



# St. Margaret's Anfield

## Church of England Primary School

With God, all things are possible.

Friday 18th November  
2022

### EASYFUNDRAISING

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



### OUR ETHOS TEAM



### E-Safety Team Message

Don't give your private information to social media. Be safe, people can pretend to be even your own parent!

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,

We had our Reception 2023 Open Evening on Tuesday and it was lovely to meet families with children potentially starting with us in September. The applications are open on the Liverpool City Council website (you can click [here](#) to access) and need to be done before 15th January 2023. If you or anyone you know has a child that turns 4 before the end of August 2023 please ensure the applications are done as soon as possible.

School has been wonderful to walk around this week with sounds coming from all classrooms as we begin to practice for the Christmas performances. Letters will be going home over the next week with more details! We have sent a list of activities happening over this half term and you can access this on the website. Reminders will be sent via Parent App and email.

Thank you to everyone who donated to our Children in Need Fundraiser today! The children enjoyed taking part in the sporting activities and were able to purchase the wristbands and pens that were in school. We have raised a fantastic amount!

There has been a slight improvement on attendance this week with 9 classes having higher attendance than last week. Please see the attached weekly attendance report to see how your child's class is doing. The effort this week has taken the whole from 89% overall last week to 90% this week.

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

Mr Griffiths

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[Order of Service](#)

### THIS WEEK'S EVENTS

#### Monday 21st November

Tutoring 4.15pm finish (various groups)

#### Tuesday 22nd November

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

Tutoring 4.15pm finish (various groups)

#### Wednesday 23rd 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 24th November

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

Tutoring 4.15pm finish (various groups)

#### Friday 25th November

No events

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

### ATTENDANCE

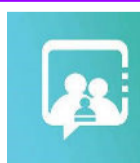
Keep in touch with us via the Parent App, email or phone the school office if your child is unable to attend school for any reason!

[admin@st-margaretsanfield.liverpool.sch.uk](mailto:admin@st-margaretsanfield.liverpool.sch.uk)

0151 260 5522

### 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](http://www.st-margaretsanfield.co.uk)

Email: [admin@st-margaretsanfield.liverpool.sch.uk](mailto:admin@st-margaretsanfield.liverpool.sch.uk)  
Tel: 0151 260 5522



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





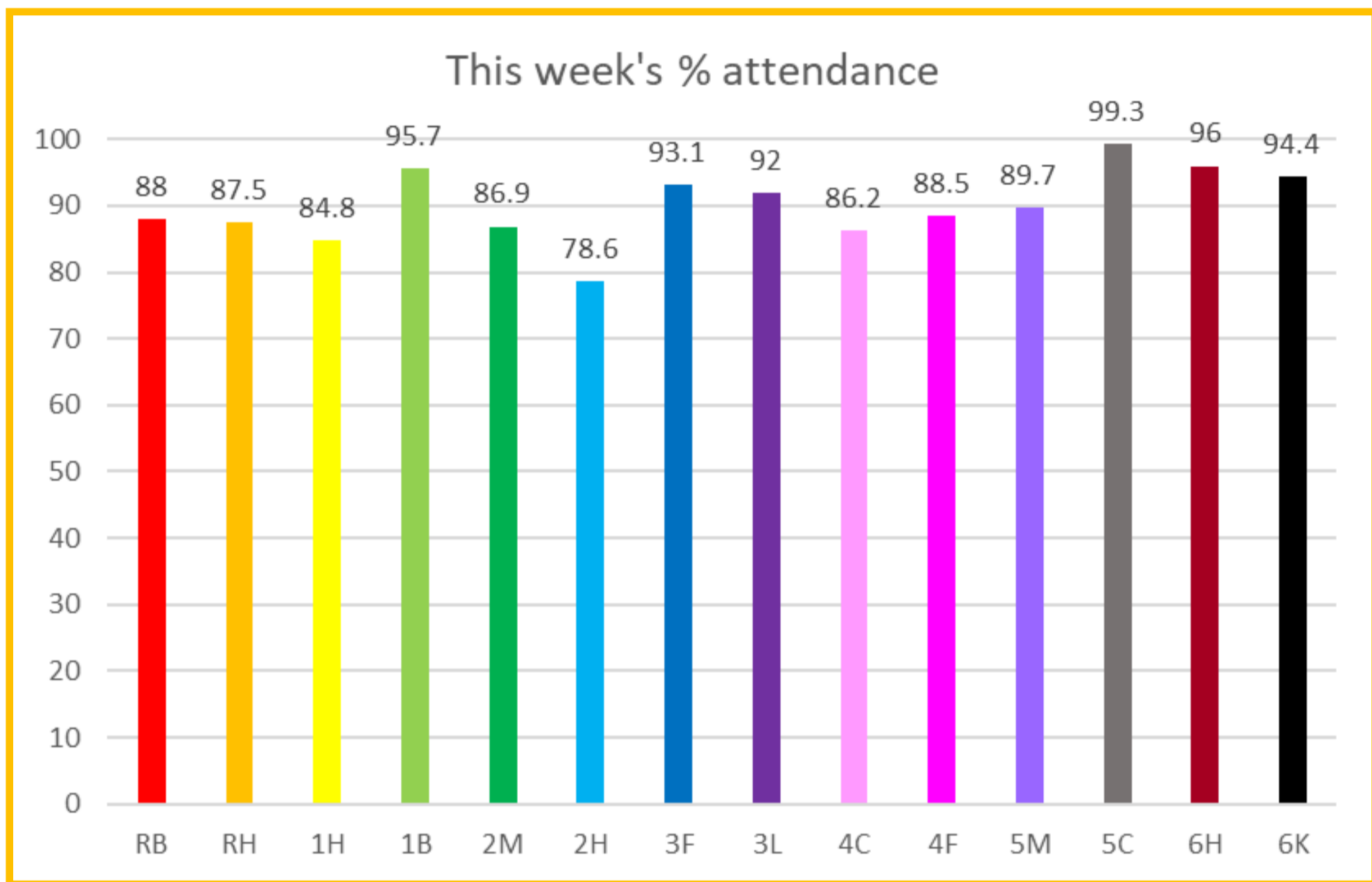
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### ATTENDANCE REPORT

MONDAY 14TH NOVEMBER 2022—FRIDAY 18TH NOVEMBER 2022



#### 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.