance Matters

Children who attend school regularly are more likely to:

- Feel happy and settled in school.
- Build strong friendships and relationships.
- Keep up with their learning and make good progress.
- Develop confidence and resilience.
- Be fully involved in the special events that make school memorable.

Even missing a few days can mean missing important learning opportunities. A child with 95% attendance misses nearly **10 days of school** over the year - that's almost two weeks of learning!



Our Attendance Goal



96%

This year, our aim is to achieve a **96%** attendance rate across the school. Thanks to your continued support, we are currently at **94.3%** - a great effort! Let's work together to finish the year strong and give every child the best chance to thrive in these final, enriching weeks of learning.

Helpful Tips for Supporting Attendance

1. **Stick to a Routine**

Keep a consistent bedtime and morning schedule to ensure your child is well-rested and ready for school.

2. **Plan Ahead**

Try to arrange appointments and family holidays outside of school hours wherever possible.

3. **Stay Connected**

Keep up to date with our school calendar so you don't miss any key dates, events, or celebrations.

4. **Reach Out Early**

If your child is facing any barriers to attending school - whether emotional, medical, or practical - please don't hesitate to speak with your child's teacher or Mrs Ridgway. We are here to help.

Let's Finish the Year Strong!

Our goal is for every child to have the best possible start to the next academic year, and excellent attendance plays a huge part in that. Thank you for working with us to ensure that every child has the opportunity to learn, grow and thrive.

Together, let's make every day count and end the school year with smiles, success, and fantastic attendance!

