



St. Margaret's Anfield

Church of England Primary School

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Friday 3rd May 2024

Breakfast club is available from 8am every morning. Free of charge

PE DAYS

NURSERY—WEDNESDAY

RECEPTION — FRIDAY

YEAR 1 — MONDAY

YEAR 2 — FRIDAY

YEAR 3 - MONDAY

YEAR 4 - THURSDAY

YEAR 5 - WEDNESDAY

YEAR 6 - TUESDAY

EASYFUNDRAISING

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

Please consider using this when doing your online shopping!



X(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

Attendance is finally on the up! We have gone from just under 92% last week to just over 93% this week. This small percentage does not sound like a lot but it makes a massive difference when our goal is to get the target of 97%.

We have had a lovely visit today from Imran from Muslim Learner Services. He conducted a fantastic assembly and workshops with children throughout the day learning about Islam faith. There are some photos on the school Twitter page.

Year 4 have continued with their swimming lessons each Monday this term. We must remind all parents of Year 4 to ensure their child has their swim kit with them. We have had an increase in how many calls home we have had to make for parents to bring in the swim kits.

Every year group will have now had letters for their summer trips. We are very much looking forward to the fun days out planned. Permission slips and contributions must be handed into school before the last day of this half term (Friday 24th May). If you have any queries please speak with your child's class teacher or the school office.

On Monday (6th May) school is closed for the Bank Holiday and we will return to school on Tuesday.

Have a great weekend

Mr Griffiths

BOOK SWAP—MESSAGE FROM MISS MCAULAY

We now have a bookshelf in the main entrance of the school. We welcome anyone to browse and take home books to read and if you wish to, return for others to enjoy. If you have any books you would like to donate to the book swap please pass them into the school office. Books must be in a good, readable condition.

We hope everyone enjoys being involved in our Book Swap!

BOOK RECOMMENDATION FROM SMA

The Secret Garden is a lovely classic book for mid-older children. It is a lovely story of friendship.



UPCOMING EVENTS

MONDAY 6TH MAY
BANK HOLIDAY
SCHOOL IS CLOSED

TUESDAY 7TH MAY
3:15pm-4:15pm Year 6
Boosters (set groups)

WEDNESDAY 8TH MAY
3:15pm—4:15pm Girls Football
Squad Training

THURSDAY 9TH MAY
3:15pm-4:15pm Year 6
Boosters (set groups)

3:15pm-4:10pm Musical
Theatre After School Club

FRIDAY 10TH MAY
No events

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

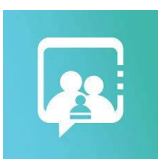
MAKING PAYMENTS

Please download our new App "SchoolComms"



Payments are available for dinner money, trips and we will keep you up to date with anything further.

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.





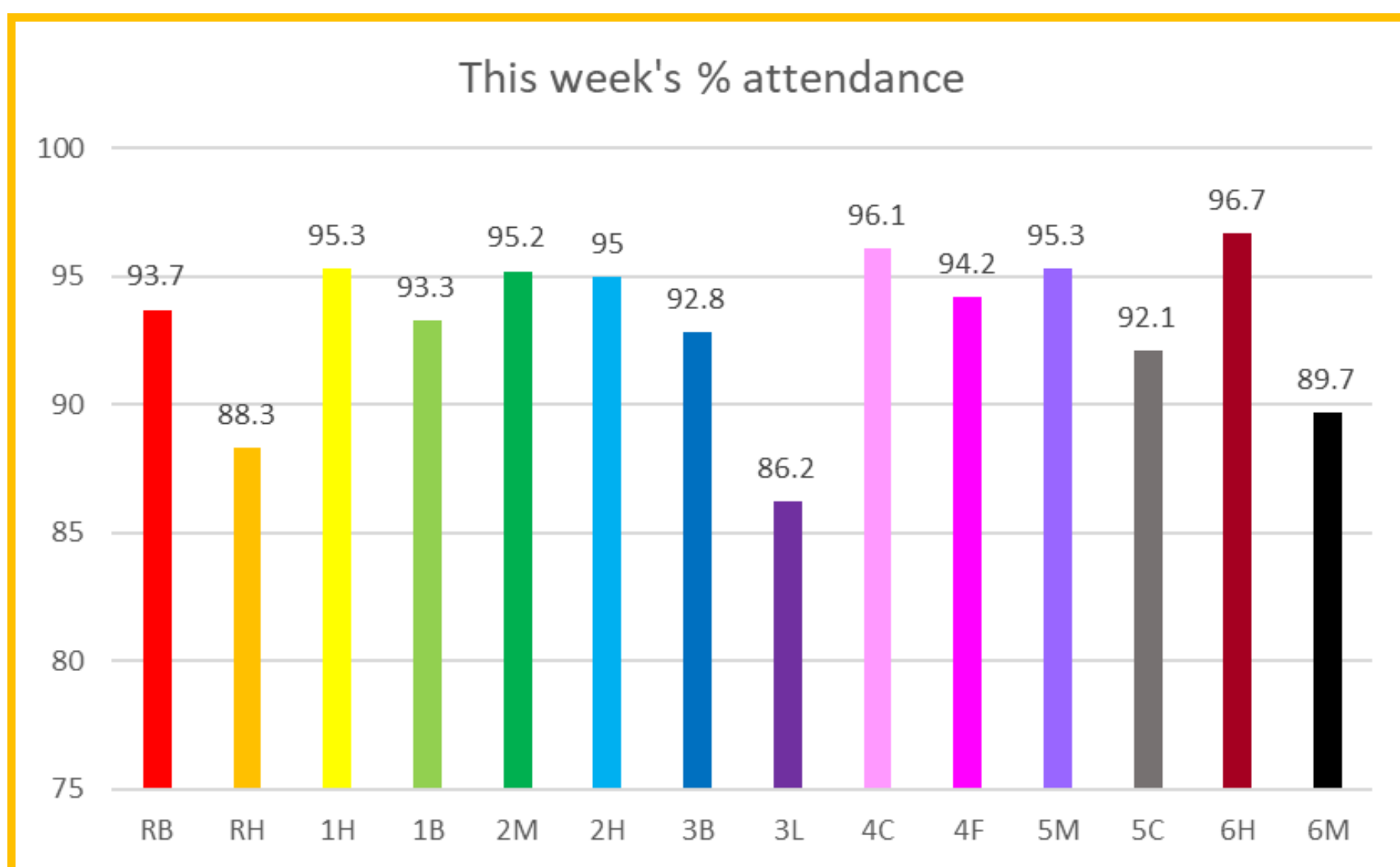
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ATTENDANCE REPORT

MONDAY 29TH APRIL 2024—FRIDAY 3RD MAY 2024



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.