



St. Margaret's Anfield

Church of England Primary School

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Friday 11th November
2022

EASYFUNDRAISING

Sign up to Easyfundraising to help raise money for school as you shop! Click the logo



SPORT

Our Year 3/4 Dodgeball team took part in a competition on Monday and had a great time. They are looking forward to taking part in more competitions in the near future!

E-Safety Team Message

Do not give out your personal information online. People are not always who they say they are and always speak with an adult if you are asked for information!

from
Amanda, Lexi and Eric

Twitter

Twitter is updated daily with photos and activities happening in school!

Click  to go to Twitter and find us @StMargAnfield to follow!

MESSAGE FROM MR GRIFFITHS

Dear Parents and Carers,

Our attendance is not improving. I have added a new section to this newsletter which will update you on each classes weekly attendance. The current percentages are not acceptable and children are missing out on education. More information is on the second page of this newsletter.

This week we had our Remembrance Service at Church. Photos are on our gallery on the school website [here](#) and on our Twitter page. The children have been able to purchase poppies and other items and we did sell out of all of the items. We will hopefully be advised of the total raised by the Legion and we will share this figure with you soon. Thank you to our Year 6 monitors for helping with selling the lovely items!

We had our final 3 "meet the teaching team" meetings this week. Thank you to all parents who attended. We have sent home parent evening invitations and they are due to take place at the end of the month. If you haven't returned your slips requesting your time slot please do so as quickly as possible to ensure you have meeting booked in.

Next week we have our Open Evening for any families who have children due to start Reception next September. This will run from 3.30pm—5.30pm on Tuesday 15th September. If you know of anyone who would like to attend please let them know to feel free to come along.

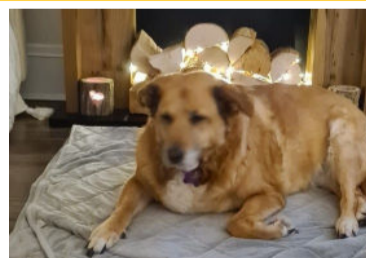
Next Friday we also have our Children in Need fundraising day! Letters went out to children yesterday and a copy is on our website. Children are invited to wear something spotty or come into school in pyjamas that day. There will be opportunity to take part in fundraising activities for 50p a go with a £2 spend limit. From Monday to Friday we will also have wrist bands and pens on sale during the school day for £1 each on a first come first served basis. Together we can make a difference in supporting this charity.

Take care and have a lovely weekend! Hopefully our attendance will improve next week.

Mr Griffiths

SKYE UPDATE!

Skye is enjoying some relaxation at home now the weather is going colder. Hopefully she will be visiting school soon for our festive fun during this half term!



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[Order of Service](#)

THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

Monday 14th November

Tutoring 4.15pm finish (various groups)

Tuesday 15th November

Open Evening for Reception starters September 2023 (3.30pm—5.30pm)

LSC Multisports Year 3/4 After School Club (4.15pm finish)

Tutoring 4.15pm finish (various groups)

Wednesday 16th November

Dodgeball Y5/6 After School Club (4.10pm finish)

Cross Stitch After School Club (4.15pm finish)

Tutoring 4.15pm finish (various groups)

Thursday 17th November

Dodgeball Y3/4 After School Club (4.10pm finish)

Tutoring 4.15pm finish (various groups)

Friday 18th November

Children in Need Fundraising

Please remember all children attending after school clubs must be collected by an adult.

KEEPING IN TOUCH

PARENT CONNECT APP



All messages sent by the school are through our Parent Connect App. If you do not have the app please ensure you download it. You can click the logos below depending on your phone/tablet type to download for free or search "Parent Connect". We send out weekly invites by email to anyone who is not registered. If you do have the app please check your notifications are turned on or you will miss messages from school. If you are unsure please contact Mrs Cave at the school office 0151 260 5522.



www.st-margaretsanfield.co.uk

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Click the Pay360 logo to go to the website for making school dinner and SMA donation payments! Any queries please contact the school office!

