



St. Margaret's Anfield

Church of England Primary School

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Friday 27th January 2023

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EASYFUNDRAISING

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



ONLINE SAFETY MESSAGE

Take responsibility for what you say and do online.

Amanda, Lexi and Eric

Breakfast club is available from 8am every morning Free of Charge

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,

A letter has been sent home with children this week about the National Teacher Strike taking place on Wednesday 1st February 2023. You can find a copy of the letter on our website or by clicking [here](#).

Our attendance is improving but we still have far too many children off school. We really need to see a big improvement before this half term ends on Friday 10th February. Your children's education relies on their attendance. Our attendance is one of the worse in the city and I need your help to improve this.

Our Basketball Team had a great time at the final on Monday. Well done to all that took part!

We are looking forward to having our Online Safety Day on 7th February. It is more important than ever for our children to be fully aware and safe online. Please keep an eye out on Parent Apps and email for updates and reminders.

Take care and have a good weekend

Mr Griffiths

NEXT WEEK'S EVENTS

Monday 30th January 2023

Year 5 Swimming Lessons
3.15pm—4.15pm Booster Sessions

Tuesday 31st January 2023

3.15pm-4.10pm LSC Multisports Year 1/2
3.15pm—4.15pm Booster Sessions

Wednesday 1st February 2023

Strike Day—no boosters or after school clubs

Thursday 2nd February 2023

3.15pm—4.10pm Dodgeball Year 4

Friday 3rd February 2023

No events

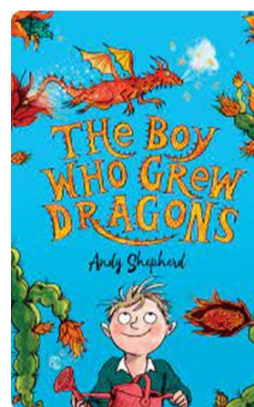
Please remember all children attending after school clubs must be collected by an adult.

RECOMMENDED READS

Miss Prill recommends:

'The Boy Who Grew Dragons' by Andy Shepherd.

"I loved reading this book with my son."



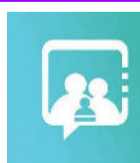
ADMISSIONS

If your child is due to turn 4 before the end of August 2023 you must apply for Reception on the Liverpool City Council website

<https://liverpool.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-admissions/how-to-apply/>

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.



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[CLICK HERE FOR PE DAYS](#)



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



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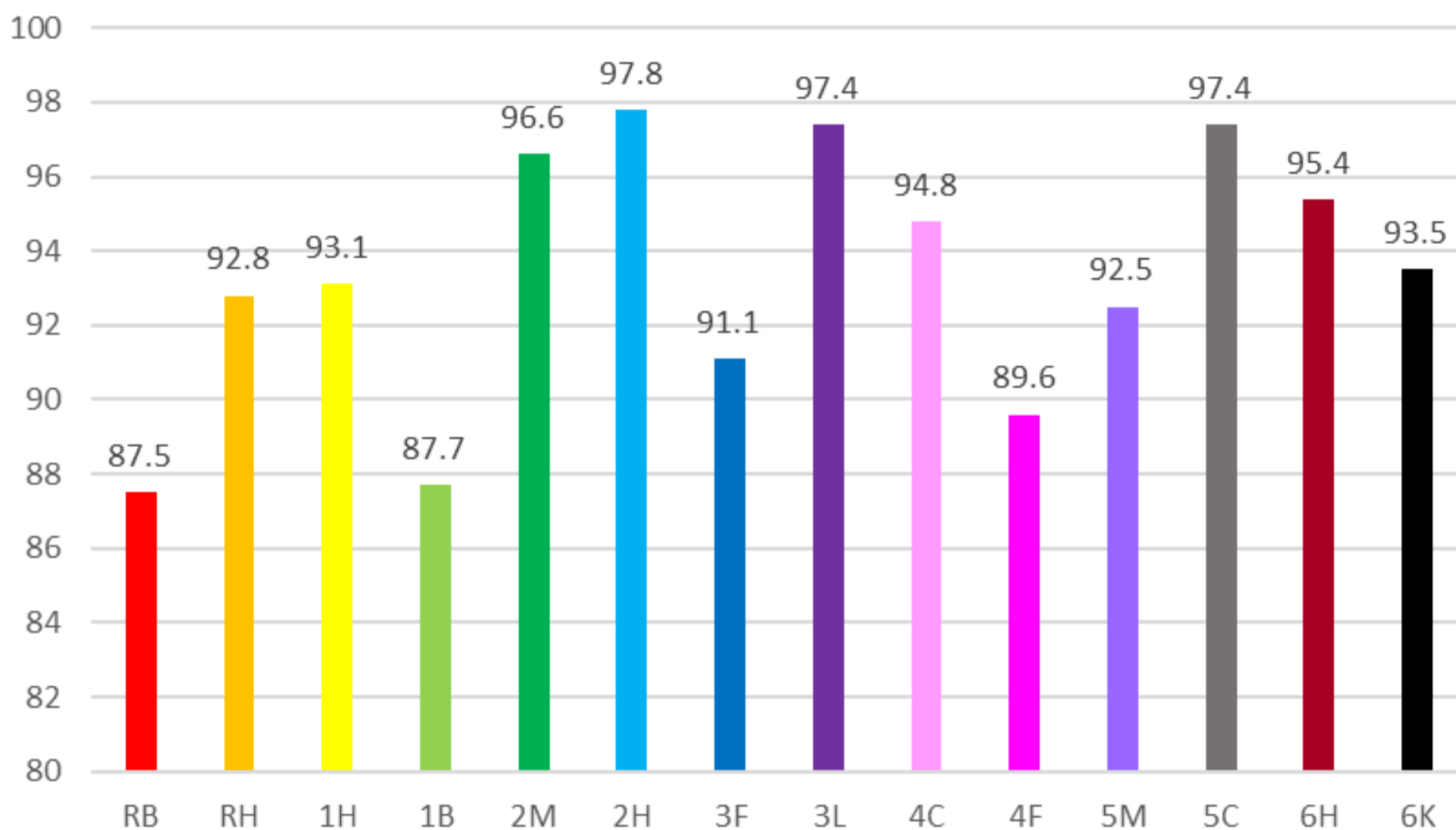
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ATTENDANCE REPORT

MONDAY 16TH JANUARY 2023—FRIDAY 20TH JANUARY 2023

This week's % attendance



What happens if your child does not attend school regularly?

- You will be contacted by Ms Cavanagh.
- 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.