



# Kirkby High School



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Dear Parents / Carers

Happy New Year and welcome back.

As we start a new school term, we are asking for your support in ensuring your child achieves 100% attendance for the remainder of this academic year. Your child only has a short time left at Kirkby High School so it is vital that they make every day count. Attendance and achievement are directly linked so 100% attendance for the rest of the year will have a positive effect on the grades they achieve at the end of Year 11.

Missing school can also impact on their confidence, health and wellbeing. There is a wide range of support available in school to help you and your child to achieve 100% school attendance. At home, you can:

- Encourage and ensure your child attends school regularly and punctually
- Notify the attendance team of any concerns at an early stage
- Notify the school immediately if your child is unable to attend school if they are unwell
- Maintain a regular routine – bed-time and morning routines are important to help your child get to school on time
- Avoid term time holidays as these are unauthorised absences

Thank you for your continued support and please speak to a member of the attendance team if you do have any concerns about your child's school attendance.

Let's all work together to make every day count and support your child to achieve 100% school attendance.

Yours faithfully

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