[CLICK HERE FOR PE DAYS](#)





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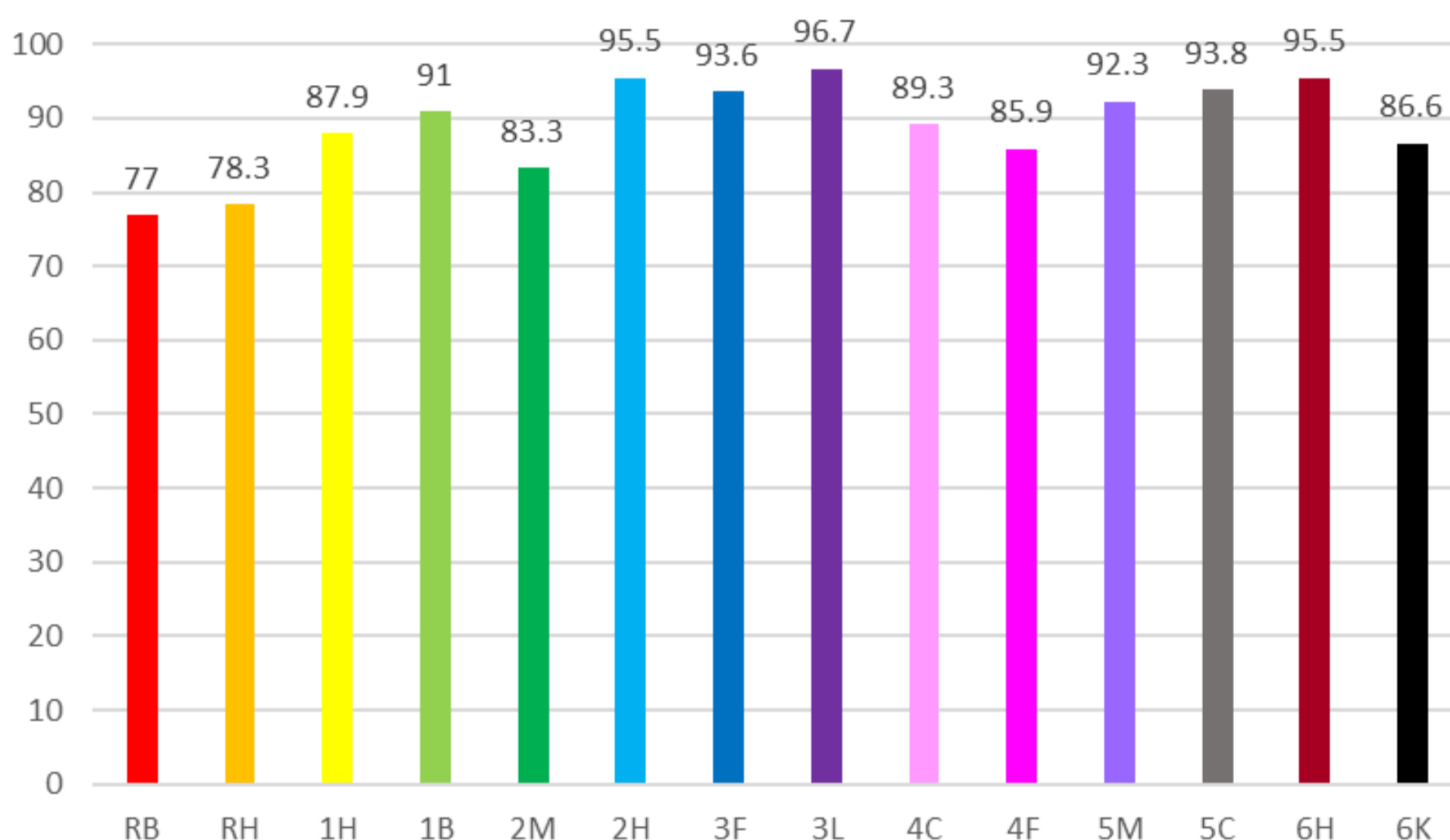
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ATTENDANCE REPORT

MONDAY 7TH NOVEMBER 2022—FRIDAY 11TH NOVEMBER 2022

This week's % attendance



What happens if your child does not attend school regularly?

- You will be contacted by the Attendance lead.
- You may be invited to attend a meeting in school to discuss how we can work together to improve your child's attendance and to set up an attendance support plan.
- As a school, we are responsible by law for reporting poor attendance to the local authority.
- As a parent, you are committing an offence if you fail to make sure that your child attends school regularly.
- You run the risk of being issued with a penalty notice or being taken to court.
A child who has an attendance figure of 90% or below is now classed by the government as 'a child with persistent absence'.

SMA Attendance Target

There is sometimes a perception that an attendance rate of 90% is good.

This is because an examination score of 90% means excellence. However, as an attendance rate, 90% is unsatisfactory, it equates to missing 20 days per year.

We consider below 92% as approaching persistent absence.

The whole school attendance target this year is 97%.

Parent/Carer Support

We must ask you, our Parents/Carers to support us in improving the attendance of our children.

Every lesson really does count for your child, children can quickly fall behind if even one day is missed, catching up even a little lost time from school can be really difficult. Good attendance is linked to achievement, better relationships with other children and better overall behaviour in school.